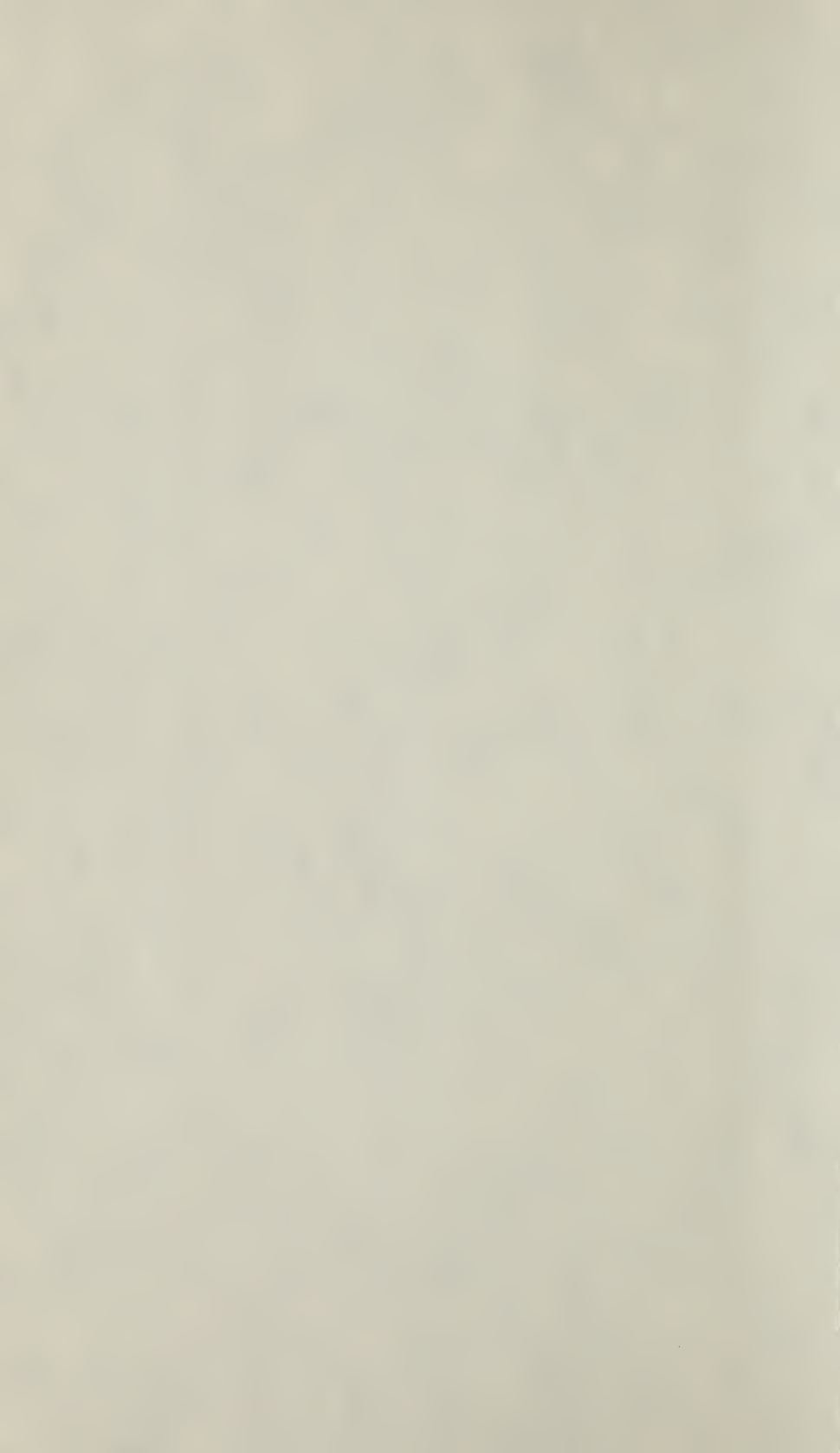


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1973 TOWN REPORT



**WEST BRIDGEWATER,
MASSACHUSETTS**

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The broad tax base and stability of West Bridgewater is emphasized by the balanced construction of business and industrial enterprises.

During the first three centuries the town was primarily agricultural, residential and small business oriented. Its suburban location with excellent means of access due to major Routes 24, 106 and 28 have led to a designation as "Mini-Hub" of the area, during this second half of the 20th Century.

Front cover depicts the Crossroads Ice Arena, opened in 1973. It is located on Manley St. Extension, a heavy-duty piece of roadway constructed by the town and restricted to commercial or industrial development. Crossroads is the first to be built on this street, a business venture by Ralph and Michael Torchio. In the few months since opening it has provided family recreation as well as a rink for many hockey leagues.

On the back cover there are pictures of several new firms. At Elm Square there is Conway Realty, a facility which includes five other offices in addition to that of the building owner. It is Jack Conway's 10th office in the area.

N. J. MacDonald & Sons, Inc. is located on Pleasant St., a 60,000 square foot plant considered "the most automated cabinet manufacturing facility in New England and possibly in the United States."

On Turnpike St., adjacent to the Easton line, is the Bertarelli Bros. Industrial complex. Buildings house firms ranging from packaging to pharmaceuticals. Additional buildings are in Easton.

THIS ANNUAL REPORT
IS DEDICATED TO:

GEORGE V. HOLLERTZ, JR.

Whose devotion to the Town has been above and beyond the line of ordinary duty, unselfishly giving of his time and many talents.

Finance Committee, 1953-1956; 1957-1962
Industrial Development Committee, 1958---
Board of Selectmen, 1960-1972

“PAR EXCELLENCE”

IN MEMORIAM

L. Louis D'Arpino

Housing Authority 1969 – 1973

Deceased February 4, 1973

Walter C. Dunbar

Tax Collector 1934 – 1971

Deceased October 9, 1973

William Noyes, Sr.

Selectman 1943 – 1961

Deceased April 24, 1973

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers and Committees
OF THE TOWN OF
WEST BRIDGEWATER



For the Year Ending December 31
1973

STATISTICS of THE TOWN of WEST BRIDGEWATER

Population — 7152

Total Registered Voters — 3187

PRECINCT I

Republican 711

Democrat 308

Unenrolled 586

PRECINCT II

Republican 704

Democrat 339

Unenrolled 539

Number of Dwellings 1832

Area of Town — 15.75 Square Miles

Miles of Water Mains — 55.43

Local Road Mileage — 58

COUNCILLOR — SECOND DISTRICT

Herbert L. Connolly

SENATOR — NORFOLK & BRISTOL DISTRICT

John M. Quinlan

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

10th PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Carl R. Ohlson

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

12th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Margaret Heckler

Town Meeting — March 13

Election — March 18

1974

Town Meeting — March 11

Town Election — March 16

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1973

MODERATOR

| | | |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| Charles L. Hill | 1973 | 1974 |

TOWN CLERK

| | | |
|---------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| Anna E. Brown | 1973 | 1976 |

SELECTMEN

| | | |
|-----------------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| Marjorie E. MacDonald | 1971 | 1974 |
| Michael Manugian | 1972 | 1975 |
| Richard E. Krugger | 1973 | 1976 |

ASSESSORS

| | | |
|---------------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| Irving W. Puffer | 1971 | 1974 |
| Sherwood W. Jackson | 1973 | 1975 |
| Herbert A. Holmes | 1973 | 1976 |

TREASURER – COLLECTOR

| | |
|------------------|-----------|
| | Appointed |
| Joseph F. McCann | 1973 |

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| Audrey E. Johnson | 1971 | 1974 |
| Jessie Anderson | 1971 | 1974 |
| Priscilla Grippen | 1972 | 1975 |
| Edith Wolfsberg | 1972 | 1975 |
| Joseph Utka | 1973 | 1976 |
| Ethel T. Fisher | 1973 | 1976 |

REGIONAL-VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | | |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| Eugene Kostecki | 1972 | 1975 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| | Elected | Term Expires |
| George Lepine | 1971 | 1974 |
| Stanley O. Carlson | 1971 | 1974 |
| Rhoda M. Johnson | 1972 | 1975 |
| DeSales J. Heath | 1972 | 1975 |
| H. David Raleigh | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald L. MacIver | 1973 | 1976 |

WATER COMMISSIONERS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-------------------|---------|--------------|
| Paul L. Lamoureux | 1971 | 1974 |
| John W. Noyes | 1972 | 1975 |
| Edward G. Asack | 1973 | 1976 |

TREE WARDEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1971 | 1974 |

CONSTABLES

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| Edwin T. Gibson | 1971 | 1974 |
| Raymond L. Silva | 1971 | 1974 |

BOARD OF HEALTH

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------------------|---------|--------------|
| James Purpura | 1971 | 1974 |
| Patrick V. McDonough | 1972 | 1975 |
| Ronald C. Broman (Resigned) | 1973 | 1976 |
| Edward F. Cruz (Appt.) | 1973 | 1974 |

PLANNING BOARD

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Philip C. Tuck | 1969 | 1974 |
| Merton H. Ouderkirk | 1970 | 1975 |
| Ronald P. Snell | 1971 | 1976 |
| Charles A. Johnson | 1972 | 1977 |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | 1973 | 1978 |

HOUSING AUTHORITY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Raymond E. Chace | 1970 | 1974 |
| Lillian J. Cheyunski | 1970 | 1975 |
| Armen Amerigian (Appointed by State) | 1973 | 1976 |
| George A. Miller | 1973 | 1976 |
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1972 | 1977 |

Appointments - Town Meeting

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER, WOOD AND BARK

| | | |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Albert Howard | Charles Johnson | Minot Edson |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------|

FIELD DRIVERS

| | | |
|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Clinton Howard | Philip C. Tuck | Howard Anderson |
|----------------|----------------|-----------------|

FENCE VIEWERS

| | | |
|----------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Thomas O'Shaughnessy | Merton Ouderkirk | George Merritt |
|----------------------|------------------|----------------|

Officers Appointed By Selectmen

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Irving G. Sylvester

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Arthur E. Chaves

CHIEF OF POLICE

Ervin G. Lothrop

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Edwin T. Gibson

SUPERINTENDENT OF PEST CONTROL, 3 Yrs.

Thomas B. MacQuinn

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Edwin T. Gibson

SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Warren Turner

DOG OFFICER

David Tanner

Robert Etsell

VETERAN'S BURIAL AGENT

Armen Amerigian

VETERANS' SERVICES

Armen Amerigian

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

Robert W. Anderson

DEPUTY CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

John C. Eldridge

GAS INSPECTOR

Lawrence Morrison

TOWN COUNSEL

Willis A. Downs

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Edward M. Pinegree | 1971 | 1974 |
| Lance R. Ohlson | 1972 | 1975 |
| Francis J. Boyd | 1973 | 1976 |

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Albert Greiner

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Antone Sousa | Thomas B. MacQuinn | Richard E. Norris |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Ernest Peterson

MEMORIAL FIELD COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Charles Hill | William R. Brown | Armen Amerigian |
|--------------|------------------|-----------------|

LOCKUP KEEPER

| | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Robert W. Anderson | Charles D. Anderson |
|--------------------|---------------------|

ADMINISTRATOR OF INSURANCE

Joseph F. McCann

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Julian Lucini | 1971 | 1974 |
| H. Kingman Burrill | 1972 | 1975 |
| Harold Colby, Jr. | 1972 | 1975 |
| Minot Edson | 1973 | 1976 |
| John H. Hamilton, Jr. | 1973 | 1976 |

Associate Members: William E. Turner, Jr. and John D. Pettinelli

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Francis LeBaron | 1974 |
| Leon Beaulieu | 1975 |
| Ronald Brodrick | 1976 |
| Frank Miller | 1977 |
| George Hollertz, Jr. | 1978 |

ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Henry Bradford | 1974 |
| Charles Higgins | 1975 |
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1976 |
| Freeman Bowden | 1977 |
| Robert Bowman | 1978 |

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1971 | 1974 |
| J. Layton Hayward | 1971 | 1974 |
| Philip C. Tuck | 1972 | 1975 |
| Emil Lawson | 1972 | 1975 |
| Audrey Johnson | 1973 | 1975 |
| Richard Burton | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald E. Surgens | 1973 | 1976 |

BY-LAW STUDY COMMITTEE

| | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| George Merritt | Daniel V. McGonigle, Jr. |
| Charles A. Johnson | Lawrence D. Conant |
| George V. Hollertz, Jr. | Freeman Bowden |
| Robert Chisholm | |

HOWARD SCHOOL PROPERTY COMMITTEE

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| John J. Hamilton, Jr. | Marjorie E. MacDonald |
| Richard Hill | |

RECREATION COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Ethel Fisher | 1971 | 1974 |
| Jessie Anderson | 1971 | 1975 |
| John Sillars | 1971 | 1976 |
| Pasquale Grasso, Jr. | 1973 | 1977 |
| Carmella Preston | 1973 | 1978 |

COUNCIL ON AGING

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Susan D. Puffer | 1971 | 1974 |
| Lloyd A. Sears | 1971 | 1974 |
| Dorothy Amerigian | 1972 | 1975 |
| Mary Linehan | 1973 | 1974 |
| Margaret Ryan | 1973 | 1976 |
| Virginia Antonangelli | 1973 | 1976 |
| Evelyn Thayer | 1973 | 1976 |
| Lucille North | 1973 | 1975 |
| Rev. Francis G. Goss | 1973 | 1975 |

DATA PROCESSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

| | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Lawrence D. Conant | Stuart M. Keith |
| Everett B. Tufts | William R. Brown, Jr. |

TRAILER PARK INSPECTION COMMITTEE

| | |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Richard E. Krugger | Ronald Broman |
| Marjorie E. MacDonald | Patrick V. McDonough |
| Michael Manugian | Merton H. Ouderkirk |
| James Purpura | Ronald P. Snell |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | |

HOME HEATING ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE

John C. Eldridge
Eugene Kostecki
Matthew Mazza

Charles Roussel
Robert Kellie

ADVISORY MEMBERS

Ralph Torchio

Michael Torchio

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Wallace Johnson
Marie Murray

Albert B. Cook
Dorothy Seablom

Jessie Anderson

MULTI SERVICE HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE

E. Myrtle Howard, RN

ECONOMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE FOR OCPC

Samuel Read Jr.

Appointments By Board of Health

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND SLAUGHTERING

Leo F. Moroni

BOARD OF HEALTH PHYSICIAN

Dr. Joseph F. Calitri

BURIAL AGENT

Anna E. Brown

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

Wallace Engstrom

ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

William L. Pike

Appointments By Chief of Fire Department

DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

Frank Burque

DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

Francis J. Crowley
William E. Gibson, Jr.
Frank Burque

Edward G. Asack
Thomas B. MacQuinn
Irving Sylvester

Appointments By Moderator

COMMITTEE TO APPOINT A FINANCE COMMITTEE

Warren E. Turner
Frank Burque

Edward Asack
Henry Bishop

Howard G. Miles

STREET LIGHTING COMMITTEE

John B. Sillars
Angelo E. Mattie

Raymond L. Silva
John Daly

Donald A. Seabloom

WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Philip C. Tuck
Donald E. Surgens

Merton H. Ouderkirk
Richard E. Krugger
James Purpura

FINANCE COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Gilbert D. Baker | 1971 | 1974 |
| Kenneth Turner | 1971 | 1974 |
| Thomas B. Williams | 1971 | 1974 |
| Barbara Ginn | 1972 | 1975 |
| John Simpson, Jr. | 1973 | 1975 |
| Lawrence D. Conant | 1973 | 1975 |
| John B. Baker | 1973 | 1976 |
| Robert Oakhem | 1973 | 1976 |
| Eldon Moreira | 1973 | 1976 |

HOWARD SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Warren E. Turner
John D. Pettinelli

Sherwood W. Jackson
George E. Richardson

Stanley O. Carlson

Resignations

May 16, 1973 resignation received from Gustav W. Anderson from the Finance Committee.

June 1, 1973 resignation received from David Tanner, Dog Officer.

July 11, 1973 resignation received from Rev. Richard Burton from Council on Aging.

July 18, 1973 resignation received from Betty A. Miller from Recreation Committee.

September 12, 1973 resignation received from Ronald Broman as member of the Board of Health.

October 5, 1973 resignation received from Josephine Holmgren from the Finance Committee.

October 12, 1973 resignation received from George V. Hollertz, Jr. from the Old Colony Planning Council Joint Transportation Committee.

Appointments

June 1, 1973, John Simpson, Jr. appointed to Finance Committee for unexpired term of Gustav Anderson.

June 25, 1973, Robert Etsell appointed as Dog Officer.

July 11, 1973, Rev. Richard Burton appointed on the Conservation Commission.

July 25, 1973, Pasquale Grasso, Jr. appointed to the Recreation Committee.

August 6, 1973, Thomas B. MacQuinn and Philip C. Tuck appointed as Special Police Officers.

October 9, 1973, Edward F. Cruz appointed Member of the Board of Health, until next Annual Election.

October 9, 1973, Rev. Francis Goss appointed to the Council on Aging for unexpired term of Rev. Burton.

November 7, 1973, Lawrence D. Conant appointed to the Finance Committee for unexpired term of Josephine Holmgren.

TOWN CLERK

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 12, 1973

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in election were duly warned, was called to order at 7:30 P. M. at the High School Gymnasium, by the Moderator, John C. Eldridge. Invocation was given by Rev. Richard Burton, from 1st Church. Star Spangle Banner was played by High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Lancourt LaRosa.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown. Board of Registrars noted 276 voters present. Counters for the evening were: Charles L. Hill, Ronald Snell, Warren Turner, Jr., James Wolfsberg, John Sillars, John Hamilton, Stuart Keith, Mrs. Gail Pratt, Mrs. Priscilla Grippen.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Voted: To elect the following officers for the ensuing year not elected on the official Ballot.

Surveyors of Lumber, Wood and Bark: Albert Howard, Charles Johnson, Minot Edson.

Field Drivers: Clinton Howard, Philip Tuck, Howard Anderson.

Fence Viewer: Thomas O'Shaughnessy, Merton Ouder Kirk, George Merritt.

Article 2. Voted: The reports of the Town Offices and Committees as printed in the Town Report be accepted.

Article 3. Moved: That the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the eighteen month period beginning January 1, 1973 in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and acts in amendment thereof, and including in addition thereto, Chapter 849 of the Acts of 1969, as amended and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section # 7.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 4. Moved: That the sum of \$37,500.00 be appropriated for Chapter 90, New Construction, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$9,375.00 be raised in the 1973 tax levy and the sum of \$28,125.00 be transferred from the Surplus Revenue Account to meet the State and County's share of the work, reimbursement from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to the Surplus Revenue Account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to enter into a contract or contracts with the Department of Public Works and County commissioners for the construction and maintenance of public highways for the ensuing eighteen month period.

Article 6. Moved: That the salary of the following elected Town Officials to be as follows for the eighteen month period, retroactive to January 1, 1973.

| | | | |
|--------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------|
| Moderator | \$ 105.00 | Assessors: | 2,280.00 ea. (3) |
| Selectmen: | | Board of Health | 332.00 ea. (3) |
| Chairman | 1,570.00 | Water Commissioners | |
| Clerk | 1,260.00 | Chairman | 1,087.00 |
| Other Member | 1,260.00 | Clerk | 887.00 |
| Town Clerk | 9,985.00 | Third Member | 688.00 |
| Tree Warden | 16,595.00 | | |

The following committees to serve without pay – Library Trustees, School Committee, Planning Board.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the eighteen month period and to make appropriations for the same.

The following appropriations were voted.

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Moderator | 105.00 |
| Finance Committee | 600.00 |
| Selectmen's Salary & Expenses | 12,610.00 |
| Town Accountant Salary & Expenses | 7,880.00 |
| Treasurer-Collector Salary & Expenses, o/s travel 230.00 | 43,285.00 |

Motion made to defer action on Article 7 until an adjourned Town Meeting to allow Finance Committee time to clarify Department heads figures, and continue with Article 8. Motion carried.

Article 8. Voted: The town appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture (Plymouth County Extension Service) and that Clifford H. Carlson be appointed as Town Director as provided in Sections 41 and 42 of Revised Chapter 128 of the General Laws.

Article 9. Moved: That the sum of \$6,600.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase two station wagon type cruisers for the Police Department and the transfer of equipment to such new cruisers and authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to trade in the old police cruisers Nos. 91 and 93 and to apply the trade-in value of such old police cruisers toward the payment of the price of such new police cruisers, and to meet said appropriation the amount of \$6,500.00 be transferred from State & Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972, Public Law 92-512 and the sum of \$100.00 from tax levy of 1973.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 10. Voted the town Accept Chapter 41, Section 97A of the General Laws, entitled "Police Departments in Certain Towns."

Article 11. Moved: The town vote to accept the provisions of Section 20C and 20D of Chapter 90 of the General Laws: said system providing for a visible tag system for all parking violations.

Upon vote motion carried, unanimously.

Article 12. Moved: The sum of \$13,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen for School Zoning for the West Bridgewater High School, West Center Street and the Rose L. MacDonald Elementary School on North Elm Street and the sum of \$13,000.00 be transferred from Surplus Revenue Account, reimbursement from the State to be restored upon their receipt, to the Surplus Revenue Account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 13. Moved: That the sum of \$1,945.00 be appropriated to install new street lights relocate and increase size of present lights as recommended by the Street Lighting Committee.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 14. Moved: That the sum of \$2,682.00 available under Chapter 672 of the Acts of 1963 and the sum of \$2,452.10 available from the County Dog Fund be transferred to the Library Expense Account.

Upon vote motion carried, unanimously.

Article 15. Moved: The Board of Water Commissioners be authorized to continue the search for a new water supply and the Board of Water Commissioners be further authorized to acquire either options for or title to, land necessary for a wellsite, and to appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for this purpose.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 16. Moved: The sum of \$21,000.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Board of Water Commissioners, to paint the 500,000 gallon original standpipe and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$15,000.00 be appropriated from the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972, Public Law 92-512, the balance of \$6,000.00 be raised from taxation.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 17. Moved: The sum of \$11,000.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Board of Water Commissioners for well work and piping in the vicinity of Station #3 in Cochesett, for treatment of the aquifer and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated from the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972, Public Law 92-511, the balance of \$1,000.00 be raised from taxation.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 18. Moved: The Town authorize the School Committee to maintain a State Aided Vocational Program in accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws and Acts Amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and to appropriate the sum of \$5,170.00 to conduct such a program.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 19. Moved: The sum of \$32,450.00 be appropriated for Physical Training Athletics Sports and Equipment.

Upon counted vote of Yes—128, No—92 Motion Carried.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Council on Aging.

Upon a unanimous vote, motion passed without action.

Article 21. Moved: The sum of \$15,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Highway Department, at the direction of the Board of Selectmen for drainage installations.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 22. Moved: The sum of \$70,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Highway Department, at the direction of the Board of Selectmen, to construct and/or reconstruct sidewalks.

Motion made to amend this sum to read \$10,000.00 be appropriated to construct and/or reconstruct sidewalks.

Upon vote motion to amend to the sum of \$10,000.00 was carried.

Article 23. Moved: The sum of \$7,500.00 be appropriated to purchase, install and equip a new stand-up Generator at the Fire/Police station, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to trade in the present stand-by Generator toward the purchase price of such new Stand-by Generator.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 24. Moved: The sum of \$16,000.90 be appropriated to cover the salaries of two (2) additional full time permanent Firefighters, starting July 1, 1973.

Upon vote motion lost.

Article 25. Moved: That the sum of \$4,000.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Tree Warden to Purchase and equip a new stake body truck for the Forestry and Parks Dept. and empower the Tree Warden to trade in the 1960 pick-up truck toward the payment of the price of such new truck, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$3,900.00 be transferred from State & Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 Public Law 92-511 and the sum of \$100.00 from taxation.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn the Town meeting until Tuesday evening March 13, 1973 at 7:30 p. m. in the High School Auditorium. Motion carried.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

March 13, 1973

Meeting called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the Moderator John C. Eldridge. Board of Registrars noted 224 voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 26. Moved: That the sum of \$5,900.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen, to install a new roof on the main Town Hall Building and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$5,500.00 be transferred from State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 Public Law 92-512 (Revenue Sharing) account and the sum of \$400.00 from Taxation.

Upon vote motion carried unanimously.

Article 27. Moved: The sum of \$4,500.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Howard School Building committee for the purpose of demolition and removal of the building known as Packard Hall on the former Howard School Property, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$4,000.00 be transferred from State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 Public Law 92-512 (Revenue Sharing) account and the sum of \$500.00 from Taxation.

Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Article 28. Moved: The sum of \$6,500.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Howard School Building Committee for the purpose of demolition and removal of the building known as Drury Hall on the former Howard School Property, and to meet said appropriation the amount of \$6,000.00 be transferred from State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 Public Law 92-512 (Revenue Sharing) account and the sum of \$500.00 from Taxation.

Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Article 29. Moved: That the sum of \$690,000.00 be appropriated for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the Howard School and for reconstructing, remodeling, rehabilitating and modernizing the existing Howard School property and adjacent property, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$35,000.00 be raised by Taxation and the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow \$655,000.00 under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended, and that the Howard School Building Committee be authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out this motion.

Motion made to amend: The sum of \$702,834.00 be appropriated for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the Howard School and for

reconstructing, remodeling, rehabilitating and modernizing the existing Howard School property and adjacent property, to include a proposed construction of two additional tennis courts, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$37,000.00 be raised by Taxation and the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow \$655,834.00 under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended, and that the Howard School Building Committee be authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out his motion.

Upon vote on the amendment of 87 Yes and 128 No, amendment lost.

Vote was then taken on the original motion, 193 Yes and 20 No, Motion carried.

Article 30. Moved: The Town vote to approve the amount of the \$3,450,000. debt authorized on December 30, 1972 by the Southeastern Regional District School Committee, for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the Southeastern Regional Vocation Technical School.

Upon counted vote of 914 Yes and 1 No motion carried.

Moderator then announced that action would resume on Article 7, budget article.

Motion was made to reconsider Article 23, Upon counted vote of Yes 107 and No 70 motion lost.

The following budgets were acted on:

| | |
|---|------------|
| Assessors, Salaries & Expenses | 13,800.00 |
| Law | 9,000.00 |
| Town Clerk, Salary & Expenses (o/s travel \$100.00) | 14,250.00 |
| Election & Registration, Salaries & Expenses | 7,169.00 |
| Town Office, Salary & Expenses | 16,705.00 |
| Police | |
| Salaries: Chief | 27,885.00 |
| Holidays | 1,116.00 |
| Patrolmen | 300,357.00 |
| Clerk | 8,475.00 |
| Expenses (o/s travel \$450.00) | 37,650.00 |
| Equipment | 360.00 |
| Fire Department and Building: | |
| Salaries & Expenses (o/s travel \$400.00) | 117,960.00 |
| Equipment | 3,375.00 |
| Hydrants Maintenance | 16,400.00 |
| Tree Warden & Parks: | |
| Salary & Expenses | 64,020.00 |
| Equipment | 725.00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 570.00 |
| Inspector of Wires | 1,500.00 |
| Inspector of Buildings | 13,290.00 |
| Inspector of Gas | 1,500.00 |
| Dog Officer | 3,405.00 |
| Civil Defense | 1,160.00 |
| Planning Board | 1,540.00 |

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Board of Appeals | | 750.00 |
| Conservation Commission: | | |
| Expense | | 3,400.00 |
| Fund | | 7,219.00 |
| Board of Health: | | |
| Salaries | | 996.00 |
| Expenses | | 18,940.00 |
| Highway | | 278,379.00 |
| Street Lights | 29,000.00 (Rev. Shar.) | 1,000.00 Tax. 30,000.00 |
| Veteran's Agent | | 71,217.00 |

Motion made to adjourn meeting until 7:30 p.m. March 14, 1973 at the High School Auditorium. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11 p.m.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

March 14, 1973

Meeting called to order by Moderator, John C. Eldridge at 7:30 P.M. Board of Registrars noted 146 voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

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| Town Schools (o/s travel \$3,645.00) | | 2,696,207.00 |
| Southeastern Regional Vocational School | | 66,897.00 |
| Library (o/s travel \$75.00) | | 44,669.00 |
| Industrial Development | | 350.00 |
| Contributory Retirement | | 59,856.00 |
| Water Department, from Water Rev. (o/s travel \$300.00) | | 105,067.00 |
| Recreation Commission | | 4,000.00 |
| Council on Aging | | 2,700.00 |
| Town Reports | | 5,410.00 |
| Memorial & Veterans Day | | 900.00 |
| Christmas Decorations | | 650.00 |
| Reserve Fund | 29,000.00 Overlay | 1,000.00 Tax. 30,000.00 |
| Insurance Casualty | 34,100.00 Rev. Shar. | 20,900.00 Tax. 55,000.00 |
| Insurance Group | | 58,000.00 |
| Engineering Services | | 1,500.00 |
| Memorial Field | | 300.00 |
| Tennis Courts | | 300.00 |
| Princ. & Int. School Bonds | | 327,838.50 |
| Princ. & Int. Water Bonds from Water Rev. | | 182,529.00 |
| Princ. & Int. Street Construction | | 17,440.00 |
| Interest Short Term Borrowing | | 20,000.00 |

Special motions made on above budgets:

Motion made sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated for Street Lights and the sum of \$29,000.00 from Revenue Sharing and \$1,000.00 from Taxation. So voted.

Motion made sum of \$2,696,207.00 be raised and appropriated for the operation of the Public Schools for an 18 month period; \$6,078.00 from P.L.874 and \$1,854.90 from

Title III, monies shall be applied to this budget, including \$3,645.00 for o/s travel. So voted.

Moved: The sum of \$105,067.00 be appropriated for the Water Department to be taken from Water Revenue, including \$300.00 for out of State Travel.

Moved: That the sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated for Reserve Fund and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$29,000.00 be transferred from Overlay Surplus and \$1,000.00 from Taxation.

Moved: The sum of \$55,000.00 be appropriated for Insurance Casualty and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$34,100.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing and the sum of \$20,900.00 from Taxation.

Moved: The sum of \$182,529.00 be appropriated from Principal & Int. on Water Bonds and to meet said appropriation the said amount be transferred from Water Revenue.

Article 31. Moved: That the sum of \$3,250.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Conservation Commission for the purchase of a parcel of land containing approximately 2.28 acres belonging now or formerly to Robert J. & Dorothy A. Sullivan of Scituate, situated west of Spring St., East of land now or formerly of Morrison, Couture and Charles Tuck and bounded on the south by Elm Square Brook and more completely described in the Assessors records as Plot 58, Pg. 77 said parcel of land to be used for the purposes described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C as amended, and to receive reimbursements toward payment of this property under General Laws, Chapter 132A, Section 11 as amended and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$3,250.00 be transferred from the Conservation fund.

Upon vote of Yes 47, No 75 motion lost.

Article 32. Moved: The town vote to accept as a gift from Hastings Keith and Louise H. Keith, of Marion, a parcel of land on River Street, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

A certain triangular lot of land situated on the South side of River Street, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an apple tree on the South side of said River Street, thence East by said River Street, 9 rods, 17 links to a point at the North end of French Bridge; thence Westerly by the river, 9 rods, more or less, to a willow tree; thence N. 4 rods, 7 links to the South side of River Street and the point of beginning. Subject to pole rights held by the Southern Massachusetts Telephone Company as granted on September 24, 1901, recorded in Book 871, Page 221, with the Plymouth County Registry of Deeds.

The premises, described above, are to be used by the Town of West Bridgewater for Conservation purposes and for the preservation of the historic value of that portion of the Town River. It shall not, however, be used for a purely recreational area.

Upon vote motion carried unanimously.

Article 33. Moved: The Town vote to accept Chapter 40, Section 8D an Historical Commission of the Town of West Bridgewater for the purpose and with the rights and duties provided by law, to be composed of five (5) members, appointed by the Selectmen for terms of three years except that initial appointment shall be one member one year, two members two years and two members three years.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Articla 34. Moved: The town vote to become a member of the Old Colony Water Pollution Control District comprised of the towns of Abington, Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Easton, Hanson, Pembroke, West Bridgewater and Whitman to abate and control water pollution through treatment of sewage which the district shall collect from local systems. The question is as follows: "Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year 1973 entitled 'An Act Establishing the Old Colony Water Pollution Control District' be accepted?"

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 35. Moved: The town vote to accept Wendell Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 36. Moved: The sum of \$506.00 be appropriated to pay legal obligations of the Town incurred in 1972.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 37. Moved: The sum of \$912.64 be appropriated to pay medical bills of Officer Jimmy Ames incurred in the line of duty in 1972.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 38. Moved: The town vote to amend Article 30 of the Town By-laws by renumbering the present Section 3 to Section 4 and inserting a new Section 3 as follows: "The door-to-door distribution of advertising materials, whether the same consists of printed material or samples or products, is hereby prohibited except through the United States Post Office, regularly printed newspapers, or materials distributed by charitable or non-profit organizations or unless, after application to the Chief of Police or his duly authorized representative, a license for such distribution shall have been issued.

Upon vote of 62 Yes and 31 No motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until Monday evening, 7:30 P.M. at the High School Auditorium. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11 P.M.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

March 19, 1973

Meeting called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the newly elected Moderator Charles L. Hill. Mr. John Eldridge retiring Moderator presented Mr. Hill with the Moderator's gavel, donated by Mrs. Edward Ginn, and made by the late Edward D. Ginn. Registrars noted 144 voters present.

Selectmen, Richard E. Krugger presented Mr. Eldridge with a Civic Service Award from the Town of West Bridgewater for denoting his 20 years of service as Moderator. Mr. Eldridge was accorded a standing round of applause.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 39. Moved: The sum of \$10,000.00 be transferred from the Surplus Revenue Account to the Stabilization Fund.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 40. Moved: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Assessors to take from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money to be used for the purpose of reducing the tax rate for the current year.

Motion made to pass this article without action. Motion carried.

Article 41. Moved: That the town vote to amend Town By-Law XXVI The "Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Massachusetts," by renumbering the present Section 13 to become Section 14 and by adding a new Section 13 entitled "Waterways Zoning" and reading as follows: "It shall be the duty of the Conservation Commission to administer this Section 13 of By-Law XXVI, pertaining to regulations affecting the Town Waterways and Watercourses including ponds and lakes as described below to prevent the pollution of these water ways, to regulate building in the town flood plains and generally protect the beauty of the Town Waterways". "All rivers, brooks, streams, ponds, lakes and other waterways and water courses shall be categorized in A, B, C, designations. The A category shall consist of the Town or Nunckatesset River, Salisbury Plain River, and the Mill Pond from Crescent Street to its source. The B Category shall consist of West Meadow Brook, Hockomock River and Coweaset Brook. The C. category shall consist of Walnut Street Brook, Willow Brook, Black Betty Brook, Elm Square Brook, Queset Brook, One Mile Brook, Clark's Brook, Couite's Brook, No Bottom Pond and Brook, Carl Carlson Brook, Braga's Brook, and Edson Brook and any other not specifically mentioned above. Any stream that fails to flow or dries up in summer months is still considered a stream for the purposes of this By-Law" "It shall be the duty of the Conservation Commission to approve or disapprove the plans for the construction of any building of any size or usage of or any other structure not classified as a building or for any filling or substantial alteration of the land within 100 feet of either bank of an "A" category waterway, 75 feet from either bank of a "B" category waterway, and 25 feet from either bank of a "C" category waterway. Application for such approval shall be on a form prescribed by the Conservation Commission. The Conservation Commission shall act upon such application within 21 days. Before such approval, the members of the Conservation Commission may inspect the site in question and may call upon such technical assistance as deemed necessary. At least four members

of the Conservation Commission must sign such approval form. This approval form must be presented to the issuing authority before a building permit can be issued under Article 5, Section 1 of the Town Building By-Law XXV." "Town culverts and drainage ditches shall not be impeded in any manner so as to eliminate or interrupt the flow of water. Any changes for Town culverts and or drainage ditches shall be submitted to the Building Inspector and the Highway Department Superintendent for review and recommendations to the Conservation Commission."

"For the purposes of this By-Law, the Conservation Commission shall be the enforcing authority."

Motion to amend to read Hockomock River be changed from Classification "B" to "A". Upon vote of Yes 47, No 74, motion lost.

Motion to amend to read wherever the words "Conservation Commissioners" appear in this article it shall read Board of Selectmen and the number 4 should read two members. Upon vote 117 Yes, 4 No amendment carried.

Upon vote on original motion and amendment of Yes 26, No 111, motion lost.

Article 42. Moved: That the town vote to amend Section 3, Subsection C of By-Law XXVI entitled "Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Mass. by adding at the end of said Section 3, Subsection C the following: "and that portion of land located on the Westerly side of Turnpike Street containing approximately 18.64 acres of land comprised of various parcels as shown of Assessors plans A-2 and A-3 said portion of land being bounded on the north by the Brockton-West Bridgewater line for a distance of 615.40 feet, more or less, bounded on the east by Turnpike Street for a distance of 2,775 feet, more or less, to a point where the Easton-West Bridgewater town lines intersect at Turnpike Street and bounded on the West by the Easton-West Bridgewater lines for a distance of 2,800 feet, more or less, to a point where the city line of Brockton and the town lines of Easton and West Bridgewater intersect."

Upon vote of Yes 100, No 37, motion carried.

Article 43. Moved: The Town vote to change Section 9. "Side and Rear Lot lines," of By-Law XXVI entitled "Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater Massachusetts." by deleting in its entirety the present Section 9 and adding in its place the following:

"A. No dwelling shall be erected or placed within twenty (20) feet of a side lot line, or within thirty-five (35) feet of a rear lot line, except as herein otherwise provided.

"B. No garage, or accessory building shall be erected or placed within fifteen (15) feet of a side lot line, or within ten (10) feet of a rear lot line, except as herein otherwise provided."

Upon vote motion carried unanimously.

Motion made to reconsider Article 27. Upon vote motion carried.

Article 27. Moved: The sum of \$4,500.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Howard School Building committee for the purpose of demolition and removal of the building known as Packard Hall on the former Howard School Property.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to reconsider Article 28. Upon vote motion carried.

Article 28. Moved: The sum of \$6,500.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Howard School Building Committee for the purpose of demolition and removal of the building known as Drury Hall on the former Howard School Property.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 44. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting:.

Motion made that the present Zoning By-Law Study Committee be retained to continue studies on the present by-laws and report to the next annual of Special Town Meeting.

So voted.

Appreciation was extended to WBHS Principal S. Erick Benson for providing the band to play prior to the first session and opening the 1973 town meeting with the National Anthem.

The Finance Committee were asked to stand and accept applause for much hard work and many meetings.

Motion was made that the Town of West Bridgewater accept, with appreciation, the sum of \$5,000.00 a legacy under the provisions of the will of Edna W. Curtiss, to the West Bridgewater Public Library, and that said sum be spent at the discretion of the Board of Trustees of the Town of West Bridgewater Public Library.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn meeting. So Voted. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 P.M.

A true copy,

ATTEST: Anna E. Brown,
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
March 17, 1973

The Annual Town Election was held at the Howard School Gymnasium, Howard Street on Saturday, March 17, 1973. A warrant issued by the Selectmen was posted by the Constable, Edwin T. Gibson, on March 5, 1973, in accordance with the provision of the Town By-Laws.

Specimen ballots, cards of instructions and abstracts of the laws, imposing penalties upon voters, were posted as required by the Laws of the Commonwealth.

The polls were opened at 9 A.M. The Ballot boxes in both precincts were inspected and the registers set 00000.

At the close of the Polls at 8 P.M. the ballot box registers showed the following results:

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| Precinct 1. | 393 |
| Precinct 2. | <u>382</u> |
| Total | 775 |

The following election workers were sworn in:

Precinct 1. Catherine Chaves, Eutropy Sinkevich, Elizabeth Turner, Emma Marzelli—Counters and Observers. Total Tallies—William R. Brown, Sr. and Anne Long.

Precinct 2. Marie Murray, Helen Souza—Counters & Observers. Dorothy Williams and Claire Davock, Total Tallies

The results were declared as follows:

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| Precinct 1. Regular Ballots | 389 | |
| Absentee Ballots | <u>4</u> | 393 |
| Precinct 2. Regular Ballots | | <u>382</u> |
| Total Ballots cast | | 775 |

| MODERATOR, 1 YEAR | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
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| *Charles L. Hill | 341 | 330 | 671 |
| Blanks | 52 | 52 | 104 |

TOWN CLERK, 3 Yrs.

| | | | |
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| *Anna E. Brown | 335 | 323 | 658 |
| John R. Gummow | 1 | | |
| Blanks | 57 | 59 | 116 |

SELECTMEN, 3 Yrs.

| | | | |
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| *Richard E. Krugger | 279 | 279 | 558 |
| George V. Hollertz | 11 | 17 | 28 |
| Blanks | 103 | 86 | 189 |

ASSESSOR, 3 Yrs.

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| *Herbert A. Holmes | 292 | 274 | 566 |
| Blanks | 101 | 108 | 209 |

ASSESSOR, 2 Yrs.

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| *Sherwood W. Jackson | 310 | 284 | 594 |
| Blanks | 83 | 98 | 181 |

TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC
LIBRARY, 3 Yrs.

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| *Ethel T. Fisher | 295 | 285 | 580 |
| *Joseph M. Utko | 310 | 294 | 604 |
| Blanks | 181 | 185 | 366 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE'
3 Yrs.

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| Charles R. Barros | 202 | 210 | 412 |
| *Donald L. MacIver | 261 | 186 | 447 |
| *H. David Raleigh | 217 | 248 | 465 |
| Blanks | 106 | 120 | 226 |

WATER COMMISSIONERS'
3 Yrs.

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| *Edward G. Asack | 350 | 332 | 682 |
| Blanks | 43 | 50 | 93 |

BOARD OF HEALTH, 3 Yrs.

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| *Ronald C. Broman | 328 | 311 | 639 |
| Blanks | 65 | 71 | 136 |

PLANNING BOARD, 5 Yrs.

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| *William E. Turner | 304 | 284 | 588 |
| Blanks | 89 | 98 | 187 |

HOUSING AUTHORITY, 3 Yrs.

| | | | |
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| *George A. Miller | 211 | 203 | 414 |
| Clement S. Pike | 145 | 128 | 273 |
| Blanks | 37 | 51 | 88 |

A true copy,

ATTEST: Anna E. Brown,
Town Clerk

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Recorded in West Bridgewater - 1973

| Date | Name | Parents |
|----------|---------------------------|--|
| January | | |
| 10 | Darcy Ann Hubbard | Edward Joseph & Beverly Ann Meserve |
| 12 | Kris Elizabeth Watson | Henry Laurence & Joan Lois Tordoff |
| 20 | Jeanne Marie Furey | Rodger Stephen & Jane Terese Burke |
| 22 | Frank Daniel Micciantuono | Jon Phillip & Joyce Marion Phelan |
| 23 | Richard Walter Johnson | Harold Richard & Gertrude Claire Wilding |
| 30 | Andrea Lynn Sylvester | John Anthony & Mary Maureen Sparling |
| February | | |
| 7 | Heather Ann Sousa | John Henry & Cynthia Barbara Clinton |
| 8 | Barbara Marie Fullerton | Bruce Eliot & Charlene Ann Mason |
| 12 | Craig Peter Asack | Donald George & Sandra Louise Beals |
| 12 | Anthony Vincent Ciccolo | Vincent Anthony & Carol Ann Russo |
| 12 | Marci Ann MacLean | Douglas Arthur & Janet Marie Sinkovich |
| 18 | Kristina Marie Gursknis | Richard Alexander & Louise Morey |
| 18 | Stephen John Tracy | Stephen Augustus & Carol Louise Quattrucci |
| 27 | Patrick Thomas Devine | Thomas Joseph & Judith Ann Campbell |
| March | | |
| 2 | Ann Marie LaCorda | Dennis William & Marie Teresa Ross |
| 8 | John Joseph LaCroix | Emile Gerard & Mary Margaret O'Riley |
| 9 | Matthew Robert Hahey | Robert Thomas & Susan Jane Hobson |
| 20 | Robert Lewis Chipoli, Jr. | Robert Lewis & Donna Louise Marengo |
| 27 | Stacey Lynn Warren | David Lloyd & Carol Jane Hopkins |
| 30 | Karen Michelle Hebert | George Frederick & Elizabeth Woodward Estabrooks |

Hugh Ramsay & Joan Diane Getty
John Henry & Phyllis Mary Horgan
William Mixer & Judith Marie Hambly
James Francis & Jean Marie Handricken
Antonio Moura & Evangelina Periera Moura
Wayne Douglas & Susan Jean Anderson

Thomas Joel & Betty Jean Gruber
Warren Elbert & Nancy Louise Fletcher
Jon Dennis & Jean Maria Beltrami
David Lawrence & Martha Marie Robinson
Scott Eldon & Roberta Louise Proffetty
Joseph Chit Chun & Jenny May Fong
Robert Edward & Nancy Elizabeth Turner
Steven Fuller & Terri-Jean Parris
Allan Bruce & Laurel Anna Nelson

Dennis Laemman & Janel Anna Fuller
Joseph Francis, Jr. & Carol Ann Halpin
Roy Howard, Jr. & Jane Frances Robichaud
Galen Edwin & Marie Ann Malatesta
Kenneth Robert & Ann Marie Woodcock
Kenneth Charles & Rita Anna Leroux

Ronald Edmed & June Catherine Howard
Bryan Marshall & Frances Mary Ann Budgen
John Edmund & Sandra Marie Borghi
Anthony James & Virginia Marie Sheppard
Howard Alanson & Carolyn Mae Cassidy
Howard Alanson & Carolyn Mae Cassidy
Geary Edward & Kathleen Margaret Crowell
Peter Adams & Linda Ann Spaulding

Jonathan Getty Hurley
Traci Ann Hartford
Robin Lynn Doane
Jennifer Michelle Wolfsberg
Edward Antonio Amaral
Bryan Douglas Macdonald

Amy Elizabeth Dahlberg
Melissa Jayne Hambly
Brian Michael Geniuch
Corinne Deborah Luce
Julie Ann Lovell
Bernard Larry Yu
Kerry Lynn Doyle
Jon Thomas Eldridge
Sarah Lanoue Johnson

Janelle Lynn Gerardi
Kelly Danette O'Connor
Andrew Joseph Piver
Alicia Marie Osborne
Carol Ann Guillemette
Kevin Michael Murch

Jill Catherine Metcalf
Jennifer Ann Gallagher
Kristine Ann Burke
Anthony Thomas DiLiegro
Lee Howard Anderson
Shawn David Anderson
Joel David Wells
Aric Peter Duhamel

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| 27 | Michael Edward Cruz | Dennis Jacquim & Lois Ann DeCoste |
| 29 | Coleen Marie Bean | Gerald Anthony & Annette Alice Amber |
| August | | |
| 6 | Michael Allan Bunker | Allan Francis & Linda Annabelle Couite |
| 14 | Jennifer Susan Pope | William Doyle & Judith Anne Lanoue |
| 17 | Charles Albert Walsh | Charles Albert & Maureen Holland |
| 23 | Amie Allisyn Kroese | Ernest Martin & Irene Tzvetinouch |
| 31 | Theresa Kuharich | Joseph Lawrence & Mary Ellen McGrath |
| September | | |
| 15 | Heather Suzanne Beals | Douglas Leon & Christine Bagas |
| 19 | James Francis Burke | Francis Leo, Jr. & Debra Ann Tibnam |
| 19 | John William Canwell, II | John William & Carole Marie Monaghan |
| 20 | James Joseph Trenholm | Robert Edward & Beverly Ann Langtry |
| 28 | Matthew Damon Averill | Eric William & Sylvia Gail Dates |
| October | | |
| 9 | Stacey Lynne Corr | Brian Ervin & Patricia Gail Paulding |
| 12 | Stacey Lissa Lindskog | John Harold & Suzanne Pray Crowell |
| 15 | Sarah Jane Jones | Ralph Edmond, Jr. & Norma Jane Schmitz |
| 19 | Carlene Anne Johnson | Robert Ernest & Ruth Carolyn Carlson |
| 24 | Christine Mary Calabrese | Raymond Louis & Barbara Joan Hampton |
| 28 | Melinda Irene Spencer | William Edward, Jr. & Jeannette Eva Lesueur |
| November | | |
| 6 | Sean Aaron Hartter | Thomas Louise & Sandra Ellen Easton |
| 9 | Liza Marie Korber | Michael Bruce & Susan Marie Fitch |
| 11 | Sheryl Jean Carbone | John Louis & Patricia Anne Bourque |
| 12 | Brandy Lynn Donna Leverone | Ronald Stephen & Geraldine Ruth Lainey |
| 12 | Kurt Michael Amber | Robert Sylvester & Sandra Jean Grogan |
| 18 | Kevin Michael Rohnstrom | Alfred Ellis & Kathleen Ann Apjohn |
| 19 | Holly Nicole Eichorn | Joseph Francis & Margaret Genevieve Ford |
| 19 | Laurie Jean Kulda | Arthur Charles & Irene Cecelia Dennehy |

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| 22 | Timothy James Sullivan | Richard Horton & Maureen Rose Johnson |
| 26 | Timothy Arthur McCann | Thomas Arthur & Meredith Diane Hallin |
| December | | |
| 5 | Jennifer Lyn Lannon | George William & Sandra Jean Piasecki |
| 6 | Michelle Christine Tibbetts | Paul Jeffrey & Diane Louise Tirrell |
| 12 | Christopher Royal Snell, Jr. | Christopher Royal & Joyce Carol Thayer |
| 21 | Jennifer Lee Doherty | Mark George & Susan Lee Nye |
| 27 | Jane Elizabeth Douglas | Robert Blaine & Martha Jean Boyette |

Deaths Recorded in West Bridgewater - 1973

| Date | Name | Y | M | D | Cause |
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| January | | | | | |
| 13 | Antonio Chaves | 71 | 10 | 16 | Cerebral Vascular Thrombosis |
| 15 | Eileen Frances (Barros) Bishop | 59 | - | 11 | Pulmonary Embphysema |
| 15 | Richard Emanuel Hanson | 72 | 9 | 25 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| 20 | Richard E. Oswell | 46 | 1 | 0 | Brain damage-cranial trauma-accident |
| 23 | Elsie (Cogswell) Hagglund | 73 | 0 | 19 | Lymphoma, Disseminated |
| 31 | Peter Cogswell | 29 | 7 | 17 | Compound depressed fracture of skull |
| February | | | | | |
| 4 | L. Louis D'Arpino | 57 | - | - | Acute dissenting thoracic |
| 6 | Elizabeth (Bismore) Plotner | 57 | 0 | 17 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| 20 | Stephen John Tracy | | | 3 | Respiratory and cardiac arrest |
| 23 | Walter T. O'Hare | 50 | - | - | Fractured skull & internal injuries |
| 26 | David George (Kalil) | 90 | 1 | 6 | Arteriolar nephrosclerosis |
| March | | | | | |
| 11 | Marjorie Dean (Baker) Gillespie | 82 | 7 | 21 | Reticulum Cell Sarcoma |
| 19 | Lynne Gage | | 9 | 11 | Cardiac Arrest |
| 27 | James George Halbig | 41 | 9 | 7 | Broncho pneumonia |
| April | | | | | |
| 9 | Mary Pauline (Fidler) Howard | 87 | 10 | 24 | Tumor-bowel |
| 24 | William W. Noyes, Sr. | 79 | 8 | 28 | Acute myocardial infarction |
| 29 | Gertrude S. (Hefler) Anderson | 83 | - | 15 | Myocardial infarction |
| May | | | | | |
| 13 | Marion M. Sullivan (Mahoney) | 75 | 3 | 11 | Cirrhosis of liver |
| 14 | Steven E. Southworth | 70 | 8 | 13 | Acute myocardial infarction |
| 17 | Myrtle W. (Leighton) Holmquist | 82 | 11 | 18 | Acute Coronary Thrombosis |

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| 20 | Gertrude Hodgson (Lancaster) | 84 | 4 | 22 | Breast Carcinoma |
| 22 | Pasquale Tosches | 59 | - | - | Heart Disease |
| 28 | Lucy W. Brown (Revere) | 80 | 2 | 10 | Cerebral Thrombosis |
| June | | | | | |
| 3 | Doris Griffin (White) | 29 | | | Multiple injuries |
| 8 | Barbara Smith (Horton) | 61 | 2 | 15 | Cerebral Hemorrhage |
| 10 | Joseph C. Piver | 65 | 6 | 1 | Cardiac Failure |
| 15 | Clare Everett Parker | 75 | 7 | 0 | Congestive heart failure |
| July | | | | | |
| 1 | Bessie Mae (Daniels) Roarty | 86 | 9 | 5 | Acute myocardial infarction |
| 11 | Mabel A. Edson (Ashley) | 82 | 11 | 30 | Hemorrhage of brain |
| 11 | Mary Mello (Perry) | 79 | 11 | 8 | Hemorrhage of brain |
| 29 | Arthur F. Thayer, Sr. | 77 | 7 | 15 | Hypemphroma of kidney |
| 29 | Frank D. Enos | 75 | 5 | 6 | Broncho pneumonia |
| 31 | John P. Nolan | 46 | 11 | | Pulmonary Artery thrombosis massive |
| August | | | | | |
| 10 | Judith G. Whitman (Johnson) | 35 | - | 7 | Metastatic breast cancer |
| 11 | Geroge Lorrain | 39 | 5 | 5 | Acute myocardial infarction |
| 12 | Jennie M. Hallgren | 84 | 5 | 15 | Broncho pneumonia |
| 24 | Edna F. Smith (Hayward) | 67 | 6 | 20 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| 25 | John M. Pistone | 54 | 8 | 22 | Metastatic pancreas |
| 28 | Frank J. Sweeney | 50 | 1 | 5 | Bleeding due to ruptured esophageal varices |
| 31 | Annie (Connolly) Madden | 79 | 3 | 7 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| September | | | | | |
| 6 | Harold H. Gokey | 71 | 11 | 30 | Hemorrhage of brain |
| 14 | Agnes T. (Johnson) Hetherston | 90 | 8 | 17 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| October | | | | | |
| 4 | Lloyd W. Sears | 76 | 11 | 10 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| 9 | Walter C. Dunbar | 82 | 6 | 18 | Acute Myocardial Infarction |
| 18 | John N. Cogswell | 45 | 5 | 16 | Massive burns of entire body |

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| November | | | | | |
| 18 | Julia Lopes (Burgess) | 69 | 3 | 3 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease |
| 19 | Arthur Ruggles Brooks | 56 | 8 | 26 | Acute Myocardial Infarction |
| 19 | Frederick Thomas Keylor | 63 | 7 | 22 | Cerebro Vascular Accident |
| December | | | | | |
| 13 | Memi (AKA May) E.C. (Nelson) Spellacy | 74 | 11 | 2 | Acute Pulmonary Embolism |

Marriages Recorded in 1973

January

- 6 Joseph M. Landreville, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Susan E. Woodward of Hanover at Bridgewater.
- 8 Fred James Cavallaro of West Bridgewater and Joyce Eva Perry of Brockton at Brockton.
- 14 Christopher J. Kone of Salem and Christine L. Anderson of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 21 Ernest Martin Kroese of East Bridgewater and Irene Tzvetinovitch of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 27 Jon Richard Little of Brockton and Deborah Jean Tosetti of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 27 Richard E. Livie of West Bridgewater and Diane Sofka of West Bridgewater at Brockton.

February

- 4 James L. Brown of West Bridgewater and Amelia Ray Hall (Perkins) of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 10 Allen Scot Pensinger of West Bridgewater and Laura Anne Calitri of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 14 Robert F. Downs of West Bridgewater and Mary M. Laffey (Pfeil) of West Bridgewater at Sharon.

March

- 3 Donald J. Pimental of Raynham and Joanne N. Calef of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 17 Richard Emerson Swan of West Bridgewater and Cindy Louise (Church) Batchelder of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

April

- 8 Kenneth F. Vinton of West Bridgewater and Carolyn Louise Washburn of Brockton at Brockton.
- 14 Edward McCarthy of Brockton and Joyce Verdone of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 21 Martin B. Packard of West Bridgewater and Deborah C. Irving of Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 29 Edward A. Amaral of West Bridgewater and Rosella L. (Begnoche) McBride of Johnston, R.I. at West Bridgewater.

May

- 5 John Edward Dearing of Brockton and Nancy Hill of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 9 Wilfred T. Brusseau of Brockton and Lorine E. Wilbur of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 18 Kenneth C. Murch of West Bridgewater and Rita Leroux of West Bridgewater at Scituate.
- 19 Arthur George Barros of West Bridgewater and Peggy Ann Smart of Brockton at East Bridgewater.

- 27 Frederick a Baker, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Maria Louise D'Arpino of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- June
- 3 John Henry Soderbom II of Bridgewater and Terri-Ann Couite of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 9 Wayne E. Lewis of West Bridgewater and Barbara E. Folsom of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 9 William Ray Warren, Jr. of Groton, Mass. and Teresa Marie McCann of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 9 Paul D. Ayers of West Bridgewater and Christine A. Steptoe of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Allen E. Smith of West Bridgewater and Debra Burnell of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
- 16 John James Turner, Jr. of Taunton and Roberta Pauline Ginn of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 16 Robert Paul Romaniecki of Waltham and Carol Anne Sederberg of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 16 Gregory W. Browne of West Bridgewater and Karen Jean Eberhart of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 17 Robert L. Fischer of West Bridgewater and Arlene G. (Murphy) Dufault of West Bridgewater at South Easton.
- 23 Steven E. Vallancourt of East Bridgewater and Carol A. Gilchrist of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 25 Peter Charles Lindberg of Bourne and Joyce Marie Ryan of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 25 Cornelius O'Connor of West Bridgewater and Janice V. Duquette of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 29 Edward F. Neary of Easton and Rhonda L. Burke of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 30 Robert Lee Deaton of West Bridgewater and Linda Louise (Hamilton) Valle of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 30 Walter David Crowley of Tucson, Arizona and Marion Smith MacDonald (Bryant) of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- July
- 1 Charles Paul Waterman of Middleboro and Eleanor Francis (Lewis) Johnson of West Bridgewater at Middleboro.
- 7 William E. Coyle III of Lincoln, R.I. and Mary Louise Mahoney of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 7 John R. Ferron of West Bridgewater and Lorraine Ulrich of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 10 Roger Keith Jackson of Brockton and Jeanne Louise Moriscano of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Robert K. Hill of West Bridgewater and Dolores Souza of West Bridgewater at Lynnfield.
- 14 Bruce J. Blanchard of West Bridgewater and Joyce A. Smith of Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Richard Lee Holmgren of West Bridgewater and Patricia Elaine O'Connell of Foxborough at Foxborough.

- 21 Clifford B. Starr of Canton and Carol Sinkevich of West Bridgewater at South Easton.
- 27 Kevin Clifford Snelgrove of West Bridgewater and Patricia Lynn Wright of Norfolk at Raynham.
- 28 Frank J. Murphy of Plymouth and Ellen L. (Brown) Murphy of West Bridgewater at Middleboro.
- 28 Jonathan M. Vaslet of East Bridgewater and Jo-Ann P. Crowley of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

August

- 4 Darrel Scott Brood of Rudyard, Michigan and Kathleen Alice Brock of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 4 James Brian Mulhall of White Plains, N.Y. and Diane Lee DeVine of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 5 Thomas F. Leckstrom of West Palm Beach Florida and Nancy J. Earle of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 11 Frank A. Homer III of West Bridgewater and Nancy M. Perkins of Brockton at Brockton.
- 11 George Anthony Eveline, Jr. of Brockton and Wanda Jean Weatherby of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 18 John Sheldon Haskins, Jr. of Lakewille and Barbara Ann Hayward of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 18 Douglas A. Cross of West Bridgewater and Deborah L. Pickens of Moberly, Missouri at Bourne.
- 19 John H. Weichel of Bridgewater and Linda M. Macuch of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 21 Donald Louis Dastous of Wareham and Nancy Ann Thomas of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 23 William Jordan Orr of West Bridgewater and Rita Ann (Conley) Flynn of East Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 25 Christopher R. Gillis of West Bridgewater and Deborah J. Britton of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 25 Joseph O. Lourenco of Fall River and Judith H. Boyd of West Bridgewater at W. Bridgewater.

September

- 1 Daniel Christopher O'Brien of West Bridgewater and Sandra Lee Nelson of Annapolis, Maryland at West Bridgewater.
- 1 John Paul McCaffrey of West Bridgewater and Susan Jean Bowman of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 2 Bruce Armand Lincoln of Brockton and Donna Marie Dentch of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 7 Donald Wayne Baker of West Bridgewater and Patricia Fay Lisenby of South Easton at East Bridgewater.
- 8 Geroge Dean Carpenter Jr. of Chelmsford and Darlene Cheryl Winnett of Whitman at West Bridgewater.
- 9 Herbert William Hatch Jr. of Brockton and Jane Alice Cassidy of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 12 Michael Connolly of East Bridgewater and Kendra Lee Cogswell of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.

- 14 James J. Mahoney Jr. of West Bridgewater and Patricia A. Souza (Dadmun) of West Bridgewater at Scituate
- 15 John Francis Raftery of Whitman and Susan Ann DeStefano of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 15 Stafford E. Cumberledge of Carrollton, Ohio and Linda L. Monsini of West Bridgewater at Easton.
- 15 Walter C. Albaugh of Brockton and Beverly A. Horton of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 16 David W. Cyr of Brockton and Susan E. Andrukonis of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 21 John Kenneth Ramoska of Brockton and Lorraine Ann Murphy of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 22 William A. Goucher of West Bridgewater and Jeanette F. Poirier of Brockton at Brockton.
- 23 Paul W. Lutton of Brockton and Paula L. Nelson of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 29 John Raymond Mandeville of Brockton and Susan Jane Walker of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

October

- 6 Albert G. Calef Jr. of West Bridgewater and Susan Bumpus of Framingham at Framingham.
- 6 David Adrian Carlson of West Bridgewater and Elizabeth Jean Baker of East Weymouth at West Bridgewater.
- 6 Brian Carlton Churchill Sr. of Brockton and Joanne (Howard) Ostiguy of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 13 James P. Tattrie of West Bridgewater and Virginia M. Lewis of North Easton at East Bridgewater.
- 16 John Edward Masefield of Brockton and Virginia Claire Bennett (Allen) of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 26 John Peter Murphy of West Bridgewater and Kathleen Frances Dwyer of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 27 Ronald A. Crealese of West Bridgewater and Verna E. Carlson of Brockton at Brockton.

November

- 3 W. Kevin Johnson of West Bridgewater and Karolyn L. Asack of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 17 Donald Howard Anderson of West Bridgewater and Karen Lucille Duquette of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 17 James R. Tsika of West Bridgewater and Ann M. Sullivan of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 17 James Cotter Crowley of West Bridgewater and Denise Dorothy Duquette of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 25 Mark Doherty of Brockton and Susan Nye of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 30 William Elwood Vodden of Brockton and Joan Edna (Dearing) Deming of Brockton at West Bridgewater.

December

- 8 Barry Edward Dufault of West Bridgewater and Meredith Jeanne (Brown) Mandeville of South Easton at East Bridgewater.
- 22 Joseph Gaultier of Easton and Alice Ruth Morgan of Easton at West Bridgewater.
- 29 Roger Leon Willis of West Bridgewater and Susan Lee French of Brockton at Holbrook.
- 30 Matthew A. Chauncey of West Bridgewater and Diane M. MacKenzie of Abington at East Bridgewater.

1972 DOG LICENSES ISSUED in 1973

| | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---------|----------|
| Male | 4 | @ | \$ 3.00 | \$ 12.00 |
| Spayed Female | 2 | @ | 3.00 | 6.00 |
| | | | | \$ 18.00 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 6 | @ | .35 | 2.10 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | | \$ 15.90 |

DOG LICENSES ISSUED in 1973

| | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|---|---------|------------|
| Male | 532 | @ | \$ 3.00 | \$1,596.00 |
| Female | 143 | @ | 6.00 | 858.00 |
| Spayed Female | 361 | @ | 3.00 | 1,083.00 |
| Kennels | 18 | @ | 10.00 | 180.00 |
| Kennels | 3 | @ | 25.00 | 75.00 |
| Kennels | 1 | @ | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| | 1,058 | | | \$3,842.00 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 1,058 | @ | .35 | \$ 370.30 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | | \$3,471.70 |

FISH and GAME LICENSES ISSUED in 1973

| | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----|---|---------|------------|
| Res. Citizen Fishing Lic. | 347 | @ | \$ 8.25 | \$2,862.75 |
| Res. Citizen Hunting Lic. | 161 | @ | 8.25 | 1,328.25 |
| Res. Citizen Sporting Lic. | 172 | @ | 13.25 | 2,322.00 |
| Res. Citizen Minor Fishing Lic. | 43 | @ | 6.25 | 268.75 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping | 8 | @ | 11.50 | 92.00 |
| Non-Res. Citizen 7 Day | 2 | @ | 8.25 | 16.50 |
| Non-Res. Citizen Alien Fishing | 4 | @ | 14.25 | 57.00 |
| Res. Alien Fishing | 3 | @ | 11.25 | 33.75 |
| | 740 | | | \$6,981.00 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 740 | @ | .25 | 185.00 |
| | | | | \$6,796.00 |
| Duplicates | 2 | @ | 1.00 | 2.00 |
| Archery Deer Stamps | 3 | @ | 5.10 | 15.30 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 3 | @ | .10 | .30 |
| | | | | 15.00 |

Number Issued and Amount Paid
to Division of Fisheries
and Game

748

\$6,813.00

Free Licenses

Res. Citizen Sporting Lic.
(Over 70)

27

Res. Citizen Fishing—Paraplegic
or Blind

1

Res. Citizen Hunting—Paraplegic

1

Miscellaneous Receipts - 1973

| | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------|---|---------|-----------|
| Appeals | 30 | @ | \$25.00 | \$ 750.00 |
| Building Codes | 82 | @ | 1.00 | 82.00 |
| Maps | 41 | @ | .25 | 10.25 |
| Zoning Maps | 44 | @ | 1.50 | 66.00 |
| Photocopies | 21 | @ | .50 | 10.50 |
| Photocopies | 34 | @ | 1.00 | 34.00 |
| Street Lists | 21 | @ | 2.00 | 42.00 |
| Street Lists | 7 | @ | 1.00 | 7.24 |
| Raffle & Bazaar Permits | 5 | @ | 10.00 | 50.00 |
| Pole Petitions for 1973 | | | | 52.25 |
| Gas Renewals | 33 | @ | 1.00 | 33.00 |
| No Trespass Signs | 31 | @ | .20 | 6.20 |
| No Trespass Signs | 60 | @ | .25 | 15.00 |
| Subdivision Regulations | 7 | @ | .50 | 3.50 |
| Uniform Commercial Codes | 110 | @ | 5.00 | 550.00 |
| Termination Uniform Com. Code | 16 | @ | 2.00 | 32.00 |
| Certified Copies Births, | | | | |
| Deaths & Marriages | 184 | @ | 1.00 | 184.00 |
| Copies Births | 71 | @ | .50 | 35.50 |
| Marriage Certificates | 26 | @ | 2.00 | 52.00 |
| Marriage Certificates | 59 | @ | 4.00 | 236.00 |
| Business Certificates | 21 | @ | 1.00 | 21.00 |
| I.D. Liquor Cards | 8 | @ | 2.00 | 16.00 |
| I.D. Liquor Cards | 25 | @ | .50 | 12.50 |
| Dump Stickers | 143 | @ | .50 | 71.50 |
| Dog Licenses Fees | 1064 | @ | .35 | 372.40 |
| Fish & Game Fees | 740 | @ | .25 | 185.00 |
| Trust Recording | 1 | @ | 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Building Permits | 161 | | | 9,236.50 |
| Sewage Permits | 25 | @ | 5.00 | 125.00 |
| Sewage Permits | 36 | @ | 15.00 | 540.00 |
| Sewage Permits | 2 | @ | 25.00 | 50.00 |
| Electrical Permits | 152 | | | 937.50 |

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|-------------------|----|-------------|
| Plumbing Permits | 87 | 656.00 |
| Gas Permits | 55 | 362.00 |
| Sign Permits | 11 | 410.67 |
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| Paid to Treasurer | | \$15,252.51 |

Respectfully submitted

Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

List of Jurors

TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER

1973 - 1974

| Name | Residence | Business or Occupation & Address of Employer or Business |
|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| Almqvist, Kenneth O. | 35 South St. | Outside Plant Manager, New England Telephone Co., 1043 Pearl St., Brockton |
| Almqvist, Shirley Baker, Elwyn W. | 35 South St. 272 Crescent St. 142 Bedford St. | Housewife, Husband Outside Plant Manager., Telephone Co., Brockton Disabled, Laborer, Highway Dept., W. Bridgewater Jr. Civil Engineer, Comm. of Mass., DPW 100 Nashua St., Boston |
| Ballard, Thomas J. Jr. | 7 Keenan St. | Sales Rep., Hatch Assoc's., 1232D Highland Ave., Needham, Mass. |
| Benecchi, Donald J. | 1 Brewster Rd. | Pts. Warehouse Mgr., Nissen Motor Corp., Mansfield, Massachusetts |
| Bettencourt, Bruce G. | 475 W. Center St. | Food Buyer, Brockton Public Market, Laurel St., E. Bridgewater |
| Bowman, Robert W. | 10 Aldrich Rd. | Truck Driver, Phoenix Spring Bev. Co., 135 Elliot St., Brockton |
| Boyd, Francis J. | 482 North Elm St. | Accounting systems and procedures analyst, State Street Bank & Trust Co., 225 Franklin St., Boston |
| Brown, William R. Jr. | | |
| Calitri, Doris C. | 17 Central Square | Housewife, Husband, Doctor, W. Bridgewater |
| Cheyunski, Adolph J. | 775 W. Center St. | Service Station Attendant, Peter Diman, 575 W. Center St., W. Bridgewater |
| DiCorpo, Louis A. | 137 Bryant St. | Vice President, Brookfield Eng. Labs Inc., 240 Cushing St., Stoughton |
| Eng, James | 28 Milebrook Rd. | Research Electronic Technician, AF Cambridge Research Lab., Bedford, Mass. |
| Ensher, Charles | 700 West Center St. | Market Gardner, Self-employed, West Bridgewater |
| Erbeck, A. Philip | 75 Bryant St. | Owner and Operator Homestead Dairy, Bryant St., W. Bridgewater |
| Halliday, William E. | 10 Brewster Rd. | Salesman & Service, Halliday Hospital Sup. Inc., Chestnut St., Needham |
| Higgins, Lorraine | 79 River St. | Housewife, Husband, Wholesale route salesman, H.P. Hood Co., East Bridgewater |
| Holmgren, Dorothy A. | 326 Spring St. | Cafeteria worker, W.B. High School, W. Bridgewater |
| Johnson, Charles H. | 19 Lincoln St. | Systems Operator, Boston Edison Co., Boston, Mass. |
| Kellie, Robert L. | 13 Purchase St. | Telephone Inst., Foreman, N.E.T. Co., 99 High St., Boston, Mass. |
| Kemp, Gladys E. | 180 East St. | Housewife, Husband, Pres. Kemp Trans. & Storage, Inc., W. Bridgewater |
| Kent, John J. | 161 South Main St. | Shipper-Component Mfg. Co., West Bridgewater |
| Knox, George A. | 74 Belmont St. | Postoffice Clerk, Brockton Post Office, Brockton, Mass. |

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|------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Lepine, Eva Mary | 67 Pinecrest Rd. | Homenaker, Husband, Senior Correction Officer, Mass. Corr. Inst., Bridgewater |
| Mather, Myron W. | 88 Bedford St. | Custodian, Public Schools, W. Bridgewater |
| Mazza, Matthew | 154 Matfield St. | Mgr., Beneficial Finance Co., 190 Main St., Brockton, Mass. |
| McCann, William J. | 137 Bedford St. | Rate & Traffic Clerk, Tim G.D.C., 235 Wood Rd., Braintree |
| McMahon, Paul F. | 260 Crescent St. | Mgr. of Tech. Ass't, IBM Corp., 235 Wyman St. Waltham, Mass. |
| Perry, Ruth A. | 108 Ash St. | Ass't. Mgr. Shoe Dept., Almy's, 195 Main St., Brockton, Mass. |
| Ponte, John B. | 5 Arch St. | Lead Operations Agt., United Air Lines, Inc., Logan Airport, Boston, Mass. |
| Pratt, Carlton D. | 148 Bedford St. | System Service Rep., Computers & Control Systems, Foxboro Co., Rt. 1, Walpole, Mass. |
| Rolfe, Joan M. | 153 Bryant St. | Service Ass't. N.E.T. & T. Co., 65 Crescent St., Brockton |
| Rolfe, William C. | 77 Belmont St. | Foreman, Central Office, Switching Systems, New England Tel. 33 Court St., Plymouth, Mass. |
| Sigren, Fred S. | 75 East St. | Truck Driver, Nabisco Co., Inc., 1041 Pearl St., Brockton, Mass. |
| Sillars, Joan P. | 91 Pleasant St. | Housewife, Husband, State Police Dis., Comm. of Mass., Middleboro, Mass. |
| Swann, Richard E. | 145 Bryant St. | Vice-President & Senior Admin. Officer, First County Nat. Bank, 90 Main St., Brockton, Mass. |
| Tessier, Gordon F. | 16 Milebrook Rd. | Supt., Montello Heel Mfg. Inc., 13 Emerson Ave., Brockton, Mass. |
| Tsika, Henry A. | 1 Leo Park Dr. | Insurance Agt., John Hancock, Brockton, Mass. |
| Tuck, Philip C. | 192 Spring St. | District Underwriting manager, American Mutual Insurance Co., 470 Atlantic St., Boston, Mass. |
| Turner, Kenneth A. | 88 Columbus Ave. | Treasurer & Stockholder, Turner Steel Co., Inc., 128 N. Main St., W. B. |
| Turner, William E. Jr. | 134 Bedford St. | Vice-Pres. & Owner, Turner Steel Co., Inc., 128 N. Main St., W. Bridgewater |
| Zamaitis, Elizabeth | 18 Central Square | Clerk, Tax Collector's Office, Town of W. Bridgewater, W. Bridgewater |

JURORS DRAWN IN 1973

| | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Bruce G. Bettencourt | Joan P. Sillars | Felony Session |
| William E. Halliday | Henry A. Tsika | Criminal Session |
| Robert L. Kellie | Philip C. Tuck | Civil Session |
| Myron W. Mather | William J. Turner | Civil Session |
| Fred S. Sigren | | |

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

In addition to the regular meetings, special sessions were held due to the continuing increase in the work load. Field trips were undertaken because of numerous complaints from residents on soil removal. One in particular involved the hauling of "borrow" by the contractor for the utility company to local businesses and individuals instead of town property. We were concerned with the grading at the area where Drury Hall once stood as the contractor who had demolished Drury Hall had left the grounds full of debris which made it virtually impossible for the custodian to mow the area. The Board obtained an agreement from the demolition contractor that he would remove the debris and level the fill which would be trucked in by the contractor of the utility company. However, the "borrow" which was deposited at the site contained blocks of asphalt, rocks, empty cans and other debris which prevented the demolition contractor from spreading the fill. The Board has received assurances that the utility company contractor will correct the situation on the premises as soon as conditions permit. A classic example of problems which the Board had to contend with during the year.

Chapter #90 construction work on East Center Street was accomplished under the capable supervision of Highway Superintendent, Irving G. Sylvester and members of his department. In a follow-through of the excellent example set by previous Boards, the ever-continuing vigil to maintain the fine roads of West Bridgewater will be reflected by reconstructing Matfield St. from East St. to N. Main St. in 1975. The condemned East St. bridge was rebuilt by the D.P.W. after a long and inconvenient delay to the residents of that area.

The popular Crossroads Ice Arena, which is operated by Mr. Ralph Torchio and his son, Michael, had the distinction of becoming the first business venture to be built on the new addition of Manley Street which is zoned solely industrial and commercial. Foxmoor Apparel, Heritage Aluminum and A & P Alloys are three other firms which are now locating in town.

Construction of a sidewalk on Crescent Street is closer to reality with completion of the survey phase. Drainage continues to present a problem. Elevation profile surveys of 7600 and 3400 linear feet were made on East and Matfield Streets respectively. Drainage construction will proceed along Matfield Street in 1974.

The Board initiated complaint action concerning the overloading of trucks long before the fatal accident at the Mystic River Bridge. Resolutions were placed before the meetings of the Plymouth County Selectmen's Association and the Annual Massachusetts Selectmen's Association meeting at Hyannis. These resolutions were unanimously passed as presented.

Our excellent Police and Fire Departments once again show an increase in their budgets due to a continuing growth of homes, industry and the cost of living.

The overall economic picture in West Bridgewater at this time is very encouraging even with the spectre of an energy crisis facing us. Residential and industrial growth is proceeding at a controlled and healthy pace, due to the efforts of the Planning Board, Industrial Development Commission, Tax Assessors and the Water Commissioners. Even

though the town was compelled to borrow slightly more than usual due to the failure of the state to pay certain amounts owed to the town, we may not have to borrow for the first six months. This was a year which ushered in the revenue checks and proceeds from "The Game" which helped bolster our economy.

The Board would like to express its appreciation to personnel of all departments for their efforts in helping us to maintain West Bridgewater as one of the finest towns in the country.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Manugian, Chairman
Marjorie E. MacDonald
Richard E. Krugger
Board of Selectmen

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

During 1973 the Commission felt the impact of the first full year of enforcement of Chapter 131, Section 40, Wetlands Protection Act, formerly known as the Hatch Act. On October 16, 1973, legislation became effective which transferred enforcement from the Massachusetts Department of Natural Resources to the various local Conservation Commissions. Six public hearings were held on Intents (applications) for permission to fill wetlands on land subject to flooding which resulted in the following dispositions:

1. Evelyn Amerigian (Hockomock Farms) permission granted to fill wetlands to the rear of Hockomock Farms store.
2. J. P. Noonan Trustee, Linden Realty Trust (Noonan Trucking) ordered to remove fill placed in wetland adjacent to the Hockomock River and construct an earthen berm to abate polluted runoff.
3. Consolidated Freightways, permission granted to fill a small water hole on Turnpike Street.
4. Nicholas Canzano — application to fill wetland on Ash Street withdrawn after hearing.
5. Mass. Department of Public Works — permission to fill wetlands adjacent to Route 24 incidental to a widening project with conditions.
6. Norman Estabrooks — permission granted to fill wetlands next to Windy Ridge Restaurant.

It is well to note that the Intent filed by the Mass. Department of Public Works is a classic example of why a Wetlands Protective Act is necessary. The plans were lacking in engineering data as respects the filling of wetlands and discharges from storm drains. The plans did not consider the town well-field adjacent to Route 24 (the DPW didn't know it was there). As a result of the DPW filing an Intent with the Commission, it was possible to correct some of these omissions. In this matter we hired C. A. Pickering Associates who very satisfactorily provided us with necessary engineering data and recommendations.

Twenty-two investigations were made by the Commission regarding various wetland filling projects. As a result, nine formal cease and desist orders were issued and served and three warning letters issued. In ten situations no violations were found to exist. One investigation was also made of possible water pollution from a piggery and the matter referred to the Board of Health.

Due to the many inquiries during the year from townspeople as to why we were allowing wetlands to be filled at the fire-police station, that situation will be clarified. On June 11, 1973 we met with the Board of Selectmen and requested that no further filling be done there until a public hearing could be held and a permit issued if deemed advisable as the Town is not exempt from the Wetlands Protection Act. They agreed and on August 2, 1973 we met with Chief Gibson, Highway Supt. Irving Sylvester and Selectman Marjorie E. MacDonald and unanimously agreed to prohibit any further filling in the rear of the fire-police station until the proper steps are taken to obtain a permit. By a majority, the Commissioners agreed that filling could take place on the easterly side of the station, parallel to Route 106, as far east as the brook and as far back as the rear line of the station without a permit. It was also unanimously agreed the "dressing up" of the banks of the two skating rinks would not require a permit.

Land acquisition took a back seat due to the time consuming duties of Wetlands Protective Act enforcement and administration. However, one very significant purchase was realized when the Commission acquired about 80% of the Mill Pond including the north and south shorelines. The eastern and western ends remain in private ownership. It is significant in three ways because it is the only pond in West Bridgewater excepting the artificial lake in the West Meadow Wildlife Area. This ten acres of land and water ties into the conservation master plan in that it protects further the watershed area of West Meadow Brook of which the 43.30 acres in Flaggy Meadow is a part and further provides for absorbing run-off from the west side of Brockton which comes quicker and in greater volume each year due to the development and paving in that area. This little recognized problem has been growing each year and our only defense is to acquire the watershed of West Meadow Brook as a holding area or construct a major dam in the West Meadow Wildlife Area. Flaggy Meadow alone can hold millions of gallons of water.

Thirdly this area provides a greater buffer between the West Meadow Wildlife area and encroaching building activity. One more purchase will acquire another 10% of the Mill Pond and tie directly into the West Meadow Wildlife Area.

It is entirely untrue according to rumors that seem to have been generated to discredit the acquisition that the land was purchased without access. Legal Counsel retained by the Commission determined that the town has right of access by an old Common law principle known as "right of way by necessity" which is backed up by ample legal precedent. The problem lies wherein agreement with the former owner must be reached as to just where on his property the right of way will be located back to the pond. Counsel for the Commission is working on this aspect. A majority of the Commissioners felt the pond should be acquired with or without a right of way as the important thing was to acquire it. The Mill Pond isn't for sale every day! There are also two additional potential access points which the Commission is attempting to acquire.

As a long range project and incidental to acquiring most of the Mill Pond the Commission is embarking upon a program to introduce herring (alewives) into the Mill

Pond and eventually the lake in the West Meadow Wildlife Area. To this end the Commission has requested that the Board of Selectmen petition the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries to assume local control of the herring run or fish ladder at the Arch Street dam. If granted it will enable the Selectmen to promulgate rules, regulating the taking of herring and use of the run and give the town the power to see that the run will be properly maintained. It is now under state control.

Some improvements in West Meadow Brook at the eastern end of the Mill Pond, possibly the construction of a fish ladder, will also be necessary as well as a fish ladder into the lake at West Meadow. However, with possible assistance from the Division of Marine Fisheries and Ford Foundation, hopefully the project can be completed within five years. The economic value of this project is practically nil at this time and we doubt that many people can get terribly excited about the idea. But in an age where the value of just about everything is measured in dollars and cents, we think this will add something to the quality of life in West Bridgewater. There are not many youngsters in this country that get the opportunity to visit a fish run with a parent or teacher and have explained to them the marvels and mysteries of the annual migration and spawning of certain fishes. It will also improve the fishing in the lake at West Meadow whereby the young offspring of the herring will provide food for the gamefish in the lake.

During the winter of 1973 about 75% of the grove of white pine in Woodcock Chase Conservation Area was thinned by a timber stand improvement contractor from Acushnet. Eighteen ton of pulp logs were sent to the Bird & Sons mill in East Providence, Rhode Island. The logs were traded to the contractor in return for his labor in doing the thinning work so that no monies changed hands. It had taken two years to find a contractor who would handle a job this small. Mr. John Richardson, a graduate of Stockbridge School of Forestry, marked the crowded and malformed trees to be cut.

During the summer of 1973 we were fortunate to have a young man from the EEA program and two West Bridgewater students under the Neighborhood Youth Corp. work for the Commission. They pruned about 90% of the remaining white pine trees in Woodcock Chase up to a height of twenty feet to insure good quality timber in years to come. During the winter of 1973, the slash and limbs from the cutting and pruning will be chipped by a tree service and the remaining thinning and pruning done after that. Aside from the demonstration wood lot being developed in the white pine grove, the remainder of the area is to be left in its natural state for the benefit of wildlife.

The Ford Foundation gave the Commission a grant of \$750.00 to improve the area around Solitude Stone, identify it with a sign, and to survey and bound the plot of land that it is on. C. A. Pickering Associates has about completed the survey and a sign identifying the rock and briefly describing its history has been erected as well as the brush being cleared from the area. All of this was accomplished through the efforts of Irving Sylvester and some of his highway men, Chairman Philip Tuck, David Johnson, son of Audrey Johnson, and Emil Lawson's truck.

Twelve regular meetings were held and in September, 1973, were changed from the second Thursday of each month at 8:00 p.m. to the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. All meetings are held in the first floor conference room, Town Hall. In addition, eight special meetings were held and four meetings attended out of town. Members also took seven field trips to inspect various sites during the year.

Looking toward 1974 the Commission hopes to apply again to the Ford Foundation for monies to develop a small area on the Town River for the launching of canoes and small motorless boats including a small parking area. Hopefully, the remaining thinning and clean up will be finished in Woodcock Chase Conservation Area and a start can be made for thinning and pruning the pine grove along the Town River in the Stockade Hill Conservation area on Forest Street as well as having the area surveyed. A picnic table will be placed at the Solitude Stone. An attempt will be made also to purchase a narrow strip of land for the construction of a fish ladder into the Mill Pond.

There will be one article sponsored by the Conservation Commission before the 1974 Town Meeting. The article will propose the swap of land between the Town and the Samoset Rod and Gun Club largely the result of the efforts of Commissioner Emil Lawson and members of the Club. The Town would trade the old school house on Matfield Street on .64 acre of land for a lot of land on Old Stoney Road which is 4.58 acres in area. Again, we think the arrangement will be of benefit to the Town as well as the club. The Town has no use for the old school house and the Samoset Rod and Gun club has made several improvements to the building over the many years they have occupied it. The club has been a credit to the Town and we think it reasonable to present such a proposal.

Our thanks for their help and assistance during the year go to Town Clerk Anna Brown, Irving Sylvester and the Highway Department, Thomas MacQuinn and the Forestry and Park Departments, Chief of Police Ervin Lothrop, Atty. Willis A. Downs, Atty. Joseph Linehan, Atty. Edward Kirby, Charles Pickering, The Samoset Rod and Gun Club and the Board of Assessors.

COUNCIL ON AGING

To the Board of Selectmen:

The West Bridgewater Council on Aging increased its services to the elderly of the town during the past year with the introduction of a summer hot lunch program. Conducted at the First Congregational Unitarian Church, on a twice-weekly basis for an eight-week period, the program served 750 meals and provided 19 meals on wheels as well. The winter hot lunch program continued to be well attended, also being on a twice-weekly basis, under the direction of Emma Marzelli at the Rose L. MacDonald School. These luncheons were followed by entertainment programs which have proved of interest.

In order to provide varied services to our senior citizens, the Council arranged for the Brockton Homemakers Service to make available a Home-Health Aide for temporary maintenance care on Friday mornings.

The monthly health conferences conducted by the Bridgewater Visiting Nurses Association continued at the L. Louis D'Arpino Community Village. This year, the Council sponsored flu clinics which were offered free of charge to all citizens of 60 years of age and over. A total of 85 shots were administered at each of the two clinics which were staffed by Dr. Leeder and the Visiting Nurses Association.

Our senior citizens derived much pleasure from several bus trips which the Council sponsored. Trips were made to New Hampshire for fall foliage viewing, to Westminster, Mass. for lunch and sightseeing and to Randolph for a dinner and theater program.

During the year the Council kept informed of the latest programs for the elderly through its contact with the State Office of Elderly Affairs and its membership in the Southeast Regional Council on Aging.

The Council is grateful for the assistance of all officials and townspeople who contributed to the success of the various programs offered during the year. Through such combined efforts the town can provide for its elderly people the many services that answer their special needs and help to enrich their lives.

Respectfully submitted,

Lloyd A. Sears, Chairman
Susan D. Puffer, Vice-Chairman
Mary K. Linehan, Secretary
Lucille C. North, Treasurer
Virginia P. Antonangeli
Margaret N. Ryan
Dorothy D. Amerigian
Evelyn D. Thayer
Rev. Francis G. Goss

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is the report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures for the Town Report of 1973.

Tested and sealed.

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| Scales under 10 lbs. | 8 |
| Scales under 100 lbs. | 29 |
| Scales over 100 lbs. | 4 |
| Scales over 10,000 lbs. | 1 |
| Gasoline Pumps | 65 |
| Weights | 45 |
| Vehicle tanks | 2 |
| Yard sticks | 10 |
| Package reweighing | 142 |

I returned in fees to the Town \$241.50

Respectfully submitted,

Warren A. Turner
Sealer of Weights and Measures

FORESTRY and PARKS DEPT.

To the Residents of West Bridgewater:

Within the past year of 1973, the regular program of tree work, trimming, pruning, storm damage and removal of diseased and dangerous trees was carried on. The department removed a total of 117 trees and 42 stumps were cut below grade by a hired stump machine. During the Spring and Fall planting seasons, 96 trees of various species were planted and staked along the town roadsides.

Poison Ivy spraying was done wherever needed or requested and this is a continuing yearly program. Also, brush removal along town ways and fire lanes were completed.

All town trees were sprayed twice during the growing season and some private trees where requested. Three aerial applications by helicopter for mosquito control were completed and many requests for back yard spraying for cookouts were answered.

War Memorial Park, 13 town greens, 6 town cemeteries and Legion Memorial Field were regularly mowed and trimmed. During the holiday season, the department erected the decorations at Central and Elm Squares.

In closing, I wish to thank my employees for their dedication to their work and also thanks to the citizens, other departments and town officials for their fine cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Tree Warden

TRUSTEES of the PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Public Library submit their report to the residents of West Bridgewater.

Your library continues to struggle to maintain a strong foothold in our changing, expanding and at times untenable society. This past year we feel the library has made good progress in this struggle.

A reception was held in March to wish well our former librarian, Mrs. Dowd, and to welcome into the community our new librarian, Mr. Wilbur Parrott.

Mr. Parrott comes to his new position exceptionally well qualified. His educational background gives him a broad base to draw upon. His library Science education has made for a more orderly and efficient library. His classical background allows him to see the value of the traditional and gives him an insight into the selection of future acquisitions. He has a sense of history.

Mr. Parrott has given monthly reports to the Trustees which has provided a sequential record of the library's problems and activities.

A policy committee has been formed with Joseph Utka as chairman. As the library expands, new guidelines are needed. Job descriptions and salary scales are also being established.

The Trustees have assisted at the book sales, provided refreshments at programs, filled in at the desk in emergencies and have tried to give needed support to the library staff in varied areas.

We know that most people view a library as just a storehouse of information—quiet and rather dusty. This image is changing under the guidance of our friendly, enthusiastic librarian, Mr. Parrott. Our devoted staff, Mrs. David Raleigh, Miss Kathleen Fenstermaker, Mrs. Paul Alexander and our pages have done much to enhance our library and eradicate its traditional image. They are making our library a vital, living part of our community. The Trustees are most appreciative of their continued efforts.

Board Members:
Mrs. Ethel Fisher, Chairman
Mrs. Audrey Johnson, Treasurer
Mrs. Priscilla Grippen
Miss Edith Wolfsberg
Mr. Joseph Utka

Respectfully submitted,
Jessie M. Anderson
Secretary

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the West Bridgewater Public Library:

STATISTICS:

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| Circulation | 36,104 | |
| New Registrations | 874 | |
| Collection: | 35,560 | Books |
| | 233 | Sound Recordings |
| | 85 | Periodical Subscriptions |

This had been an exciting year for the West Bridgewater Public Library. We have registered more patrons during this year than in the past four years combined. Our circulation has climbed over 6,000 and this was in a year in which many libraries reported a decrease in circulation. We have added 3,482 books to our collection as well as many records.

We have added several new pieces of equipment—a 16 mm movie projector, much new shelving in both adult and juvenile section, a card file for registrations, an additional paperback rack, lounge furniture, a record browsing bin, and an additional magazine display stand.

We have begun several new programs. One of the most active of these has been our film programs. There are separate and regular film programs for first, second, and third grade students; fourth, fifth and sixth grade students; and at the elderly luncheons at the Roselle MacDonald School. During the summer there were family films on Monday evenings. The library has also loaned movies to several local organizations for their use.

Other new programs have included bi-monthly book delivery to the D'Arpino Housing for the elderly. This has been under the direction of Mrs. Dorothy Alexander. We have begun a series of slide and lecture programs of other countries and regions of the world. These have been very enthusiastically received. In the spring each of the first grade classes came to the library for an orientation program. We have added a specific section of books for business men. These include, hardback and paperback books, periodicals and pamphlets covering office services, business communication, data processing, typewriting, accounting principles and procedures, management, advertising, and public relations. We have become an active member of the Eastern Mass. Regional Library System Interlibrary Loan Program. We have filled 217 requests for information on specific titles, or subjects about which our library could not supply information. The Taunton Public library has been our major source, but we have regularly received books from the public libraries in Lowell, Worcester, New Bedford, Quincy, Boston and other cities.

To improve service within the library we have cleaned out what was a storage room upstairs. This has been divided into a work room and a small meeting room which houses our local history and rare book collections. We have made an extensive study of our periodical holdings and subscriptions. We have revamped our card catalog by removing over 10,000 catalog cards for books that we do not have or have not had for some time.

We have added 11,000 more cards. However, even with this much work our card catalog is still in need of thousands of cards for it to be complete.

Our summer program included a story hour for pre-schoolers. For students in the first three grades we had a reading club. And for students in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades we had a weekly multi-media, multi-method program on a wide range of subjects.

I have taken several professional courses and attended a great number of professional meetings. I think our Board of Trustees is outstanding and I would like to thank them for their excellent cooperation. I look forward to the years ahead as librarian in West Bridgewater.

Respectfully submitted,

Wilbur Parrott,
Head Librarian

STREET LIGHTING COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Continuing our plan to modernize the street lighting in the Town of West Bridgewater, your committee recommends the following:

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| Shaw Avenue | Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 2. |
| Sinnott Street | Remove 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light on Pole 4. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2, 4 & 6. |
| Roosevelt Avenue | Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 3, 5 & 9. |
| Grant Street | Remove 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 2, 3, 6, 8 & 10. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2, 4, 6, 8 & 10. |
| Copeland Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 3, 9, 12, 16, 18, 21, 24, 27, 29, 31 & 33 with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights. |
| Highland Avenue | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2 & 4. |
| Sunset Avenue | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2, 3, 4, 7 & 9. |
| Progressive Avenue | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light on Pole 11 with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light. Install a 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on a pole to be set between Poles 8 & 10. |

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| Brewster Blvd. | Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 1, 13 & 15. |
| Hartshorn Street | Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 1, 14 & 15. |
| River Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 4½, 21, 24 & 26. |
| Cross Street | Remove 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 2 & 5. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2, 4 & 6. |
| Forest Street | Remove 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 1, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 21, 24 & 27. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 1, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 17, 19, 21, 24, 27 & 30. |
| Shagbark Road | Replace 2500 Lumen Incandescent Light on Pole 1 and 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light on Pole 3 with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights. |
| Lincoln Street | Remove 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 3, 8, 12, 14, 17, 20 & 23. Remove 2500 Lumen Incandescent Light on Pole 26. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 3, 5, 8, 12, 14, 17, 20, 23 & 26. |
| West Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 3, 5, 11, 13, 16, 18, 21 & 24. |
| Walnut Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light with 7700 Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 20. (at Manley St.) Replace 4000 Lumen Incandescent Light with 7700 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 34. (JJ Taylor) Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 42, 46, 49, 52 & 55 with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 62, 65 & 72. |
| Bedford Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 5, 7, 10, 13, 15, 18, 20 & 22. |
| Keenan Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 1, 4, 7 & 10. |
| Columbus Avenue | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 & 14. |

INCANDESCENT LIGHTS REMOVED

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| 81 | 1000 Lumen | @ | \$17.00 | = | \$1,377.00 per yr |
| 2 | 2500 Lumen | @ | 31.00 | = | 62.00 per yr |
| 1 | 4000 Lumen | @ | 42.00 | = | 42.00 per yr |

MERCURY VAPOR LIGHTS INSTALLED

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| 103 | 4000 Lumen | @ | \$30.80 | = | \$3,172.40 per yr |
| 2 | 7700 Lumen | @ | 43.20 | = | 86.40 per yr |
| Total | | | | \$3,258.80 | |
| Less Removals | | | | <u>1,481.00</u> | |
| | | | | | \$1,777.80 |
| Minus Rate Reduction on existing Lights | | | | <u>\$ 394.40</u> | |
| Net Increase | | | | <u><u>\$1,383.40</u></u> | |

The Street Lighting Committee also recommends the following changes:

- W.B. Jr-Sr H.S. Install a 1000 Watt Mercury Floodlight on Pole 15A3 to illuminate the rear of the High School and adjacent area at a cost of \$156.00.
- West Center Street Replace 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 78, 79, 80 & 81 with 7700 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights in the Cochesett Section at an increase of \$49.60.
- Central Square After a survey a West Bridgewater Center we recommend the conversion of the 400 Watt Mercury Vapor Lights to 400 Watt Sodium Vapor Lights on Poles 1, 2 & 3 on West Center St.; 61 & 62 on East Center St.; 82 & 83 on North Main St.; 2, 3 & 4 on South Main St.; and Pole 1 on River Street at an increase in cost of \$396.00.

The above changes amounting to \$601.60 together with the net increase of \$1,383.40 amounts to a total increase of \$1,985.00 for the current year.

It should be noted that in this time of energy crisis the proposed changes in the Street Lighting of West Bridgewater as pertains to actual power used will be minimal. The replacing of incandescent lights to mercury vapor lights are of approximately the same wattage. The proposed change in Central Square from Mercury Vapor to Sodium Vapor shows no change in wattage. The only actual increase in power usage will be in the installation of new lights.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Sillars, Chairman
Donald H. Seablom
John F. Daly
Raymond L. Silva
Angelo E. Mattie

REPORT of the HOWARD SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The Howard School Building Committee, as directed by the voters of West Bridgewater, has been actively involved in the renovation and construction of the Howard School facility.

As approved at the last Town Meeting, the old wooden buildings formally known as Drury and Packard Halls have been demolished and removed. The final cost to the Town was \$6,300. for this job.

Most of the efforts of the committee have been spent on the development of the classroom building into a "Middle School" to house the 6th and 7th grades. To date, this job has progressed very well. The contract, for the sum of \$528,345. was awarded to Scaldini Corp. of Medford and was well below the anticipated price. Work on the job has been on schedule with all footings and walls for the new wing poured prior to the arrival of bad weather. Meanwhile, the renovations are proceeding on the existing building. At this time, the contractor and the architect are very optimistic that the building will be ready for the opening of the 1974-1975 school year. This will then allow adjustments to be made to other classes at the same time for the opening of Kindergarten at the Spring Street School.

Still to be resolved is the repair of Drury Field to be used as an athletic field for the school. At the time of the Town Meeting last year, no determination had been made by the Property Committee as to the liability of Massasoit for the deterioration of the drainage network in the field. Therefore, this matter was not included in the original appropriation request. Hopefully, some resolution of this problem can be reached while 65% reimbursement is still available from the State.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren E. Turner, Chairman
Sherwood W. Jackson
Stanley O. Carlson
John S. Pettinelli
George E. Richardson

MOSQUITO CONTROL

To: Board of Selectmen, Town Hall, West Bridgewater, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

This past season Massachusetts witnessed a serious outbreak of equine encephalitis. Seventy cases were confirmed in horses, forty-two of them in Plymouth and Bristol Counties. Acting under advisement of the Lakeville Encephalitis Field Station, the State Department of Public Health undertook an aerial spray program that eventually covered 1,600,000 acres. The epidemic was broken, no human cases were reported.

Two acts of the Legislature established two additional Mosquito Control Projects in the Commonwealth during 1973. Chapter 583 established the Central Massachusetts Mosquito Control Project. Thirty-one towns and one city, in Middlesex and Worcester Counties, will participate. Chapter 606 formed the Suffolk County Mosquito Control Project, comprised of the cities of Chelsea and Boston. Ten projects are now serving the Commonwealth under Section 5A, Chapter 252 of the General Laws enacted July 15, 1957.

The following is a summary of the various activities of this Project: hand sprayers, mist blowers, thermol foggers and ultra low volume cold aerosol foggers were used in treating 36,608 acres from mid-April through mid-September. In the remaining months, 59,380 feet of ditches and streams were cleared to eliminate breeding areas. Additionally, 28,000 feet of ditches and streams were reclaimed, using back hoes of special design.

The Project thanks the various town departments for their valuable aid.

Respectfully submitted,

Alan C. Bailey
Superintendent

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my report for the Highway Department for the year 1973.

DRAINAGE

The Highway Department installed two (2) catch basins and five hundred (500) feet of twelve (12) inch drainage pipe on Commonwealth Avenue. We installed five hundred (500) feet of twelve (12) inch drainage pipe and one (1) catch basin on Forest Street, and an open drainage ditch for a distance of three thousand five hundred (3500) feet. We also raised the existing basins and manholes to finish grade on East Center Street under Chapter 90 construction.

RESURFACING TYPE I-1

We completed the surfacing of East Center Street with a two (2) inch layer of Class I, Bituminous concrete top for a distance of one thousand seven hundred (1700) feet and a width of twenty-eight (28) feet, with cape cod berms included. We resurfaced So. Elm Street for a distance of one thousand (1000) feet, we also resurfaced Scotland Street for a distance of eight hundred (800) feet. We rebuilt Pleasant Street for a distance of two thousand three hundred fifty (2350) feet. We also installed approximately four thousand (4000) feet of cape cod berm on the following streets, Manley, West, Crescent, Bryant, Plain, River and East Center Street.

Other work carried out by the Highway Department for the past year includes the Sanitary Landfill which is going very well and the maintenance of our roads, which includes sweeping of sand, cleaning of catch basins, drains and culverts throughout the town. Painting guard rails and bridges, taking care of street signs and traffic signs on roads along with school signs, railroad crossings and crosswalks. Patching and repairing of pot holes and trenches throughout the town. Also sealing cracks in the town roads with the tar kettle.

The department heads were requested to make their reports short this year because of the shortages of fuel, power, materials and the cost of printing the town reports. At this time I want to thank the Board of Selectmen for the cooperation and support received from them by this department during the past year. I would also like to commend the men of the Highway Department for the excellent job they have so willingly done.

Respectfully submitted,

Irving G. Sylvester
Highway Superintendent

POLICE DEPARTMENT

I herewith submit the Annual Report of the West Bridgewater Police Department for the year 1973.

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| Complaints | | | | 4,003 |
| Investigations | | | | 6,472 |
| B. & E. Larceny | | | | 78 |
| Attempted B. & E. | | | | 4 |
| Larceny (Including Larceny by Check) | | | | 196 |
| | | | | |
| | | Male | Female | Juvenile |
| ARRESTS: | Physical | 81 | 7 | 13 |
| | By Summons | <u>352</u> | <u>48</u> | <u>8</u> |
| | Total | 509 | 433 | 55 |
| | | | | 21 |

The following is a list of the charges for which the above Arrests were made.

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| Armed Robbery | 4 |
| Assault & Battery | 7 |
| Assault with a Dangerous Weapon | 2 |
| Assault with Intent to Murder | 3 |
| Attempt to Procure Narcotic | 1 |
| Break & Entering | 16 |
| Disorderly Person | 11 |
| Disturbance | 5 |
| Defrauding a Common Victualer | 2 |
| Drunk | 35 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Hunting without a License | 3 |
| Illegal Transportation of Liquor | 3 |
| Larceny by Check | 7 |
| Larceny less than \$100 | 2 |
| Larceny more than \$100 | 5 |
| Lewd and Lascivious Behavior | 1 |
| Malicious Damage | 7 |
| Obscene Phone Calls | 1 |
| Possession of Controlled Substance | 13 |
| Receiving Stolen Property | 2 |
| Runaway | 1 |
| Stubborn Child | 1 |
| Trespassing | 3 |
| Unlawfully Carrying a Dangerous Weapon | 8 |
| Violation of Town By-Laws | 4 |
| Operating Under Influence of Liquor | 30 |
| Operating to Endanger | 35 |
| Speeding | 264 |

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| Using Motor Vehicle without Authority | 4 |
| State Police Arrests | 85 |
| All other Motor Vehicle Violations | 317 |

MISCELLANEOUS

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| Alarms answered | 707 |
| Armed Robbery | 9 |
| Assault and Robbery | 5 |
| Assault with a Dangerous Weapon | 2 |
| Assist to Disabled Motorist | 108 |
| Assist other Departments (Investigations) | 263 |
| Assist at out-of-town Accidents | 75 |
| Assist (out-of-town other matters) | 130 |
| Bomb Scare | 2 |
| Buildings Found Open | 133 |
| Commitment to State Hospital | 2 |
| Dogs — Killed or Injured | 98 |
| Missing | 67 |
| Stray | 84 |
| Emergencies | 325 |
| Escorts given | 68 |
| Fires — Covered | 66 |
| Reported | 6 |
| House Checks | 591 |
| Messages Delivered (Emergency) | 21 |
| (Other) | 72 |
| Missing Persons | 13 |
| Persons to Hospital — Accidents | 57 |
| Other | 204 |
| Street Lights Reported Out | 74 |
| Summons Served — For this Department | 191 |
| For other Departments | 115 |
| Road Hazards Reported | 37 |
| Stolen Bicycles Reported | 41 |
| Stolen Motor Vehicle Reported | 30 |
| Stolen Motor Vehicle Recovered | 33 |
| Stolen Property Recovered | Value \$70,781.12 |
| Mileage by Cruisers | 134,853 |
| Telephone Calls Received | 22,716 |
| Time in District Court (Man Hours) | 1,488 |
| Time in Superior Court (Man Hours) | 269 |
| Time at Grand Jury (Man Hours) | 10 |
| Unexpected Deaths | 3 |

TRAFFIC REPORT

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| Accidents | 307 |
| Fatals | 0 |
| Property Damage Only | 230 |

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| Involving Injuries | 77 |
| Total number of injured | 85 |
| Hit and Run Accidents reported | 32 |
| Auto Violations to Court | 508 |
| Warnings to Registry | 320 |
| Motor Vehicle Arrests | 73 |

CAR DEALER LICENSES

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| Class I | 100 |
| Class II | 760 |
| Class III | 122 |

Due to the small and inadequate quarters of our present location and the increase in the demands made upon the Police Department, I have requested the Board of Selectmen to insert an Article in the Town Warrant, requesting that a committee of five (5) persons be appointed to look into the construction of a new Police Station. At the present time we have limited space for carrying out our every day duties; also due to lack of space it is impossible to have locker space for the men. Furthermore we have only two (2) male cells which necessitates going out of town when we have female or juvenile prisoners. Realizing that it would take at least two to three years before such a project could be brought to completion I am making the request at this time.

You will note in the Police budget a request to replace some equipment. I believe it is a good policy to replace some equipment before it fails entirely and do a little each year rather than be confronted with several large items in one year. I am also requesting a TWX or Teletype machine which is a direct contact with State Police, Boston as well as the National Crime Information Center in Washington, D. C., via the State Police. This machine is invaluable on investigations as well as very important information on incidents within the New England area. Many of our local communities now have this machine.

As of July 1, 1974 the Plymouth County Police Network will begin as the result of a Federal Grant from the L.E.A.A. (Law Enforcement Assistance Administration). Each Department within the County has been requested to include "matching funds" in their budgets for the project. There is another Federal Grant, Hopefully due in 1975.

On December 1, 1973 Officer Leon H. St. George was promoted to the rank of Sergeant. I am requesting an additional patrolman as a result of the promotion.

This past year Officer Robert D. Smith attended the State Police Academy for 10 weeks and graduated with an average grade in the 90's, retaining the excellent record of the Officers from this Department who have graduated from the Academy.

In addition other Officers have attended Narcotic Seminars and two Sergeants, Sgt., Robert W. Anderson and Leon H. St. George attended the Crime Scene Search School held at the State Police Academy. In addition to the schooling received by the Sergeants, the Department received a well equipped "Search Kit" as part of this course.

As you will note from the details of the Police Report there continues to be an increase in all investigation areas. We have increased the number of streets to be zoned which I believe is an important factor in the control of our traffic problems. The report shows this is the second year we have had no fatal accidents in the Town. On January 15, 1974 the Town of West Bridgewater was recognized by the AAA and awarded a Non Pedestrian Accident Award for the years 1971 and 1972.

In conclusion I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen and all other Departments for their continued support and consideration. To the Officers and men in the Department a thank you for their continued cooperation and support that makes it possible for me to fulfill the duties of my Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Ervin G. Lothrop, Chief

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

Seasonal maintainance work was accomplished such as brush cutting, thinning of dead and undesirable trees by the Forestry and Parks department. Part of the Town Forest where oak and maple abound was sprayed with an herbicide to reduce sucker growth and weeds.

The Town Forest offers much in educational work in conservation, wildlife, timber management and arboriculture. Also it is a recreational area for townspeople as well as an outdoor classroom for school children and scouting units.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Antone Sousa
Richard E. Norris
Town Forest Committee

WATER DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, the Water Commissioners and superintendent of the Water Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, respectfully submit our annual report for the year ending December 31, 1973.

During the year a total of 188, 491,070 gallons of water were pumped. The greatest amount of any one day was 1,090,832 gallons on August 29. The largest month was August with 18,197,448 gallons pumped.

With 188,491, 070 gallons pumped plus 825,531 gallons of water we bought from Easton, this gave us a total of 189,316,601 gallons of water used. This makes a daily average of 518,675 gallons, a weekly average of 3,640,703 gallons, and a monthly average of 15,776,383 gallons. We recorded a rainfall of 63.2 inches.

A total of 45 new services were installed to make a total of 1833 services. There were 9 services renewed, 252 feet of 12" main, 3000 feet of 8" main and 5 new hydrants joined to the system. There were 134 calls for meter removal and installations, 46 meters were repaired, 550 miscellaneous calls and 66 repair calls made.

We had 26 emergency house leaks, 20 emergency main leaks, 17 service line leaks, 20 meter and tailpiece leaks, 1 frozen service, 5 frozen meters, 31 inside installations, 4 hydrants repaired, 5 hydrants hit by automobiles that had to be replaced. All hydrants were checked prior to cold weather and staked out for protection so that they would not be hit by snow plows, and in case of fire, could be located in the snow by the Fire Department. Station maintenance was carried out every day, after every storm, and after all power failures. We had 5 power failures, 17 control failures, and 4 equipment repairs

during the year. There were 16 emergency calls for pumping out cellars, 6 swimming pools were filled when possible, 1024 hours of overtime were spent on emergency calls and maintenance. We had the 500,000 gallon water tank painted and updated the New England Insurance rating map. There were 39 analyses of our Town drinking water made during the year by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health for bacterial elements, all reports were most satisfactory, showing it to be of highly acceptable quality and free from bacterial elements.

As we come to the close of a very successful year of service, we wish to thank all our customers for expressing their faith in us, our own personnel, and all Town Departments and personnel who so diligently did their part in making it a success. We sincerely hope as we enter another year of service we will be privileged to continue serving you to the best of our ability.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward G. Asack, Chairman
John W. Noyes, Clerk
Paul S. Lamoureux, Assoc. Member
William E. Nickerson, Supt.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I, herewith submit my annual report, as Chief of the Fire Department, of the Town of West Bridgewater, for the year of 1973. As requested by you, this report will be as concise as possible.

PERSONNEL

The personnel of the Department remains substantially the same as last year. Firefighter Francis Crowley was promoted to Lieutenant, on July 1, 1973. Five call men were either retired or because of work schedules were no longer able to serve and four new men have been added to the call force.

APPARATUS

All apparatus remains as listed in the previous annual report, except the "Chief's Car" which was received as a Courtesy car from Griffin Buick Pontiac Company of Bridgewater. This is a 1974 model Pontiac Station Wagon. All apparatus is in operating condition, and barring unforeseen circumstances will be adequate for the immediate future.

STATISTICAL REPORT

During 1973 the Fire Department responded to 285 alarms of which 168 were Still Alarms and 117 Box Alarms. The apparatus travelled a total of 29,000 miles. Pumps were operated a total of 82 hours. A total of 30,075 feet of hose was laid. 521 feet of ladders were raised.

INSPECTIONS

Inspections, as required by law, of Schools, Public Buildings, and specified business establishments were regularly made. Fire Drills at all schools were staged.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING PROGRAM – 1973

Deputy Chief – Frank X. Burke

Lieutenant – Stuart M. Keith

In 1973 the West Bridgewater Fire Department held 31 training sessions attended by an average of seventeen (17) men. These sessions were conducted each Monday night except for the first Monday of the month, holidays and Town Meetings. On three occasions the training was pre-empted by fire calls.

In addition to the normal subject matter covered, a three session video tape presentation was made on Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured and a demonstration was given on liquified natural gas incidents.

The Department was fortunate to again have the assistance of Deputy Chief Morton Shurtleff of the Brockton Fire Department and instructors from the Brockton Gas Company. The Department was joined by members of the West Bridgewater Police Department, East Bridgewater Fire Department and Lakeville Fire Department for several training sessions.

The Monday night training schedule will continue through 1974 and interested townspeople are welcome to attend.

WEST BRIDGEWATER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Captain William E. Gibson, Jr.

Fire Prevention Bureau

As head of the Fire Prevention Bureau I submit the following report of my work and activity for the year 1973. As directed I will keep this report as short as possible, and here indicate that additional and full information is available to any and all interested parties from my file.

During January, at my own expense I took a course at Massasoit Community College, toward professional improvement.

Fire Drills were conducted throughout the year at all Schools in Town. Routine inspections of business establishments and other places where the public has access were made to ascertain compliance with applicable Fire Prevention Regulations. Numerous calls were received and investigations were made and suggestions given for the location and installation of Propane storage tanks, auxiliary heating equipment, chimneys. Much of this was triggered by our "energy crisis." Lectures on Fire Prevention and Life Safety were delivered to a number of organizations and groups in the Town. Invalid Alert Stickers were placed wherever knowledge was received of their need. As in past years directives were received from the Office of the State Fire Marshall, which required considerable time and effort; mis-branded and mis-labeled products in retail were found and compliance was accomplished.

Local Bureaus were also enlisted to make inspections and reports to the Fire Marshalls Office of all vehicles and Trailers garaged in the Town that transport Flammable Fluids. This necessitated many hours of extra duty. About fifty (50) units were inspected and complete reports as directed were sent to State authorities.

As indicated in my previous report, time is short to adopt adequate safeguards to maintain life and fire safety to all the inhabitants of the Town. May we have these regulations in force and effect, before any tragic event, makes it all too obvious that such actions should have been taken. Fire and Life losses are preventable if we are sufficiently concerned and adopt and enforce such regulations, building codes and Zoning ordinances to prevent these needless losses.

REQUESTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

I have submitted in my budget for 1974-1975 requests for: Floor covering material to be installed in the front offices of both the Fire Department and Police Department and portions of the front corridors. This is to replace tile flooring which was installed when the building was built in 1955.

One (1) 2½" Fog Nozzle to be installed on the Ladder Truck, and Deck gun.

Five (5) radio controls for the Station doors.

Five (5) "Tone Alert" radios to be installed in the homes of Call Men.

Five (5) Scott Air Tanks. These are necessary in order that the present tanks may be hydrostatically tested as required by law. Also to maintain a minimum of reserve Air Supply for the firefighters.

One (1) "Zip Call" alerting device in order that the Chief may be in continuous contact with the Station.

I have also submitted an article in the Town Meeting Warrant requesting two (2) additional permanent men. This is of necessity, as the response of call men has averaged less than needed to man the apparatus on numerous occasions.

In concluding this report may I express my thanks and appreciation to my Officers and men, to all associates in Town Government and the townspeople generally for their cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Edwin T. Gibson, Chief
West Bridgewater Fire Dept.

DOG OFFICER

To: The Honorable Board of Selectman
and citizens of West Bridgewater

I respectfully submit the report of the Dog Officer for the period of July, through December 1973.

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| Dogs reported missing | 130 |
| Cases requiring attention | 214 |
| Animals or fowl killed | 44 |
| Strays picked up and given new homes | 64 |
| Injured or killed on highways | 16 |
| Reported dog bites | 7 |

At this time I would like to express my appreciation to the citizens of West Bridgewater for their cooperation and assistance, and especially the cooperation of the police department.

To assist in locating and returning lost dogs it would be appreciated if all dog owners would insure that dog license be securely attached at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Etsell
Dog Officer

OFFICE of the PLUMBING INSPECTOR

I hereby respectfully submit my annual report as Inspector of Plumbing for the year 1973.

There were 87 plumbing applications filed for plumbing permits for the year.

There were 146 plumbing inspections made in the following types of buildings.

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| New Dwellings | 34 |
| Commercial buildings | 6 |
| Public buildings | 4 |
| Remodeling work in old dwellings | 20 |
| Water heater installations in old dwellings | 31 |

The Massachusetts State Plumbing Code is used as a basis for all plumbing inspections.

Respectfully submitted

Wallace Engstrom
Inspector of Plumbing

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of West Bridgewater, Massachusetts

I respectfully submit my annual report of The Wire Inspection Department for the year of 1973.

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|----------------------------|-----|---------------|----|
| Edison Permits | 160 | Add Outlets | 11 |
| Services & Service Changes | 99 | Not Accepted | 3 |
| Add Meters | 6 | Reinspections | 3 |
| Rough Wiring | 71 | Fire Calls | 2 |
| Construction Services | 9 | Signs | 4 |
| Electric Dryers | 20 | Trailers | 8 |
| Electric Water Heaters | 27 | Finals | 77 |
| Electric Ranges | 48 | Pools | 13 |
| Oil Burners | 40 | Miscellaneous | 16 |

The latest edition of the Massachusetts Electrical Code was used as a basis for all electrical inspections with no special rules applied.

The cooperation this department received from the Board of Selectmen and the Town Clerk, along with the Townspeople was indeed very much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert M. Greiner
Inspector of Wires

INSPECTOR of ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I respectfully submit my Annual Report of the Inspector of Animals.

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| Number of Dairy Cows over two years | 449 | Number of Horses | 72 |
| Number of Dairy Heifers one to two years | 66 | Number of Ponies | 41 |
| Number of Dairy Heifer Calves under one yr. | 48 | Number of Goats | 7 |
| Number of Dairy Bulls | 6 | Number of Sheep | 15 |
| Number of Dairy Herds | 12 | Number of Swine | 127 |
| Number of Beef Cattle | 18 | Number of Swine Herds | 9 |
| Number of Beef Herds | 10 | Number of Dog Bites | 42 |
| Number of Donkeys | 2 | | |

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni
Inspector of Animals
Town of West Bridgewater

PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board of the Town of West Bridgewater whose responsibilities are defined in chapters 40A and 41 of the General laws of Massachusetts, makes its report to the annual Town Meeting.

At election time Mr. William Turner, Jr. was re-elected to fill a full five year term.

Twenty-three regular meetings were held during the year. Regular meetings are scheduled for the first and third Wednesdays, excepting the first Wednesday in July. Five Public Hearings were held during 1973, one to hear discussion on by-law changes recommended by your Zoning By-Law Study Committee, and four were held regarding applications for new subdivisions.

At the present time we have two subdivisions which will be completed in 1974 and there are three more approved where no building has taken place yet.

The West Bridgewater Planning Board still has one member serving with the Zoning By-Law Study Committee, two members active with the Old Colony Planning Council and one serving on a committee studying the Development of the Taunton River Basin at Bridgewater State College.

The town has, in 1973, shown some very healthy development in the Industrial Areas and the present indications are that both the residential and business communities will advance together during the coming year.

Your Planning Board wishes to thank all officials and departments for their aid and cooperation in 1973 and welcomes suggestions and guidance from public officials and interested citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Johnson, Clerk
Merton Ouderkirk, Chairman
Philip Tuck
Ronald Snell
William Turner, Jr.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

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| Total Appropriations for 18 month Fiscal Year | |
| since 1972 Tax Rate was fixed: | \$5,053,242.24 |
| Other Amounts to be raised | 462.80 |
| School Lunch Program | 19,386.36 |
| Free Public Library | 5,364.00 |
| Natural Resources, Self Help Program | 2,250.00 |
| County Tax | 108,929.67 |
| County Hospital Assessment | 2,891.96 |
| State Recreation Areas | 19,895.81 |
| State Audit of Municipal Accounts | 3,678.33 |
| Mosquito Control Projects | 4,399.56 |
| Mosquito Control Projects—1972 | 158.95 |
| Elderly Retiree Program | 4,399.50 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills | 644.25 |
| State Assessment System | 249.48 |
| Air Pollution Control District | 264.52 |
| Old Colony Planning Council | 1,430.40 |
| Old Colony Planning Council - 1972 | 727.80 |
| Overlay Current Year | <u>108,702.36</u> |

Gross Amount to be Raised \$5,337,077.99

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| 1973—1974 Estimated Receipts as Certified by the | |
| Commissioner on Cherry sheet from Item 6 | \$1,135,530.87 |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 153,000.00 |
| Licenses | 21,900.00 |
| Fines | 1,900.00 |
| General Government | 20,000.00 |
| School (Local Receipts of School Committee) | 14,600.00 |
| Public Services Enterprise (Such as Water Dept.) | 133,067.00 |
| Interest on Taxes and Assessments | 15,000.00 |
| Farm Animal, Machinery and Equipment Excise | 933.13 |
| Over Estimate (Column 3 of Cherry Sheet) | 10,957.02 |
| Amounts Voted from Available Funds | <u>194,191.10</u> |

Total Estimated Receipts \$1,701,079.12

NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY \$3,635,998.87

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| Value of Assessed Real Estate | |
| Land | \$13,137,065.00 |
| Buildings | 33,313,170.00 |

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| Value of Personal Estate | |
| Stock in Trade | 65,050.00 |
| Machinery | 67,650.00 |
| All Other Tangible Personal Property | <u>1,897,050.00</u> |

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| TOTAL VALUE OF ALL ASSESSED PROPERTY | \$48,479,985.00 |
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| Valuation | \$48,479,985.00 |
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| School | 62% or \$30.80 |
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| General | 38% or \$19.20 |
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| Tax Rate per Thousand | \$ 50.00 |
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School Expenses

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|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Salaries & General Expenses | \$ 2,678,275.00 |
| Southeastern Regional | 66,897.00 |
| State Aid Vocational | 5,170.00 |
| Athletic Fund Article 13 | 32,450.00 |
| Bonds and Interest | 327,838.00 |
| Overlay | 66,960.00 |
| Insurance Buildings, Etc. | 17,250.00 |
| Group Insurance | 35,474.73 |
| Retirement Fund (Ply Cty) | 11,169.98 |
| Interest on Short Term Borrowing | 11,700.00 |
| School Zoning | 13,000.00 |

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| Total Expenses | \$ 3,266,184.71 |
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Refunds

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|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Special Education-Handicapped | \$ 1,583.42 |
| Transportation | 50,733.17 |
| Construction | 77,503.67 |
| Vocational Education | 21,788.00 |
| Regional School Aid | 24,633.23 |
| Chapter 70-14 | 808,705.93 |
| Special Education Program | 38,208.50 |
| O/S School Trans. | 2,848.66 |

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| Total Refunds | \$ 1,026,108.58 |
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| NET SCHOOL TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION | \$ 2,240,076.13 |
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| Total Number of Dwellings | 1,737 |
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| Total Number of Trailers on lots | 42 |
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| Trailers in Trailer Park | 53 |
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| Number of Acres of Land Assessed | 8361.52 |
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EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Real Estate

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| Old Bridgewater Historical Society | \$65,000.00 |
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| Church Societies | 602,800.00 |
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| Berwick Boys' Foundation | 7,500.00 |
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| Town Hall Offices and Forestry Garage | 170,000.00 |
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| Highway Garage & Lot | 70,000.00 |
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| Fire & Police Station | 155,000.00 |
| Water Dept. | 562,400.00 |
| Library | 133,000.00 |
| Park Department | 19,000.00 |
| Cemeteries, Town Owned | 2,000.00 |
| Cemeteries, Privately Owned | 41,050.00 |
| Dump | 3,100.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 19,195.00 |
| All Other Town Owned Land | 27,830.00 |
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts | 46,510.00 |
| School Department | 5,973,500.00 |
| West Bridgewater Housing Authority | 38,000.00 |
| Total | <u>\$7,935,885.00</u> |

Personal Property

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|---|----------------------|
| Old Bridgewater Historical Society | \$ 15,000.00 |
| Town of West Bridgewater | |
| Fire Department | 75,000.00 |
| Forestry and Moth Department | 10,000.00 |
| Highway Department | 15,000.00 |
| Library | 20,000.00 |
| Police Department | 4,000.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 1,000.00 |
| School Department-Elementary | 25,000.00 |
| School Department-Jr. & Sr. High School | 25,000.00 |
| Town Hall & Offices | 10,000.00 |
| Water Department | 600,000.00 |
| Total | <u>\$ 800,000.00</u> |

The Board of Assessors have had a very busy year in 1973. Undertaken was the task of completely checking the property cards of each taxpayer. Due to the late arrival of these cards from the appraisal service in 1972, coupled with the need to send the tax bills within three weeks of their arrival, mistakes went in unnoticed in some instances. The Assessors wish to thank the taxpayers, whose valuations were changed during this process, for their understanding and co-operation. All taxpayers who were affected, were given an individual hearing, if they desired, and were generally satisfied by the Board of Assessors.

There were 2 mandatory educational sessions attended by the Board, each consisting of eight weeks duration. Much information was gathered at these sessions. This is a continuing program of progressively advanced training.

This coming fiscal year, we are requesting a full time clerk. The paper work knows no bounds in this office.

We are presenting to the town a request for a sum of money to allow our valuation book and tax billing to be computerized. The time consuming job of typing the bills and valuation book is a process which can be done more efficiently, and at a savings, when the program is instituted.

The Board again extends its invitation to any taxpayer to visit the Assessors office whenever they have questions concerning their properties. The present Board feels that the taxpayers have elected us to this office and our records are their records.

Respectfully submitted,

Irving W. Puffer, Chairman
Herbert A. Holmes, Clerk
Sherwood W. Jackson

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

I am submitting my report as Tax Collector.

It has been a pleasure to serve the people of West Bridgewater and I wish to express my appreciation for the cooperation received from the other Departments and the Citizens of West Bridgewater.

| | Outstanding 1/1/73 | Committed 1973 | Abated 1973 | Refunds 1973 | Collected 1973 | Tax Title | Balance 12/31/73 |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| 1969 Motor Vehicles | 29.70 | | 29.70 | | | | 1,074.18 |
| 1970 Motor Vehicles | 3,200.76 | | 2,126.58 | | | | 4,222.44 |
| 1971 Motor Vehicles | 6,057.04 | | 875.07 | 68.48 | 1,028.01 | | 12,292.46 |
| 1972 Motor Vehicles | 30,890.83 | 97,655.59 | 20,298.92 | 1,762.94 | 97,717.98 | | |
| 1972 Farm | 275.50 | | | | 275.50 | | |
| 1972 Personal Property | 1,294.72 | | | | 1,056.72 | | 238.00 |
| 1972 Water Liens | 2,475.56 | | | | 2,227.95 | 247.61 | |
| 1972 Real Estate | 129,062.35 | | 525.00 | 8,862.00 | 122,605.33 | 14,794.02 | |
| 1973 Motor Vehicles | | 221,277.14 | 38,206.09 | 1,773.51 | 141,614.89 | | 43,229.67 |
| 1973 Farm | | 1,011.13 | | | 807.88 | | 203.25 |
| 1973 Personal Property | | 101,487.50 | 1,480.00 | | 98,352.50 | | 1,655.00 |
| 1973 Water Lien | | 13,090.77 | 180.69 | 158.79 | 11,697.03 | 395.24 | 976.60 |
| 1973 Real Estate | | 2,322,511.75 | 75,929.55 | 11,375.07 | 2,139,261.99 | 15,867.53 | 102,827.75 |
| 1973 Water | | 92,821.14 | 242.77 | | 79,289.74 | 13,090.77 | 11,654.17 |
| | | | | | <u>2,695,935.52</u> | | <u>178,373.52</u> |

Trailer Park Excise
Interest Collected
Charges Collected
TOTAL COLLECTIONS

6,261.00
5,469.72
930.00
2,708,596.24

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph F. McCann
Collector

BUILDING INSPECTOR

I hereby submit my annual report of Building Inspection permits of West Bridgewater. Permits were issued and inspections for construction as requested. The Building Inspector witnessed percolation tests, when needed, in 1973 for the Board of Health. Business and industrial construction increased in numbers over the year 1972.

| | No. Permits | Estimated Cost |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Single Dwellings | 28 | \$ 517,500.00 |
| Mobile Homes | 10 | 47,300.00 |
| Additions and Repairs | 40 | 67,635.00 |
| Garages | 10 | 21,150.00 |
| Misc.-sheds-etc. | 21 | 10,850.00 |
| Swimming Pools | 29 | 88,496.00 |
| Bldgs. Demolished | 9 | |
| Business Buildings | 11 | 451,220.00 |
| Business Additions | 7 | 24,330.00 |
| Industrial Buildings | 5 | 1,182,000.00 |
| Howard School | 1 | 521,920.00 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 164 | \$3,032,401.00 |
| Fees for Building Permits | | \$ 9,236.50 |
| Fees for Signs | | 410.67 |
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| | | \$ 9,647.17 |

Respectfully submitted,

Ernest R. Peterson,
Building Inspector

BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health respectfully submits its annual report for 1973.

Regular meetings were held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Other meetings were held covering environmental and pollution problems with state representatives. Special meetings were held with the selectmen regarding land fill operations and trailer park regulations.

The Board regrets to announce the resignation of Chairman Ronald C. Broman. Mr. Edward Cruz was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

The Board appointed Mr. Raymond Doten a registered sanitarian, as health agent as recommended by the State for towns over 5,000 population.

The efficiency of the board has been much improved by his most valued experience in public health. He will help expedite matters of inspection in stores, schools,

restaurants and sewage disposal systems in addition to answering routine health complaints.

Clinics were held in Rabies, Glaucoma, diabetes and Heaf tuberculin tests, free x-rays sponsored by Plymouth County Health Association.

The Board wishes to express its appreciation to our efficient clerk Mrs. Anna E. Brown for handling the increased clerical load this past year.

The Board wishes to express its gratitude to all that have helped including town physician, Joseph Calitri, M.D. and staff; E. Myrtle Howard, R.N.; Mrs. Leah A. Benson, R.N.; Mr. Irving Sylvester and the Highway Department for operation of the Sanitary Landfill and Mr. Thomas B. MacQuinn for mosquito control.

We wish to express our thanks to all town officials and citizens of the town who have contributed to the Board of Health expanded program during 1973.

Respectfully submitted,

Patrick V. McDonough, D.P.M. Chairman
Edward Cruz, Clerk
James F. Purpura, member
Raymond C. Doten, R.S.—CHO Agent

BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Appeals for the year 1973:

The Board held a total of nine hearings during the year at which twenty-seven appeals were heard. Twenty appeals were granted and six were denied. One appeal with a variance requested on two buildings was given approval on one and a denial on the other.

Visits to sites of Appeals were made by members of the Board at various times.

The Board wishes to acknowledge helpful assistance from the Town Clerk, Building Inspector and the Planning Board as well as the Conservation Committee and Town Counsel.

The following comprise the Appeal Board.

Julian E. Lucini, Chairman
H. Kingman Burrill, Clerk
Minot A. Edson
Harold F. Colby, Jr.
John H. Hamilton, Jr.

Alternate Members:
William E. Turner, Jr.
John D. Pettinelli

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

As was forecast by this Commission that the year 1973 would be a year of outstanding economic growth has come to pass. The year 1973 saw total permits issued for new construction and alterations in both the commercial and industrial categories totaled \$1,657,550.00 almost \$1,000,000.00 more than in 1972.

1973 saw the construction and completion of a fine new skating rink on Manley Street a definite social asset to the Town, continued expansion of the nationally known Cape Dory Co. and the completion of the MacDonald Kitchens new facility.

Your attention is called to the construction in 1973 of the sophisticated and attractive office building in Elm Square by the Jack Conway Co.

At the present time under construction is a 105,000 foot building for Foxmoor Casuals Division of the Melville Shoe Corp. located on Manley Street. Also on Manley St. is an 8,000 foot building to be occupied by Heritage Mfg. Co. an aluminum fabricator. The A & P Alloys Co. is constructing a 34,500 foot steel warehouse on West St. Scheduled for 1974 is an animal hospital to be located at the corner of Manley St. and West Center St.

In our 1972 report reference was made to the Commission's working with a prospective client who would eventually have a substantial economic effect on West Bridgewater. This client has now purchased land in excess of 50 acres for future construction. This client's schedule indicates that it will be two years before substantial construction begins.

Respectfully submitted,

ADVISORY COMMISSION

Freeman W. Bowden
Robert W. Bowman
Henry C. Bradford
Carl R. Bystrom
Charles K. Higgins

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Leon F. Beaulieu
Ronald F. Brodrick
George V. Hollertz, Jr.
Francis LeBaron, Jr.
Frank S. Miller

HOWARD PROPERTY COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of West Bridgewater:

"Some frustrations" reported in 1972 were magnified in 1973 as the Howard Property Committee had mistakenly believed its duties would be concluded as soon as the voters approved the addition and renovation to the Howard classroom building along with demolition of the two wooden buildings (Drury and Packard Halls). On this basis, no additional funding was requested at the Town Meeting in March of 1973.

This did not prove to be the case and it was ruled that the Property Committee was responsible for custodial costs, utilities, water service and maintenance; requiring a request to the Finance Committee for a transfer from the Reserve Fund in the amount

of \$2,000 on August 22. Over half this amount was for wages to the custodian-caretaker who had agreed informally to take approximately half pay after the buildings were razed. Remainder was for utility bills (gas, electric and water) plus ordinary maintenance.

Committee approved use of a classroom in Howard Hall by the EEA to conduct a course of 20 sessions; receiving \$400 which was turned into the E. & D. Account. There was a rebate on insurance premiums after the two wooden buildings had been demolished; also a reimbursement check for damage done to the entrance pillars in a traffic accident, from Continental Casualty via Cholerton Insurance with David Chamberlain as agent for the Town. Both were turned in to the E. & D. Account.

Many items, in addition to the approximate 200 in 1972 were requested by School Supt. Donald A. Fisher for use at the four public schools, and granted. These included the Grand piano, baby grand and upright; Science lab materials; lighting fixtures and refrigerators.

Southeastern Regional Vo-Tech School is currently re-conditioning the Language Lab. components with agreement to hold in custodial security until the Howard School renovation and addition is completed.

Differences of opinion arose in regard to "storage" of remaining school furnishings which in a joint session of Selectmen and the two Howard Committees, the Building Committee insisted be removed from the building as the contractor would not be responsible for security. On this basis, members of the Property Committee followed the urgent request of the Building Committee and had the furnishings placed in storage. An additional transfer of funds was requested from the Finance Committee, but not sufficient to cover moving and storage charges.

On advice of Town Counsel, the bill was forwarded to the Building Committee who refused at the time to honor the charge. It will be presented to voters in a special article on the warrant of the Town Meeting with a possible request for transfer of monies from the Demolition and other standing accounts.

Outside lighting was provided for security reasons in accordance with recommendations by police, up to the time that the contract was awarded by the Building Committee. From that time on, there has been no outside lighting of the building or campus.

Early in January, 1974, the century-old Drury Bell was stolen from its site on the Howard Terrace; recovered in East Bridgewater and returned to West Bridgewater. Thieves, working in the dark of midnight were not observed while filching the historic bell.

This report, written in mid-January, finds the committee still pursuing several aspects in hopes of an equitable conclusion prior to the March Town Meeting when it will request to be phased out.

Respectfully submitted,

Marjorie E. MacDonald
John H. Hamilton, Jr.
Richard C. Hill
Howard Property Committee

VETERAN'S SERVICES

Assistance was provided to 56 families in 1973, showing an increase of 10 families from 1972. Sixteen were closed during the year. My first year as Veterans Agent has seen a marked increase of 43% over 1972, from 28 active cases to 40 presently being assisted.

In view of the increase in the number of families needing help, may I take this opportunity to remind the residents of West Bridgewater that the office of Veterans Services is State funded, with 50% of the assistance provided, refunded by the State.

Respectfully submitted,

Armen Amerigian
Veterans Agent

SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Southeastern Regional School Committee members are Thomas W. Devine and Timothy S. Ryan, Brockton; Robert B. Ewing, East Bridgewater; Ralph Armstead, Easton; Robert A. Girardin, Foxborough; Louis E. Tarsa, Jr., Mansfield; Charles W. McDonald, Norton; James J. Leonard, Sharon; Robert B. Snow, Stoughton; and Eugene Kostecki, West Bridgewater.

During the year, Charles D. Anderson was replaced on the School Committee by Ralph Armstead.

Officers of the 1973-74 year are Robert A. Girardin, Chairman; Thomas W. Devine, Vice-Chairman; and Robert B. Ewing, Secretary.

In December 1972, the Committee voted to authorize the building of an addition to the present facilities. All of the member communities approved of the Committee's action. Physical evidence of work toward the addition is in the relocation of a parking lot and the expansion of the present sewer bed and the building of another.

Working drawings have been completed and have been let out for bid. It is expected that the additional facilities will be ready for occupancy in the fall of 1975, accommodating up to 400 more students in occupational areas such as Diesel Repair, Masonry, Cosmetology, Distributive Education, Small Engine Repair, Specialized Automotive Repair, Appliance Repair, and Air Conditioning and Heating. The present twenty-three occupational programs, seven post-secondary and sixteen secondary programs, accommodate a total of 1041 students and are housed at the Foundry Street location, the Tolman School in Stoughton, the Unionville School in Easton and the Paine School in Foxborough.

Total enrollment of the school has shown a steady increase from 1970 to the present. West Bridgewater has benefited from this growth as shown on the following table. More students from West Bridgewater attend Southeastern and the intended quota of 3.8% has been exceeded.

| <u>School year</u> | <u>Total Enrollment</u> | <u>West Bridgewater Enrollment</u> | <u>Percent Participation</u> | <u>Percent Intended</u> |
|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1970-71 | 951 | 31 | 3.3 | 3.8 |
| 1971-72 | 1024 | 30 | 2.7 | 3.8 |
| 1972-73 | 993 | 32 | 3.4 | 3.8 |
| 1973-74 | 1036 | 43 | 4.2 | 3.8 |

The Evening School program, designed for the indentured apprentices in the Electrical and Plumbing areas, as well as programs designed for interested citizens, has accommodated 900 people during the 1973-74 school year.

The Southeastern Regional School Committee continues to provide meaningful occupational education for students within the District communities.

Respectfully submitted,

Eugene Kostecki

HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Authority members are not requesting additional housing at this meeting or in the foreseeable future.

A full year of Elderly Housing has brought very few problems, we are happy to announce, due mainly to the interest shown by the Visiting Nurse Association, the West Bridgewater Police, Fire, and Highway Departments and all other town officials too numerous to mention who have been of such valuable assistance — and the 48 families of “Solid Citizens” residing in the West Bridgewater Housing for the Elderly — D’Arpino Village.

Respectfully submitted,

Lillian J. Cheyunski, Chairman
George A. Miller
Carl R. Bystrom
Raymond E. Chace
Armen A. Amerigian

Zoning By-Law Study Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of West Bridgewater:

The Zoning By-Law Committee, named by the Special Town Meeting of October 1971, have reviewed many of the Zoning By-Laws at numerous regular scheduled meetings held this past year.

During the year of 1973, two resignations were accepted with regret, Mr. Ronald Saline and Mr. Anthony DiStephano. The two newly appointed members made by the Board of Selectmen, were Mr. Lawrence Conant and Mr. Daniel McGonnigle.

The Committee has under study many of our existing by-laws and has made many recommendations, some of which you may be enacting at the Annual Town Meeting.

In the coming year this Committee intends to hold a number of open hearings as a barometer to find how you, the Citizens of West Bridgewater, feel about certain By-Laws. In addition to this, we are emphasizing, once again, that all of our regularly scheduled meetings are open to the public and we welcome all suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

George O. Merritt, Chairman
Charles Johnson, Clerk
George Hollertz

Freeman N. Bowden
Robert Chisholm
Lawrence Conant
Daniel McGonnigle

INSPECTOR OF GAS

To the Board of Selectmen:

During the year 1973 a total of 394 calls were made to inspect gas installations.

As your Gas Inspector, I am required to attend meetings at Regulatory Board, and Gas Company on new Laws and Rules.

I am grateful for the assistance of the Town Clerk, Selectmen, and the Gas Company.

Respectfully submitted,

Lawrence J. Morrison
Inspector of Gas

CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report as Civil Defense Director for the Town of West Bridgewater for the year of 1973.

In addition to the usual major emergencies that the Defense Civil Preparedness Agency has become involved with such as tornadoes, hurricanes, floods, droughts, fires, blizzards, chemical accidents, civil disorders, transportation accidents, radiological hazards, air & water pollution and enemy attack we now find ourselves involved in the Energy Crisis. Local Civil Defense Directors are working along with the "Local Home Heating Assistance Offices" in an effort to see to it that adequate home heating fuel is

available to everyone. Plans to use Energy Emergency Shelters such as schools and other public buildings are being made. These buildings of course would have to have cooking and sanitary facilities. They would only be used as a last resort, if heating fuel actually ran out. Civil Defense is only involved in the home fuel shortage, not in the gasoline difficulties.

As usual one of the most important parts of Civil Defense is our National Warning System. At least once a month an unannounced drill is had and each Civil Defense Agency is involved. Once again we participate in 100% of these drills. The Fan Out System which was introduced last year is in effect, warnings are relayed by the different towns in addition to the National Warning System. This of course is for greater coverage. All warnings are received at the local Police-Fire Headquarters which is manned 24 hours a day and then the warnings are relayed to the Civil Defense Director.

The Greater Brockton Area Community Shelter Plan is in effect and is constantly updated by Sector Headquarters in South Bridgewater. This plan calls for those people in West Bridgewater without adequate home protection to be evacuated to the State College area in Bridgewater. In addition to the constant checks made on this Shelter Plan checks are also made periodically on the Radiological Measuring Instruments which are kept in the Fire Department Emergency Wagon and also at the High School. Instruments that have become obsolete are replaced by the government. The men of the Fire Department are trained to run these instruments.

The Program Papers and Progress Reports for the Town of West Bridgewater were once again prepared and submitted to the State Agency. These papers and reports were accepted and approved making the town once again eligible to participate in the matching fund and surplus material programs.

Monthly visits are made available to the town at the Surplus Material Warehouse in Taunton. Visits are made to see if there is anything of value that might be purchased for the use of different Departments in town. Items that can be used can be purchased under the Surplus Material Program at a minimal cost to the town.

My sincere thanks to the Board of Selectmen, Town Accountant, Deputy Civil Defense Director John C. Eldridge, Police Chief Lothrop, Fire Chief Gibson and all other members of the Town Government who have cooperated with and assisted me during the year of 1973.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert W. Anderson
Civil Defense Director

RECREATION COMMITTEE

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

This year the recreation program marked its third birthday. Once again, over 400 youngsters took part in the summer's activities at the Spring Street School. Our program in various recreational headings is summarized below:

Sports: Soccer, Volleyball, Softball, Kickball, Basketball were all popular activities as in years past. Our tennis program, expanded under the supervision of Mr. James Tsika, was a great success with over 60 youngsters taking part.

Arts and Crafts: A big hit under the July and August sun. This year we made a wide assortment of items including yarn animals, key chains, wall panels, bamboo bead necklaces, tissue flowers, jungle pictures, ash trays, shell jewelry, free form foam creations, etc. Two new skills were taught, thanks to our volunteers. With their help, knitting and embroidery classes were set up and these, too, were a big hit with the children.

Quiet Games: Always in great demand, we purchased what we feel will be a much more durable collection of quiet games this year. This includes table soccer and baseball games as well as puzzles, jump ropes, frisbees, etc.

Prizes: Many competitions were held over the summer in such varied areas as watermelon eating, bike riding, pancake eating, threelegged racing, home run derbies, etc. The prizes ran from the lowly gumball to fine trophies.

Refreshments: Inadequate shade necessitated our having a juice and cookie break at about 10:15 each morning. This was varied substituting snow cones, or kool pops, whenever possible.

Special Events: We started off with a "Kick-off" party on July 9th and we ended with a "Farewell" party on August 17th. In between these two dates we somehow worked in a pancake breakfast and eating contest, a birthday party, a theater show from the University of New Hampshire, a trip with over 200 youngsters to the Atlantic Aquarium at Nantasket Beach, a carnival and costume contest, a watermelon eating contest, a bike safety day, a family day which featured competitions between adults and children, a field day, a tennis tournament, a bike decorating contest, and yet another trip, this time to Lincoln Park with over 200 youngsters once again.

One every day "special event" should also be mentioned and that thanks to the tireless volunteer efforts of Mr. "Patsy" Capalupo who taught the fine sport of Bocce to our youngsters. To the children of West Bridgewater, he is something "special" every day.

Summary and Recommendations: In general, the program was once again a big success. Each year we continue to attract more and more youngsters. What better measure of success?

This success is due to the combined efforts of many people — the playground staff, the school department, the police department, the selectmen, the various offices in the town hall, the newspaper reporter, etc. But first and foremost we must give thanks to the volunteers — be they sixteen or seventy — who give from their hearts to the children of the town. Thanks — we would never have made it without you.

And so our program grows and grows. Over 400 youngsters attended over the course of the summer with a daily average of over 250 youngsters. During the winter months and into the spring the Recreation Committee will be busy planning a program for 1974 and in securing our staff. One of our prime objectives for 1974 is to set up a swimming program for beginners — intermediates — and for advanced swimming for the children of West Bridgewater. It is our desire that arrangements may be made for this program to be conducted at the Bridgewater State College pool.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Sillars, Chairman
Mrs. Howard A. Anderson
Mrs. Donald A. Fisher
Mrs. John F. Preston
Mr. Pasquale Grasso

DATA PROCESSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The purpose of this committee is to advise any departments in the town which requests assistance in the area of computer use.

The Advisory Committee is pleased to see the town advance in many areas of computer applications. The major use of computers has been achieved in the school department to assist in attendance, scheduling and grade reporting. The rest of the town is presently using a computerized payroll, which will also include the school payroll in the near future. The Board of Assessors are presently considering computerization of the Real Estate billing.

The Data Processing Advisory Committee will eagerly respond to requests to assist any town department in the investigation of any computer application. Ideally the services of this committee will be sought at the time of initial development and not at or after contract signing.

Very truly yours,

Lawrence D. Conant, Chairman
Everett B. Tufts, Jr.
William R. Brown, Jr.

MEMORIAL AND VETERAN'S DAY COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

As chairman of the Memorial and Veterans' Day Committee, I submit herewith my budget request for the Fiscal Year 1974 – 1975:

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| Veterans' Day | \$1,200.00 |
| Memorial Day | 300.00 |

The reason for the increase in the Veterans' Day request is due to the fact that the Town of West Bridgewater will be the host of the Tri-Town Parade in October of 1974.

Also, the cost of the flags purchased for Memorial Day increased 100% from May 1972 to May 1973, and it is therefore reasonable to assume that there will be a further increase in 1974.

The committee's budget for the 18-month period ending June 30, 1974, was \$900.00. Our expenditures were as follows:

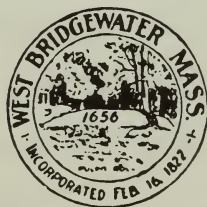
\$223.00 for Memorial Day, which paid for flags for the veterans' graves, flowers for the town memorials, and refreshments for the marchers. \$50.00 was spent for transportation to East Bridgewater on Veterans' Day.

This leaves a balance of \$627.00, from which the cost of the May 1974 Memorial Day Parade must be financed. Approximately \$300.00 will be returned to the town at the end of the 1973 – 1974 Fiscal Year.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Kellie, Chairman
Memorial and Veterans' Day
Committee

ANNUAL REPORT
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Superintendent of Schools
WEST BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR
1973

MEMBERS AND ORGANIZATION OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

1973 - 74

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| DeSales Heath, Chairman, 406 North Elm Street Term Expires 1975 | 586-0328 |
| Mrs. Rhoda Johnson, 30 Pinecrest Road Term Expires 1975 | 583-8416 |
| Stanley Carlson, 295 South Street Term Expires 1974 | 583-5619 |
| Donald MacIver, 145 Bedford Street Term Expires 1976 | 587-7370 |
| George Lepine, Jr., 67 Pinecrest Road Term Expires 1974 | 583-1987 |
| H. David Raleigh, 448 West Center Street Term Expires 1976 | 587-6210 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

First Monday each month — 7:30 P.M. in the High School

SUPERINTENDENT

Donald A. Fisher

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| Office: Town Hall | 586-5094 |
| Residence: 28 Purchase St., West Bridgewater Conference by appointment | 587-7155 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Myron Mather, 88 Bedford Street | 587-1310 |
| Mrs. Donald MacMullen, 42 Brooks Place | 587-2670 |
| Mrs. Samuel Read, 80 Waterman St., East Bridgewater | 587-0308 |

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

| | |
|---|----------|
| High School Office | 583-7502 |
| S. Erick Benson, Principal, 22 Union St., West Bridgewater | 586-2554 |
| Robert F. Gazda, Ass't. Principal, 175 Lincoln Street, West Bridgewater | 586-6472 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Stuart Keith, 47 Ash St., West Bridgewater | 586-5551 |
| Mrs. J. Layton Hayward, 615 East St., West Bridgewater | 583-7036 |

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL

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|---|----------|
| Rose L. MacDonald School | 588-8638 |
| William M. Jones, Principal, 238 East St., West Bridgewater | 586-1911 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Bruce Edson, 249 Spring St., West Bridgewater | 583-4473 |
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ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM COORDINATOR, PRINCIPAL and DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

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| Spring Street School | 586-6469 |
| Sunset Avenue School | 583-7963 |
| Thomas Peters, Principal, 80 Wood Ave., Mattapan | 361-7036 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Charles Anderson, 26 Arch St., West Bridgewater | 586-8585 |
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GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

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| Frank F. Dunn, Jr., 2 Vernon St., Bridgewater | 697-2368 |
| Mrs. Donald Lawson, 132 Larson Rd., Stoughton | 344-2355 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Robert Kellie, 13 Purchase St., West Bridgewater | 583-7865 |
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ELEMENTARY ADJUSTMENT COUNSELOR

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| Robert Fantasia, 2 Briggs St., Norton | 285-9620 |
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SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Robert White, 27 Woodland Rd., West Bridgewater | 584-4783 |
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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

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| Dr. Joseph Calitri, 17 Central Square, West Bridgewater | 587-0678 |
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SCHOOL NURSE

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| Mrs. E. Myrtle Howard, R.N., 272 River St., West Bridgewater Elementary Schools | 583-4302 |
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| Mrs. Leah Benson, R.N., 22 Union St., West Bridgewater High School | 586-2554 |
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DENTAL HYGIENIST

Mrs. Eleanor Soule, 510 Ash St., Brockton

586-4917

FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR

Mrs. Robert Reynolds, 96 Crescent St., West Bridgewater

587-3582

SECRETARY

Mrs. P. Douglas Eaton, Jr., 40 N. Main St., West Bridgewater

587-7051

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Ervin G. Lothrop, 50 N. Elm St., West Bridgewater

583-3985

WEST BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1973 – 1974

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| Teachers report to Building Principal, Tuesday, | September 4, 1973 |
| Schools open Wednesday (Grade I – XII) | September 5, 1973 |
| Thanksgiving recess: | |
| Schools close Wednesday at noon, | November 21, 1973 |
| Schools reopen Monday, | November 26, 1973 |
| Christmas Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday, | December 21, 1973 |
| Schools reopen Wednesday, | January 2, 1974 |
| Winter Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday, | February 15, 1974 |
| Schools reopen Monday, | February 25, 1974 |
| Spring Vacation: | |
| Schools close Thursday, | April 11, 1974 |
| Schools reopen Monday, | April 22, 1974 |
| Schools close Tuesday, | June 25, 1974 |

HOLIDAYS:

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|--|------------------|
| Columbus Day, Monday | October 8, 1973 |
| Veteran's Day, Monday | October 22, 1973 |
| Plymouth County Teachers Convention | November 9, 1973 |
| Good Friday | April 12, 1974 |
| Memorial Day, Monday | May 27, 1974 |
| Teachers Workshop Day (to be determined) | |

DAYS OF ATTENDANCE

| MONTH | NO. OF DAYS | MONTH | NO. OF DAYS |
|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| September | 18 | February | 15 |
| October | 20 | March | 21 |
| November | 19 | April | 16 |
| December | 15 | May | 22 |
| January | 22 | June | 17 |

Total School Days 185

NO SCHOOL INFORMATION

The policy of the school department is to hold school on stormy days. The decision as to whether or not a child should attend school will be left to the discretion of the parent. In extremely bad weather when it is deemed wise to have no school, such notice will be broadcast over W.B.E.T., Brockton between 7 and 8 A.M. and between 11 and 12 noon, and over W.B.Z., and W.E.E.I., Boston between 7 and 8 A.M.

Fire alarm signals will be as follows:

- 1 long – 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7 A.M., no school grades 7 through 12 inclusive all day.
- 1 long – 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7:15 A.M., no school grades 1 through 6 inclusive all day.
- 1 long – 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 11 A.M., no school grades 1 through 6 inclusive in the afternoon.

SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP – OCTOBER 1,1973

| Elementary | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Total |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Sunset Avenue | | | 120 | | | | 120 |
| Spring Street | 149 | 122 | 15 | | | | 286 |
| Rose L. MacDonald | | | | 138 | 145 | 183 | 466 |
| Special Class | | | | | | 14 | 14 |
| High School | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | Total |
| High School | 126 | 126 | 132 | 145 | 141 | 104 | 774 |
| Total Enrollment elementary and high school | | | | | | | 1660 |

CENSUS REPORT

| | 5 years of age or over and under 7 | 7 years of age or over and under 16 |
|--------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Boys | 124 | 679 |
| Girls | 133 | 642 |
| Totals | 257 | 1321 |

CLASS OF 1973

David R. Alger
 Jeffrey W. Anderson
 Michael J. Andrukonis
 Nancy Ellen Asack
 John S. Baker
 Janet Marie Benvie
 Deborah Marie Berger
 David W. Bettencourt
 John Crossman Bowden
 Janet Beverly Brown
 Thomas Caffelle, Jr.
 Albert Garland Calef, Jr.
 Robert Anthony Carrozza
 Karen Chaves
 Philip V. Coelho
 Richard W. Cogswell
 Joyce Elaine Corbett
 Dennis M. Correia
 Susan Barbara Cranshaw
 Frederick O. Crimmins
 Laura F. Crowley
 Charles F. Doiron
 Alan R. Doty
 David R. Gammon
 Valerie Jeanne Gardella
 Louise Marion Goldie
 Susan Gummow
 John M. Hallisey
 Nancy Hermanson
 Alan Hess
 Marilyn Louise Higgins
 Cheryl Ann Homer
 Richard A. Kelly
 Sonja Vilo Kipper
 Irene Tzvetinovitch Kroese
 Dennis R. Lawson

Paul R. McGonigle
 Dennis M. Moneghan
 Mary Frances Monsini
 Robert Morse
 Nancy Murphy
 Kathleen Anne Murray
 Lorraine Anne Nadeau
 Gregory Robert Noyes
 Nicholas D. Palmieri
 Kevin A. Parker
 Scott E. Patterson
 Mark J. Pensinger
 Judith Perry
 Carolyn Faith Pickering
 Robert Piesco
 Frederick E. Pike
 Robert M. Pistone
 Lorraine Ann Piver
 Michael J. Pomeroy
 Michael B. Pratt
 Douglas Robert Prime
 Steven Craig Purcell
 Michael F. Query
 Doreen L. Rezendes
 David Wayne Richardson
 Susan Kathleen Riordan
 Mark S. Roscoe
 Colin Guy Ross
 Bradford M. Rounds
 Diane M. Sigren
 John B. Sillars
 Francis Charles Simison
 Philip W. Smart
 Anne Marie Smith
 Stephen A. Smith
 Susan M. Tufts

Florence L. Lepine
David P. Lincoln
Timothy J. Lindberg
Mark P. Lynch
Edward F. MacHardy
Frederic Louis Magee, III
Deborah Anne Maroney

Catherine Vandemoer
Nancy Jane Waugh
Paul C. Webster, Jr.
Susan Diane Wood
Cynthia Ellen Yankowski
Linda Marie Zamaitis

CLASS OFFICERS

President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer

Catherine Vandemoer
Robert M. Pistone
Florence L. Lepine
Kathleen A. Murray

CLASS MOTTO

To be happy is not to possess much, but hope and to love much

CLASS COLORS

Red, White and Black

Superintendent of Schools

To the Members of the School Committee:

I thank each of you for the interest that you take in the welfare of the pupils and the members of the school staff. This interest is expressed in many ways but perhaps most noticeable in the number of meetings that you are obligated to attend. During 1973 there were approximately sixty regular or special meetings of the committee.

This report also gives me an opportunity to thank the other town departments and the elected or appointed officials who have provided cooperation to us, especially in matters involving the safety of the children. In addition, I extend our appreciation to the many members of the West Bridgewater Parent-Teacher Organization and the adult volunteers working in the several elementary schools as well as members of the Boosters, Gridiron and Friends of Music groups.

INOVATIONS: Essential Needs –

A. Supervising Principal – to properly coordinate and administer the new Howard School I *strongly recommend* the committee give top priority to staffing this building with a supervising principal. A school of this size, initial enrollment (330), similar to the MacDonald School definitely requires the attention of a full time administrator.

B. Drury Field – Because the Howard School Building Committee had anticipated other groups would take care of the athletic and play areas for the new building no provision was made to rejuvenate this field in the original funds appropriated by the town for the building. There is a real need, as you know, for more playing fields for athletics and outside of school activities.

The work is expected to involve approximately \$20,000.00. Fortunately, the needed money is available in no longer active and unexpended accounts held by the Town Treasurer. I ask that the School Committee strongly support the transfer of these funds for the Building Committee's use on the field. Such action at the March 1974 Annual Town Meeting will save the town 65% of the cost (due to State reimbursement) and raising by taxation the funds for a second time.

September 1974 we will institute two fine new services in the school system: 1. The Howard School – this renovated and expanded building will provide a long-sought separation of the seventh grade from the older high school youngsters, in addition to making available needed space for the growing enrollment in grades 8 – 12 at the high school. The program at the new building approved by the School Committee will include extension of the homemaking and industrial arts down through grade 6 and improved programs for physical education, art and music. 2. Kindergarten – there will be three kindergarten teachers and three classrooms at the Spring Street School to accommodate the six sections of children who will each attend one-half day. The Elementary Coordinator is working with the elementary teachers to present a curriculum that will provide the most beneficial program for the children in their most formative school year.

BUDGET: The 1974-1975 proposed budget is the largest request to date for this community. It involves: *a.* increased enrollment – 187 or 11%, due to 150 kindergarten pupils and thirty-seven more seniors than the present class. *b.* “built in” increases in salary for many staff members of 7.6% (teacher contract) cost of living adjustment. *c.* Chapter 766 of the General Laws require greatly expanded programs for children with special needs. *d.* The increased staff members needed for the Howard School and the three kindergarten teachers. *e.* Necessary building maintenance programs. *f.* General inflationary prices – all goods and services.

Chapter 766 – This fine new legislation, effective September 1, 1974, will greatly improve the consideration and the help given to children with special needs (physical or emotional) between the ages of three and twenty-one. To insure recognition of and to set up programs to help these children, we are required to annually survey the entire town to locate any such needy youngsters, to evaluate them as to specific needs and to provide a state accepted program to help them to develop to their fullest potential. The best approach is to have a program available in the local school system. However, small systems, such as ours, cannot economically provide such a facility. We, accordingly, must depend upon neighboring communities for some of the specialized help. Thus we will continue to encounter extensive tuition and transportation charges as well as the need for more personnel.

The budget request includes money for more tutoring time for our Learning Disabilities Program and a Resource Center teacher to coordinate the programs of the children in Grades 8 – 12.

School Owned Transportation – The purchase of our two, nine-passenger vans, put into service in September 1973, was an excellent decision on the part of the Committee. Since we have realized a savings of \$9,600. This amount was projected by comparing actual costs and the 1972–1973 private transportation bid prices. Contracted transportation for 1973–1974 would have been higher and accordingly the true savings is nearly \$12,000. We can add to this the convenience of having our own vehicle available for additional or emergency use. We recommend purchase of a third such vehicle to help us meet the demands of Chapter 766. Our cost projections for this additional van indicate a further savings to the Town of \$1500 during the next school year if the vehicle is amortized over a three year period.

NEW STAFF MEMBERS – As mentioned earlier in this report *the most important budget recommendation is for a competent full time principal for the Howard School.*

With the opening of our first public kindergarten we will need three additional teachers, each will work with two sections of approximately twenty-five children. Since the transfer of the two grades (6 and 7) will free only one classroom at Sunset Avenue School and a small number of rooms temporarily at the high school, we cannot transfer any of our present custodians to the Howard School. In order to handle the work in and around the new building, we must hire at least two and one-half custodians, the same number that works at the similar size MacDonald School. Also we should have a clerk in the office of this school.

We will transfer seven teachers from MacDonald School and five teachers from the high school in addition to some teachers who will be shared between the Howard and the

High Schools. Due to increased demands placed on the high school teachers by large groups in the upper grades, for example, in art and physical education, and the extension of homemaking and industrial arts to Grade 6 we will need two additional teachers in the new building plus an interne teacher for the physical education program in Grades 1-7. I also recommend a minimum of one-half time trained librarian to staff the fine new library.

The dining room, operated as a satellite from the MacDonald School kitchen, will require two additional helpers for approximately two and one-half hours each. These persons are paid from the proceeds of the luncheon sales.

MAINTENANCE – Three of our school buildings Sunset Avenue (1912) High School (1952) Spring Street (1955), while in generally good condition naturally demand an ever increasing amount of replacement, restoration and general refurbishing.

The major projects scheduled for 1974 include: three new sections in the boilers, phase two of the repair and renewal work on the steam traps in the heating system, chimney and exterior wall brick work and repairs to the driveways and parking areas at the high school. This would also be a good year to replace one or both of the badly worn counter areas in the Homemaking Rooms. At Spring Street we anticipate the need to expend a yet to be determined amount for rebuilding the leaching field and the replacement of more of the exposed exterior wooden doors.

The roofs at this school will need rebuilding to correct the error in using the wrong kind of materials which has allowed the protective gravel to loosen and roll off, in the not too distant future. At Sunset Avenue I recommend the first phase of an annual program of replacement of the existing window sash. It will best contribute to the pupils' comfort and conserve fuel to do the northwest side of the building in 1974.

The MacDonald School needs some attention to a small number of floor sections that are showing excessive wear and correction of a drainage pipe and adjacent road surfacing on the entrance drive. Recognizing the vandalism experienced at this isolated building, I am recommending that new security lights should be placed strategically around the building.

SEWERAGE FACILITIES – You are already aware we have had a serious problem in the waste disposal system at Spring Street School. When consulting with an engineer about this condition I have been advised that; 1. Correction of the situation will probably involve considerable expense possibly including the rebuilding of the leaching field. 2. There are adjustments that must be made to meet the present day requirements of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. 3. It might be most efficient to tie in this school and the high school with the new school. Such an arrangement would not only relieve our present plants but could be available for a possible tie-in with the proposed Old Colony Planning Council's regional master sewerage plant plan. I expect to have definite figures concerning this before we finalize the 1974-1975 budget.

ENERGY CONSERVATION – In recognition of the fuel shortage we will continue to take various steps to reduce our fuel consumption and minimize non-essential travel *while still maintaining a sound educational program*. The curtailment of building use after hours for all but school related activities, the turning down of thermostats and switch-over to night heat earlier in the day added to the delayed opening hours and the encouragement of carpools has all helped us realize some actual savings.

With the greatly inflated prices of all supplies and labor, for example paper costs are more than triple what they were in 1972, we must and will continue strict economy.

In keeping with our conservation efforts we have set up definite guide lines; have instituted lower temperatures in gymnasium and locker room areas and reduction of lighting use *but* we should continue our athletic and extra curricular activities including music, drama, literary and intramural programs as along as possible. While it is true these activities use additional fuel they are justified, in my mind, by the great benefits that they give the pupils.

The achievements of our young people, elementary and secondary, in the areas of conservation (first place in national competition in 1973), music, dramatics, debate, mathematics team and the various sports are great factors in providing West Bridgewater with its fine school system.

RETIREEES in 1973 – We had several key staff members retire. Mrs. Eleanor von Bretzel, mathematics teacher in junior high and Mrs. Marion MacDonald, art teacher in grades 1-6, Mr. Paul Alexander, head custodian at MacDonald School and Mrs. Grace Hambly, manager of the kitchen at MacDonald School will all be missed. We greatly appreciate the fine interest that these devoted persons contributed during their many years of service to the welfare of the children and the townspeople.

You will note the above comprises more of a list of recommendations rather than the usual summary of events that took place in the previous year. There are two reasons for this: 1. I believe the reports of the three principals and other members of the staff will provide information on our accomplishments in 1973 in good detail. 2. The matters that I have included must be given our early and serious consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald A. Fisher
Superintendent of Schools

High School Principal

This is my third annual report for the West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School.

"The school is committed to provide a complete secondary education to all the youth commensurate with their individual abilities in all areas of mental, physical, social and esthetic endeavors. Within the scope of the ability of a middle class community to provide facilities and staff, the school endeavors to meet the needs of all. Moderate progressivism, inter-disciplinary cooperation, pragmatic controls and inspirational leadership are the means adopted for responsible citizenship."

The above statement of the accreditation evaluation committee manifests itself in the academic and extra-curricular activities provided for the student body. The following statements summarize the goals and accomplishments in the various fields of endeavor.

The business department has been the fastest growing department this school year. Because of the growth in this department, an additional teacher was added to aid in servicing more students for the world of work. A significant change in the program has been the introduction of the Model Office for 12th grade students. In this double period course, students actually operate in office and see the interaction and dependence of each individual in the successful operation of an office. The business department has received \$9,490.00 in federal funds to continue its purchase of equipment for the program. The culminating experience for senior business students is the co-op program. This program provides students with the opportunity to obtain actual on-the-job training at local businesses. Students work approximately 20 hours per week and earn \$1.85 - \$2.25 per hour. The co-op program has shown a 300% increase in enrollment since its inception in 1971.

It is the goal of the social studies department to offer our students an opportunity to develop the skills and learning processes necessary to aid them in the growth of attitudes, values and motives that will enable them to realize their best contribution to society. We are adjusting to space, personnel, and budgetary limitations by introducing in several courses at various grade levels mini-courses that will help to lead our students toward a bias and prejudice in favor of personal integrity, social justice, and an effective citizenry.

During the past year the science curriculum was broadened to provide a greater latitude for college preparatory students. To provide for this need an honors program was offered in chemistry and physics.

Increased interest in project work has been noted with greater participation by the student body. The science department was well represented in the State Science Fair competition winning third place in this highly competitive venture.

The science curriculum has been strengthened by the implementation of additional offerings; however, we are once again reminded of our urgent need for more laboratory facilities. This is essential for the continuation of a comprehensive science program.

The curriculum for the students of college mathematics remains relatively unchanged. As students with marginal grades have found it difficult to make the transition, it has

become necessary to require a grade of at least C- if one wishes to advance to Algebra I to Geometry to Algebra II. This will help avert many failures in the senior year of college mathematics.

A course entitled *Consumer's Mathematics* has been added. It includes the mathematics of everyday living. Hopefully, more seniors will work this course into their programs. It includes the mathematics involved in buying and financing an automobile, securing loans for an education, making out federal and state income taxes plus many other situations the senior faces upon graduation.

The completion of a three year study by the National Bureau of Standards with the recommendation to Congress that the United States change to the International Metric System of Measurement has brought the need for a more intensive study of the metric system. It is also a recommendation of this committee that early priority be given to educating every American school child to think in metric terms. Appropriate changes have been made in our curriculum.

James Tsika's appointment as advisor to the Mathematics Team was most welcome. We now compete in two leagues, the Greater Boston Mathematics League and the Southeastern Massachusetts League. It is most gratifying to note the enthusiasm of this group as they represent West Bridgewater High School at the various contests.

The English Department has conducted a review of composition in the junior high school and will continue it into the upper grades to assess the needs and methods most productive for achievement in composition. Materials from the National Assessment of Educational Progress are being studied in relation to this review.

The junior high school reading specialist, Mrs. Justine Matthews, has organized a firm diagnostic and individualized program for the seventh and eighth grades; it is administered by herself and the English teachers who work cooperatively with her. Scores on standardized tests show as much as two years' growth for students reading below grade-level who have received three periods a week instruction with the specialist. These tests show all along the line from high academic level to disability level that there is a direct relationship between higher scores and the *number* of periods per week devoted to *individually prescribed* skills activities. This indicates that the advantages of a *reading center* should be extended, as planned to the sixth graders moving into the Howard School next year, and that more periods per week should be provided for the seventh graders who will continue with their present program when they move.

The NDEA grant made two years ago to the drama section of the English Department has produced dividends in the form of practical training in stagecraft for our students and more attractive, versatile sets and lighting schemes for school productions.

Hopefully, the pressure felt in some communities to increase teaching loads and class sizes in an effort to economize will be resisted by our townspeople. We have worked long and hard to achieve the standards set by the National Council of Teachers of English. Scores of PSAT and SAT (college board) tests reflect our efforts very definitely this year. Let us maintain our progress.

The music department is enjoying a productive and educationally sound program, with special student interest in some of the new rock music units recently added to the junior high library of filmstrips and recordings.

The junior high chorus, with its one hundred and forty-four members is meeting in three separate group periods, combining for such occasions as the Christmas and Spring Concerts.

The high school chorus, on the other hand, has proved disappointing to its director and the students themselves, since scheduling and crowded individual programs have eliminated many would-be participants. The chorus as a result is small in number and experience, comprised predominately of ninth graders.

The select chorus, "Choralaires", has been able to accommodate several of the singers and meets after school twice weekly. They have concerts scheduled in East and West Bridgewater, Bridgewater and Brockton, and have begun a successful season of performances. This group contributes its services to church groups, women's clubs, nursing homes, and hospitals.

There is still the need for additional music electives in our high school to provide not only a band and chorus for the musically talented, but also enrichment courses, harmony and theory, ear training, voice classes, appreciation available to *all* of the student body.

"The aim of education is the forming of a complete man, skilled in art and industry".
— Rabelais.

The combination junior-senior high school band has sixty members, the drill team and colorguard, twenty-eight, the varsity and junior varsity majorettes, fourteen, for a total complement in the marching band of one hundred two. This group has performed in parades, home and away football games and rallies. In addition, the majorettes have entered two competitions and the band has performed in several concerts including the Southeast District Audition Festival in Abington.

Nine band members have auditioned for the Southeast District and SEMSBA Festival bands. The newly formed jazz ensemble consists of nineteen students and the chamber ensemble includes nine students.

In addition to our regular instrumental program, private lessons by professional instructors are available to all students after school. Students are also urged to audition for the Massachusetts Youth Wind Ensemble, Greater Bostonians, and the Greater Boston Youth Symphony.

The library has continued to improve its efforts to enrich the subject content of the school's curriculum, to stimulate intellectual curiosity, and to introduce and develop research skills for all students. The effectiveness of the library will always depend on the teachers' desire and willingness to use library resources in their instructional programs, and the cooperation and support of administrators, school committee and community.

West Bridgewater school system physician, Dr. Joseph Calitri, and Mrs. Leah Benson, R.N., have had a very busy but rewarding task examining over two hundred students for

athletics. It is quite evident that more and more students are becoming involved in the school athletic program.

Pre-physicals, which consist of height, weight and blood pressure, are done at the close of school the day prior to the scheduled examination when the students are given additional tests to determine whether or not they are fit to compete on the various athletic teams.

The faculty members received a confidential list, at the beginning of the school year, of students with special needs and handicaps. This list includes such information as (1) students with specific illnesses, such as Diabetes, Epilepsy, etc., (2) special seating in the classroom, (3) medication students may be taking in school or at home, and (4) any other helpful or necessary information pertaining to a specific student. This list has proven very advantageous to both the students and teachers.

Parents of a child who has a special need or handicap are urged to make the school nurse aware of this so as to better understand this student.

Knowledge pertaining to unusual home situations which could affect the student and his school program such as an illness, death of a parent, and divorce in the family all of which can create emotional distress for a student, are also important in understanding a student's actions.

Vision and hearing screening tests continue to be done on all students in grades 7-12, with referrals made to parents in the event of a failure.

Last spring a very successful and enlightening assembly for grades 10 through 12 on Venereal Disease, which in recent years has reached epidemic proportions among teenagers was conducted. Permission slips were sent home for parental approval or disapproval with a very favorable response. The students viewed a film, listened to a well-qualified speaker from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, and then were given the opportunity to ask questions. Many intelligent questions were asked by the students and answered very truthfully and in language they understood. It was a very rewarding and necessary experience for all students and should be continued.

Drugs are still with us but hopefully on the decline. Being aware of this problem is of more value than concealing the fact. Students who have this problem need counseling continuously. It is not only the use of drugs that creates the problem but also the problem which creates the use of drugs.

Health counseling takes up most of any given day for the school nurse. Students come to talk or are referred by faculty members. Sometimes just being a good listener is all it takes and the problem becomes less. Many students make the remark, "Everyone at home is too busy to listen". Parents are urged to become listeners to their children for this seems to be one of their greatest problems.

Mrs. Benson also serves as advisor to the Future Nurses Club of West Bridgewater High School. They have attended the open house at the Brockton Hospital School of Nursing where two of our former club members are students.

Conferences attended by the school nurse this year include a Seminar on Venereal Disease, which was held in Framingham, a Health Educators Conference, and a meeting concerning the new Multi-Service Center serving West Bridgewater.

The basic aim of the Student Council is to provide in an effectively run democratic society. The Council's role in organizing and conducting all school elections as well as the ongoing revision of the Council's constitution are two of the various ways in which this organization is striving to develop young men and women who will better be able to understand those forces which govern their lives.

The responsibilities and rewards of involvement within the community were again emphasized by the Council's participation in the annual Christmas Parade. This activity, as well as other proposals being considered which would involve student-community contact, are attempts to foster the growth of productive and responsible citizens.

The aims of the 1973 athletic and intramural programs at West Bridgewater High School, working in conjunction with the academic phase of school life, are the development of specific values, attitudes, skills, and the fostering of a competitive spirit which will help to make the students worthwhile citizens in their adult life.

During the 1973 winter season there are one hundred and seventy students participating in our program. During the spring season we had one hundred and fifty students involved in baseball, golf, tennis, track and softball. The fall season found two hundred and two participating in football, cross country, field hockey, cheerleading and intramurals. The total number of students involved throughout the year was five hundred and twenty-two.

During the year 1973 the audio-visual department has endeavored to provide our teachers with the materials, equipment, and services which are so much of an integral part of a varied and multi-patterned teaching approach.

Our emphasis this past year was not one of equipment acquisition but, instead, one of equipment utilization; not of materials purchased but of materials produced; not of services obtained but of services rendered.

Largely through the efforts of an energetic, enthusiastic and interested Operators Club, teachers have been provided with many services and benefits which otherwise would not have been available; our thanks go to them!

In the coming year the audio-visual department will continue to provide those media facilities and services which modern educational technology demands while remembering that these are not substitutes to teaching but are enrichment resources which supplement and aid in the total and complex learning experience.

The real and manufactured problems facing our community today can impose a serious threat to the growth of our educational process. The value of conserving, the proper utilization of supplies and materials, austerity and accountability cannot be questioned. However, these must not replace sound educational practice. Therefore, we will continue to recommend equipment, personnel and programs essential to meeting the needs and interest of all students.

I extend my sincere appreciation to you and your office staff for all your help and interest during the year 1973.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Erick Benson
Principal

GUIDANCE

Young people graduating from high school have in recent years upset the routine of attending college beginning the following September. They no longer have the incentive formerly provided by the draft, and many feel that they can benefit more from a college education if they have a year or two of a maturing experience such as work or travel. The "tight money" situation and also the disillusionment over the prospects of obtaining a good job after graduation in light of the increase in unemployment among new college graduates in recent years have served as other deterrents.

Many colleges, including the University of Massachusetts, are combatting this situation with what they call the Delayed Admission Plan. Students are urged to make application to a college which, if it issues an acceptance, allows the students from six months to two years to enter.

A direct result of this new attitude toward completing the educational cycle has been a gradual decline in the number of students entering college immediately after high school. Statistics indicate, however, that an increasing number of students are attending and are graduating from college.

A new released time program was initiated this year with the establishment of a cosmetology training course for students in the junior year. Schedules were arranged for six girls so that they, in conjunction with girls from surrounding towns, may be in Brockton at 1:30 P.M. to receive instruction in cosmetology.

This program continues through the senior year and each successful student will, at graduation, have the necessary training and experience to take the examination to become a licensed beautician.

This arrangement, added to the regular work-study program and the cooperative program sponsored by the Business Department, has caused many scheduling problems; but the long-range benefits derived by student participants make it well worth the effort.

The following is the placement report of our 1973 graduates:

Respectfully submitted,

Frank F. Dunn
Director of Guidance

WEST BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS GUIDANCE REPORT ON PLACEMENT FOR 1973

Total Continuing Education

| | |
|------|--------|
| 1969 | 73.00% |
| 1970 | 64.27% |
| 1971 | 67.25% |
| 1972 | 54.30% |
| 1973 | 52.00% |

TOTAL GRADUATES

| <u>Boys</u> | <u>Girls</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| 52 | 35 | 87 |

| | Boys | Girls | Total | Percent of Class |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------------|
| Four Year Private Colleges | 8 | 7 | 15 | 17.2 |
| Four Year Public Colleges | 6 | 6 | 12 | 13.8 |
| Two Year Private Colleges | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Two Year Public Colleges | 8 | 3 | 11 | 12.7 |
| Nurses Training | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2.4 |
| Vocational Training | 1 | 4 | 5 | 5.8 |
| Military | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Work | 23 | 8 | 31 | 35.7 |
| Undecided | 6 | 3 | 9 | 10.0 |
| Marriage | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2.4 |
| TOTALS | 52 | 35 | 87 | 100.0 |

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO BE ATTENDED BY MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1973

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|---------------------------------------|--|
| Stonehill College | Rochester University |
| Eastern Nazarene College | Boston Conservatory of Music |
| Bridgewater State College | University of South Carolina |
| Springfield College | Smith College |
| Taylor University (Indiana) | Massasoit Community College |
| Bentley College | Quincy Junior College |
| Michigan State University | Brockton Hospital School of Nursing |
| University of Massachusetts | Mass. General Hospital School of Nursing |
| Northeastern University | Stockbridge School of Agriculture |
| Southeastern Massachusetts University | Southeastern Technological Institute |

DIRECTOR OF MAINTENANCE AND CHIEF CUSTODIAN

This is my first annual report.

In addition to carrying out our regular housekeeping and cleaning work in the schools, making minor repairs, servicing equipment, installing new equipment and furnishings, and caring for the grounds and athletic fields, the custodians and maintenance workers under my supervision have:

High School – Painted all locker rooms, library office and research rooms, the gym floor and kitchen, installed additional lights in the library reference room, and built new shelving in several classrooms. Considerable work was done to improve the athletic fields, especially the baseball diamond.

Keeping in mind our need to conserve fuel and minimize the use of same, we hope an allowance for the proposed painting of the north exposure of this building and the renovating of the steam valves will be approved in the budget. I have recommended to keep expenses reasonable, that these two projects should be done in three phases during the next three years. In addition the pointing and repairs to the chimney should be carried out as soon as possible to avoid further deterioration.

Spring Street School – Playground equipment has been repaired, replaced, and new items donated by the Parent-Teacher Organization, have been installed. Some interior and exterior painting was done during the summer months. Considerable work was done with the shrubbery around the building. A new control board for the sewage system was

put into use. We are also continuing our replacement program of the exposed wooden exterior doors.

The major concern at this building continues to be the roof which, due to the use of the wrong material, in its original construction, has now lost much of the protective gravel thus exposing the roofing paper. While we do not have any major leaks at present, we frequently find it necessary to call upon a roof repair firm to eliminate small problems. In the not too distant future most, if not all, the Spring Street School roof must be replaced.

MacDonald School – As this is a relatively new school most of our work on it has been of the preventative type. Major projects in this building have been the replacement of a number of leaking connections on the two boilers and the repairing of several small roof leaks. The boiler work was occasioned by poor original installation in an area that, due to its being covered by mistake, went undetected for too long a period of time. The roof problems were due to minor design errors which have now been corrected.

In addition to the new security lights which I have recommended for this school I hope the School Committee will take favorable action upon my request for a modest amount of hot top around the main playground exit. Installation of this would greatly curtail the amount of dirt and gravel brought into the building which, in turn, would reduce the cleaning work and the wear and tear of the floors in the classroom sections.

Sunset Avenue School – In this our oldest building, we completely painted the four regular classrooms during the summer. Playground equipment given by the Parent-Teacher Organization was installed, the fire escape door on the second floor was replaced, and our men installed new light fixtures, salvaged from the old Howard School buildings, in a special tutoring area of the basement.

I hope we will replace, this year, the windows on at least one exposure of the building with new aluminum sash. Such an installation will reduce drafts and save costly fuel. Then too the badly worn washbowls should be replaced in at least one toilet area to improve the overall cleanliness of these facilities.

While schools were closed for the various vacation periods the men kept up with the routine housekeeping chores, such as; washing walls and windows, stripping and waxing floors, refinishing desks, and making minor repairs.

Howard School – As we prepare to occupy this rebuilt and expanded building I take the opportunity to repeat my earlier recommendations as to having an adequate custodial staff in that school. We will need a minimum of two and one-half men. This is the same coverage as is presently assigned to the similar size MacDonald School. They will do the housekeeping and care for the grounds and fields around the building. One of these men should start work no later than May 1st so that he will be able to get caught up with and carry on the outside work. This man will also be needed in June, July and August to place furniture and to help prepare the school for September occupancy. The other men should begin work with the opening of school.

I take this opportunity to thank you, Mr. Fisher, for your help during the past year. I also thank Mr. Benson, Mr. Jones, and Mr. Peters, the custodial staff, Mrs. Reynolds and her assistants, and all the teachers who have made my first year a pleasant one.

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni
Director of Maintenance
Chief Custodian

Principal Rose L. MacDonald School

This is my third annual report for the Rose L. MacDonald School.

The staff of the Rose L. MacDonald School continues to strive to make the learning environment more and more responsive to the needs and goals of our individual students. Needs in the cognitive, psychomotor and affective areas. We are attempting to develop in young people:

1. a life style of inquiry
2. individual expression
3. life-long learner
4. ability to cope with and/or guide change
5. worthy use of leisure time
6. fundamental processes
7. good physical and mental health
8. an involvement in aesthetic experiences
9. an understanding of individuality
10. marketable skills.

Presently, all available space is being utilized for our 475 students. The plant is overcrowded but with the renovations and additions to the Howard School to house Grades 6 & 7 this situation should be eased.

A new addition to the school this year has been a Resource Center. It is designed to provide alternative learning experiences for pupils whose strengths do not lie in the academic domain. Emphasis is placed on appropriate social behavior, and the practical use of fundamental academic skills.

Most important in the area of teaching appropriate behavior is the development of a positive self-image. Each pupil in the Resource Center agrees privately with the teacher that he/she will work to improve a specific aspect of his behavior. In each case, the expectations of the pupil and teacher are commensurate to the pupil's own capabilities. As he/she succeeds at relatively simple tasks, and is rewarded for his/her success, expectations increase. At all times, the pupil is compared with no one but himself. Such a highly individualized program of behavior modification provides the pupil with an opportunity to work towards a goal and to succeed.

Eventually the role of the Resource Teacher should evolve into one whereby he/she becomes a general resource person — receiving students of all levels from the total school population in order to offer specific help in a specific area, and servicing the teachers by suggesting techniques through which they might zero in on a particular student's problem within the framework of a 25 pupil classroom.

Again, the student-teacher ratio of 30 to 1 in our present Grade 5 is certainly not conducive to optimum learning. Our student growth at the elementary level has been slow yet steady over the last few years—consequently an average pupil-teacher ratio of 27 to 1. Certainly we should be striving for a much better ratio as large classes take away from the learning process.

For the *Reading* period, classes at each grade level are grouped homogeneously. Those children who have difficulty in this area are grouped into small classes in order to provide for more individual help. In some cases better readers are within the same group, in this way their expertise can be utilized by the teacher to provide more individual help. By the beginning of April every child is involved in some form of individualized program wherein he/she is reading complete books based on his or her own level and interest. Miss Nelson, Reading Specialist Gr. 4, 5, and 6, and Mrs. Boynton, Reading Specialist Gr. 1, 2, and 3, maintain the overall continuity of the Reading Program for the elementary level.

In *Arithmetic*, teachers are grouping the students by ability levels within their classroom and/or developing individualized programs. In other curriculum areas, the students have been grouped heterogeneously. Except for part of Grade VI, teachers work in a semi-self-contained situation. In this way two or three teachers share a group of students for Arithmetic, Language, Literature, Science, and Social Studies. A teacher then concentrates in the Language Arts area and another handles the Math-Science area. In Grade 6 we have five departmentalized classrooms. Each teacher teaches a period of Reading per day and then his/her specific curriculum area.

The Libraries of all three elementary schools are an integral part of our curriculum. Records, cassettes, filmstrips, magazines, and books are increased each year. The students at the Rose L. MacDonald School are instructed in how to best use the library and each class spends a portion of its Reading period once a week in the Library.

The students at the elementary level have been working on a variety of projects in Art. These include – cutting and pasting, murals, crayon resists, mood collages, string printing, sponge printing, corrugated paper and styrofoam printing, paper mosaics, ceramic mosaic pendants, pencil drawings, India ink drawings, and clay sculpturing. The energy crisis will be the basis for a number of projects which will be done with normally throw-away items.

The elementary Physical Education program is established to assist each child in meeting his or her physical, psychological, and social needs. Students are offered a wide range of activities in all areas of physical education, and a special attempt is made to emphasize those activities that will increase physical fitness and knowledge in recreational pursuits, both of which are useful and beneficial in adult life. Newly added activities this year are instructional units in “Carry-Over Recreational Games” and “Cross-Country Skiing for the Individual and the Family.”

The elementary Vocal Music program, Grades 1 through 6 consists of a graduated study of music notation and symbols. As the children develop an ability to read music they are shown the elements of proper vocal technique. This program culminates in the sixth grade chorus – presently 150 members – which performs at concerts throughout the school year.

In the primary grades there is Tonette, Recorder, and Song Flute instruction. This serves as a feeder program for the Beginners Band in Grade 4. From there the students graduate to the Advanced Band. The Advanced Band rehearses five days per week and play a variety of musical forms from Beethoven to Mod Rock. This band has played at many functions in and around West Bridgewater and has traveled to other school systems in an exchange concert program. All instrumental students are given one half-hour of group instruction per week.

Students are encouraged to participate in our after school activities: an intramural program, art club, gymnastic club, and private instrumental lessons.

The Parent-Teacher Organization has been actively involved sponsoring a number of programs and providing each elementary school with money to buy much needed equipment.

Parent volunteers are being utilized at all three elementary schools. Their time and effort devoted to the betterment of the educational program is appreciated by all.

Further reports on the elementary curriculum can be found in the Elementary Coordinator's report.

In closing, I would like to thank all the personnel associated with our school for the fine cooperation and assistance received during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

William M. Jones
Principal

Elementary Curriculum Coordinator & Principal, Spring Street and Sunset Avenue Schools

Our basic goal during the past year has been to improve the curriculum by sensitizing teachers in different areas to meet the needs of each child. Through a variety of workshops, the faculty becomes aware; "IF THE CHILD CAN NOT LEARN THE WAY WE TEACH, WE MUST TEACH THE WAY THE CHILD LEARNS".

I am very pleased to report enthusiastic participation by the elementary teachers in the monthly workshops which are designed to improve our methods of instruction. Their professional contribution to these workshops has brought forth new teacher-made materials to enrich the children's experiences in the classroom. Thirty of our elementary teachers are presently enrolled in Project SNAP. This is a fourteen week in-service program sponsored by West Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Raynham, Bridgewater-Raynham Regional and Middleboro Public Schools, supported by a grant under the provisions of *Education of the Handicapped Acts of 1972 Part D*. The program deals with awareness and skill development in the area of children with special needs, with particular emphasis on G.L. Chapter 766 which must be adhered to starting in September 1974.

The *Core Evaluating Team*, composed of Specialists, Counselors and Administrators has met frequently to prescribe educational plans and placement of pupils with special needs at all grade levels. The members of the staff have been most cooperative in the integration process to help meet the needs of these pupils. The work of the C.E.T. is expected to increase this coming year in order to fulfill the requirements of the new law. Chapter 766 mandates public school systems to provide educational programs for children with special needs between the ages of 3 and 21. In addition, it calls for maximum integration of children with special needs in regular class rooms to the extent feasible.

Reading is the most important task that each teacher emphasizes in the primary grades. At present the basal reading system being used is READ, *Reading Experience and Development*. Once again I strongly recommend a six week in-service course for all elementary teachers that will further individualize the reading program. Although teachers have become quite proficient in the use of READ, an in-service course would reinforce their presentations.

The *Learning Center* this past year has included students from Bridgewater and West Bridgewater. The classroom structure continues to be therapeutic and an individualized program is provided for each child. This allows for personal growth in academic areas as well as the development of a feeling of success, acceptance and respect. The social growth is enriched by integration with the Transitional Unit. We are hoping that further integration will take place with these pupils in the regular classrooms to provide even richer experiences for all pupils at Spring Street School.

The *Transitional Unit* gives our teachers an opportunity to provide for adjustments to differences in level of ability and learning rate and to provide supplementary practice for slow learners as well as challenging materials for rapid learners. This program allows the children to participate in enriched, stimulating experiences based on individual skills.

The Pre-School Screening conducted during registration of first graders in May of 1973 again proved most beneficial by indicating 14 "high-risk" youngsters. Upon thorough diagnosis and evaluation in September, eleven of these were identified and included in the *Learning Disabilities Program*. With the expansion of the department to include nine Learning Disabilities Specialists, employed for varying numbers of hours thus 68 children, grades 1-6 are presently being serviced.

The *Speech Program* now consists of one Clinician providing screening, diagnostic and therapeutic services to children with functional or organic disorders in articulation, and in conceptual language. Speech reading, lip reading and auditory training are provided for these children with an organic hearing impairment. This program is aimed at early intervention and prevention thus, all first grade children are screened in order to identify those requiring diagnostic testing and possibly a therapeutic program. Teacher referrals are encouraged and accepted throughout the school year. There are now 45 in grades 1-6 being serviced in the Speech, Language and Hearing program.

Mr. Robert Fantasia, *Elementary Adjustment Counselor*, is presently providing counseling services to children in grades 1-6. Working with the total staff, the ultimate goal is to promote individual development within the community setting. Direct services to children include play therapy, behavior modification, psychotherapeutic techniques and situational counseling. With the staff, concentration is placed on the development of techniques for behavior management, diagnosis of the learning environment and in-service training. With the addition of the Kindergarten in September 1974, I recommend that this service be concentrated in grades K-5 and an additional counselor be placed at the Howard School to help pupils and parents in grades 6 and 7. It is extremely difficult for one counselor to adequately serve the needs of over 1000 pupils.

In our *School Health Program*, Mrs. E. Myrtle Howard, R.N., has accepted greater responsibilities for the child with special needs in screening assessment and evaluation, health counseling and management of health problems. She just completed a study dealing with a review of normal growth and development of the school aged child using programmed instructional material from Dr. Isabelle Valadian of the Harvard School of Public Health.

Pupils in grades 1 through 5, (745 pupils) were screened for tooth decay. Pupils having *dental* caries and referred for treatment numbered 341 or 45%. Although this represents a 59% decrease when compared with ten years ago, it is still too large a number. Only 82 of these pupils are known to have completed the referral. A dental program can only be successful when the parents follow through by encouraging the practice of good dental habits in the home. The West Bridgewater Lions Club and the people of West Bridgewater are to be commended for their continued and enthusiastic support of our dental program.

The *Summer Program* served a total of 37 children, ten with learning disabilities and 27 who had reading difficulties in grades 1-4. As in the past children were chosen by referrals from teachers. Tests at the end of the six week program indicated improvement which drew parental enthusiasm and support.

Our *Volunteer Parent Aide Program* under the leadership of Mrs. Patricia Kelley has twelve mothers who are actively participating in the three elementary schools and three

mothers who have expressed a desire to do typing at home. We are planning another drive to recruit more mothers for the Howard School, and also the Kindergarten classes which will be located at Spring Street School. Any interested person in the community is encouraged to volunteer his or her services.

A series of meetings in grades 1-3 were held during the spring, first, to review and expend audio-visual support materials for the *Language Arts* and reading program, and second, to establish a guide in language arts expressed in behavioral terms. Classroom teachers and specialists were very diligent in attending these meetings and completing the various parts of the guide. The work is still in progress. In the intermediate level, efforts have been made to create reciprocal social studies-language arts units for the semi-self-contained rooms. All teachers feel that handwriting and spelling have improved since the introduction of the new instructional series for these two skills.

Groupings for *mathematics* continues in the elementary grades. In grades one through three these groups are as homogeneously grouped as possible. As a result the child is better able to sense success in mathematics. It is important that the child enjoy mathematics in these formative years. Acquirement of additional manipulative materials to use in these classes have aided pupils to understand more fully what mathematics is all about. In answer to the critics of modern mathematics we have found that, taught properly, the child's ability to calculate is not hindered but in actuality is aided by a modern mathematics program. Workshops continue to be held to aid the teachers to maintain a high level of teaching in all the mathematics classes. To meet the future needs of our pupils, I recommend that an in-service course for teachers be given in the Spring of 1975 to deal with the introduction of the Metric System to the curriculum.

An evaluation of our current elementary *Science Program* was conducted by a representative committee of elementary science teachers, administrators and department chairmen. The recommendations were that the present curriculum be expanded. As a follow-up to the decision of the evaluating committee two workshops in science were held, the first being conducted by the publisher of the textbook, *Concepts In Science*, and the second by the Xerox-Ginn Company presenting a behavioral science program. We plan to continue these workshops for teachers in the coming year.

Following up the review of the elementary *Social Studies* curriculum by a group of teachers and administrators, the suggested revisions to the courses are being introduced in keeping with space, personnel and budgetary limitations. Systematically the new materials and texts are being phased into the classrooms. The overall goal is to have our pupils begin to develop the skills and processes of learning necessary to the growth of attitudes, values and motives that will enable them to realize their best contribution to society.

In closing I would like to thank Mr. Fisher for his patience, understanding and valuable support, Mr. Jones for his advice and cooperation and Mrs. Webster, Head Teacher at Sunset Avenue School for her efficiency and faithfulness.

I appreciate the dedication, loyalty and positive attitudes of *all* my colleagues who have helped make this a successful year.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Peters
Elementary Curriculum Coordinator
Director of Special Education
Principal of Spring Street and
Sunset Avenue Schools

FEDERAL PROJECTS

In the calendar year 1973, West Bridgewater Public Schools submitted nine Federal projects totaling \$105,977.96, all of which were approved in their entirety and implemented within our schools. Federal titles under which these projects were written included the National Defense Education Act, Title III, the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, Titles I and II, Public Law 90-576, Public Law 92, 318, and Public Law 874, Title I. Funding of the projects show 81.95% or \$86,293.29 supported by Federal funds, and 18.05% or \$19,684.67 supported by local funds.

Among the projects submitted and approved this year was an N.D.E.A. Title III Reading program designed to develop services aimed at remediation of reading deficiencies among students in grades 7, 8, and 9, and to enhance the existing developmental reading program in the junior high school and extend it to grades 9 and 10. This project is under the direction of Mrs. Helen Millet, Language Arts Department Chairman, and Mrs. Justine Matthews, Reading Teacher.

Under the provisions of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (E.S.E.A.), Title II, the school libraries, both elementary and secondary, benefited greatly this past year with some \$2,279.60 in Federal funds, all of which were used to purchase print and non-print material for student and teacher use through the libraries and the Audio-Visual Department. In addition, through the "Special Grant Provisions" section of this act, Mr. Edward Caffrey, Social Sciences Department Chairman, and Mr. Joseph Dermont, Librarian at West Bridgewater High School, worked with the coordinator to develop a proposal submission for an "Independent Research Media Center." This center, funded for \$2,000.00 this year, will become a nucleus for advanced research and study by students within our high school.

The E.S.E.A. Title I program "Tutorial Education: Activities and Methodologies," which is aimed at providing tutorial services to those youngsters in our primary and elementary schools who are most in need of such services experienced a most rewarding and successful year. We currently have four certified teachers working in this 100% federally funded program.

Under Public Law 90-576 and 92-318 the Business Department at West Bridgewater High School, headed by Mr. Robert Lopes, Chairman, has experienced tremendous growth and expansion of services offered to our students in the areas of stenography, secretarial, typing and related business subjects, and is now providing these students with skills to better prepare them to enter the ever-changing labor market.

All funds listed in this report, with the exception of those under Public Laws 864 and 874, are received by the Town to finance projects within the schools which are approved first by the School Committee and subsequently, the Federal government. Funds received under Public Laws 864 and 874 must be used to reduce the operating budget for the schools in the fiscal year following receipt of such funds.

In the fiscal year 1975 it is our desire and expressed objective to continue to investigate, make application, and receive those Federal funds for which we are eligible. Effective utilization of these funds is one avenue through which the Town of West Bridgewater can continue to upgrade and improve its educational facilities and services in order to provide education of the highest degree of quality for its students on a cost-sharing basis with the Federal government.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Todd
Federal Projects Coordinator

FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR

The school food service program has two main objectives. The first is to see that each child is served a nutritionally adequate and moderately priced lunch. The second is to develop good eating habits that will result in the selection of nutritious foods throughout life.

The students in West Bridgewater schools are provided with nutritious lunches daily which must meet the standards established by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Bureau of Nutrition and the United States Department of Agriculture. Each menu must be planned to contain the following requirements each day.

- 2 ounces of protein (meat, fish, poultry, cheese, eggs)
- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup of two or more vegetables or fruit
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of fruit juice may be used to meet not more than
 $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of this requirement
- 1 slice of bread or a roll or a muffin
- 1 teaspoon of butter or margarine
- $\frac{1}{2}$ pint of whole unflavored milk

This year the school lunch program is faced with unusual pressures of rising food and labor costs, and donated government commodities have been greatly reduced, forcing the program to raise the cost of student and adult lunches.

All elementary grades lunches are prepared at Rose L. MacDonald School which serves as the central kitchen. These lunches are transported in insulated carriers to Spring Street and Sunset Avenue schools. Fresh baked goods are baked daily at MacDonald School for all schools, and bread is made at least once a week. Elderly lunches are prepared and served at this school also. Next fall with the opening of Howard School, these lunches will also be prepared in the central kitchen and transported in bulk form to that building.

According to reports from the State School Lunch Office, West Bridgewater has a high average daily participation. This is due to an efficient, cooperative and understanding staff working together to make a successful lunch program.

Parents are welcome at any time to visit and view the operation of the School Lunch Program and try one of the meals.

Respectfully submitted,

Beverly Reynolds
Food Service Director

DIRECTORY of TEACHERS

TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL

S. Erick Benson, M.Ed.
 Robert F. Gazda, M.A.
 Mrs. Carol J. Anderson, B.S.
 Ronald Broman, A.B.
 Douglas Bromley, B.S.
 James Butler, A.B.
 Mrs. Matilda E. Bystrom, B.S.
 David Chuckran, B.A.
 Mrs. Susanne M. Cleary, B.A.
 Roger A. Coelho, B.S.
 Miss Anne Davenport, B.A.
 Miss Susan Deeran, M.A.
 Joseph A. Dermont, M.A.
 Mrs. Liette M. Fregeau, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Barbara Hann, B.S.
 Mrs. Barbara J. Hanssen, B.S.
 Mrs. Jill Horwitz, B.S.
 Mrs. Joan L. James, B.A.
 Edward J. Kelly, Jr., B.A.
 Rancourt LaRosa, M.M.
 Mrs. Elaine H. Laughton, B.S.
 Paul Lucius, Jr., B.A.
 Miss Wendy Marber, B.A.
 Mrs. Justine Matthews, Ed.M.
 Arthur Means
 Charles J. Monestere, Jr., B.S.
 Bryon W. Morgan, M.S.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

High School Principal
 Ass't H. S. Principal
 Household Arts
 Social Studies
 Science
 Latin
 English
 Science
 English
 Mathematics
 Social Studies
 French
 Librarian
 French
 Business
 Physical Education, Girls
 English
 Vocal Music
 Science
 Instrumental Music
 Household Arts
 Mathematics
 English
 Reading
 Industrial Arts
 Science
 Science

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.
 University of Massachusetts
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 St. Paul's College
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Sorbonne, University of Paris
 Loyola University of Chicago
 State College at Bridgewater
 Salem State College
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 Marywood College
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston Conservatory of Music
 University of Alabama
 State College at Bridgewater
 Brandeis University
 Boston University

 State College at Bridgewater
 Union College, Schenectady



TEACHERS

Mrs. Joanne M. Morlani, B.A.
 Mrs. Mary P. Morris, B.A.
 Eugene Mozzone, A.S.C.
 Mrs. Patricia A. Murphy, B.S.
 Lawrence Nangle, A.B.
 Miss Ronnie Neckes, B.S.
 Walter Olson, B.A.
 Mrs. Patricia E. Petrovek, B.S.
 Allen Rapp, M.Ed.
 Stanley Reed, M. Ed.
 Malcolm D. Reese, A.B.
 Mrs. Sandra A. Reese, B.S.
 Miss Margaret Roche, B.A.
 Mrs. Marie A. Rosenthal, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Carol A. Russell, B.S.
 Miss Martha Russell, M. Ed.
 Paul Sargent, M. Ed.
 Edward Sarro, B.A.
 Miss Ann Spileos, B.A.
 Gerald Swift, B.A.
 Frederick Timmerman, Jr., B.S.
 James Tsika, B.A.
 Mrs. Dorothy K. Welch, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Estelle, F. Wenson, M.S.
 Robert Woods, M.Ed.

ROSE L. MACDONALD SCHOOL

William M. Jones, M. Ed.
 Donald A. Berry, B.S.
 Francis J. DeMello, B.S.
 Mrs. Bernice E. Ditchett, B.S.
 Wayne Dufault, B.A.
 Mrs. Gertrude W. Estabrooks, B.S.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

English
 Art
 Industrial Arts
 Speech
 Mathematics
 Business
 Social Studies
 Social Studies
 Physical Education, Boys
 Biology
 Social Studies
 English
 English
 Social Studies
 Business
 Spanish
 Mathematics
 Science
 Art
 English
 Mathematics
 Mathematics
 Mathematics
 English
 Social Studies

PREPARATION

University of Massachusetts
 Albion College, Michigan
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 State College at Boston
 Central Conn. State College
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 Boston University
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 University of Illinois
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Massachusetts College of Art
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Boston
 State College at Bridgewater
 Wesleyan University
 State University of New York at Albany
 University of Maine

Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Stonehill College
 State College at Bridgewater

TEACHERS

Charles N. Fay, Jr., B.S.
 Mrs. Joyce R. Francis, B.A.
 Mrs. Barbara A. Gross, B.S.
 Pat Guercio, M. Ed.
 Richard A. Harrison, M. Ed.
 Arthur T. Hogan, B.M.
 Mrs. Anna A. Howe, B.S.
 Mrs. Katherine T. Keough, B.S.
 Mrs. Judith M. Lopes, B.S.
 Miss Susan K. Major, B.S.
 Miss Fontaine J. Metta, B.S.
 Miss Mary E. Nelson, B.S.
 Richard Pazasis, M.A.
 Mrs. Maureen C. Rosa, B.S.
 Mrs. Susanne Warfel, B.S.

SPRING STREET SCHOOL

Thomas Peters, M.Ed.

Mrs. Jessie M. Anderson, B.S.
 Miss Melody E. Bonney, B.A.
 Mrs. Margaret R. Boynton, B.S.
 Mrs. M. Judith Cingolani, B.A.
 Mrs. Geneva Garvey, B.S.
 Mrs. Pamela T. Jimenez, C.B.A.
 Mrs. Donna L. Manning, B.S.
 Miss Lynn Mansueto, B.S.
 Thomas L. Pezzella, B.A.
 Ms. Cynthia Rainis, B.S.
 Mrs. Dianne E. Reed, B.S.
 Mrs. Jeanne C. Roscoe, B.S.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Grade 5
 Grade 4
 Grade 6
 Grade 6
 Grade 6
 Music, Elementary
 Grade 5
 Grade 4
 Grade 4
 Grade 5
 Grade 6
 Reading, Grades 4-6
 Physical Education, Elem.
 Grade 5
 Art, Elementary

Principal & Elementary
 Curriculum Coordinator,
 Director of Special Education
 Grade T-1
 Grade 1
 Reading, Grades 1-3
 Speech Therapist
 Grade 1
 Grade 1
 Grade 2
 Grade 2
 Instrumental Music
 Grade 1
 Grade 2
 Grade 2

PREPARATION

State College at Bridgewater
 Barrington College
 University of Washington
 State College at Worcester
 Suffolk University
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 Worcester Teachers College
 State College at Worcester
 California State College, Pa.
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 University of Southern California
 State College at Bridgewater
 State University of New York at New Paltz

Suffolk University

State College at Bridgewater
 Tufts University
 State College at North Adams
 University of Massachusetts
 State College at Bridgewater
 Mount Holyoke College
 Lesley College
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Salem
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater

TEACHERS

Mrs. Myrtle A. Ryan
Miss Kathryn M. Sardella, B.A.
Mrs. Sandra L. Walsh, B.S.
Mrs. Frances A. Williams, B.S.

SUNSET AVENUE SCHOOLS

Mrs. Lillian G. Webster, B.S.
Miss Judith M. Hickey, B.S.
Miss Mary Roberts, B.A.
Mrs. Alma M. Rohdin
Mrs. Marion J. Wychules, B.S.

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Robert E. Lopes, M. Ed.
Frank F. Dunn, Jr., M.Ed.
Mrs. E. Olivia Lawson, A.B.

TEACHERS

Robert Fantasia, B.S.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Grade 2
Grade T-3
Grade 1
Grade T-2

Head Teacher, Grade 3
Grade 3
Grade 3
Grade 3
Grades 3

Federal Projects Coordinator
& Audio-Visual Director

English
Mathematics
Science
Social Studies
Business
Guidance Director
Guidance Counsellor

Elementary Adjustment
Counsellor

PREPARATION

Eastern State Normal
Curry College
State College at Bridgewater
Ohio State University

State College at Bridgewater
State College at Bridgewater
Tufts University
Lesley Normal
New York State University, Brockport

State College at Bridgewater

Boston University
State College at Bridgewater
University of Vermont
Holy Cross College
Fitchburg State College
State College at Bridgewater
Upsala College

Boston State College

| TEACHERS | GRADE OR SUBJECT | PREPARATION |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Miss Patricia D. Mayer, B.A. | Special Education | Curry College |
| Mrs. Victoria M. Kenneally, B.S. | Special Education | Boston University |
| Miss Terry Rosen, BSE | Special Education | Westfield State College |
| Mrs. Carol B. White, M.Ed. | Special Education | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Marlena Johnsky, M.Ed. | L.D. Specialist | Boston State College |
| Mrs. Marie Sullivan, B.S. | L.D. Specialist | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Judith Merra, B.S. | L.D. Specialist | Simmons College |
| Mrs. Mary Sears, S.B. | L.D. Tutor | Framingham State College |
| Mrs. Marjorie J. Brown, B.S. | L.D. Tutor | Keene State College |
| Miss Dorothy Lacerda, B.E. | L.D. Tutor | Boston University |
| Mrs. Anita F. Morey, B.M. in Ed. | L.D. Tutor | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Diane O'Leary, M.Ed. | L.D. Tutor | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Virginia Nolan, B.S. | Title I | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Constance Brady, B.S.Ed. | Title I | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Claire LaCerde, B.S. | Title I | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Rosemary Mastropietro, B.S. | Title I | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Frances Conant, B.S.Ed. | Library | State College at Bridgewater |

TREASURER'S REPORT

During the year of 1973 it was necessary to borrow the sum of \$1,000,000.00 to meet Town obligations before receiving Real Estate Taxes on and after November 1, 1973. A breakdown of the borrowing follows:

| Date of Issue | Amount | Bank | Rate |
|----------------|------------|------------------------|-------|
| April 20, 1973 | \$250,000. | First County National | 3.63% |
| June 22, 1973 | 250,000. | Rockland Trust | 4.75% |
| June 22, 1973 | 250,000. | Plymouth Home National | 4.77% |
| Sept. 7, 1973 | 250,000. | State St. Bank | 5.95% |

The cost of borrowing this \$1,000,000.00 was \$16,564.35. The reason can be seen in the unpredictable sharp rise in the interest rates. However, these same high rates allowed us to earn \$16,047.56. so the net cost of borrowing was \$516.79.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph F. McCann
Treasurer-Collector

TO BE APPROPRIATED FOR JULY 1, 1974-JUNE 30, 1975 RE-PAYMENT OF BONDS

| Department | Bond Principal | Bond Interest | Total |
|---------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| School Bonds | \$190,000.00 | \$ 73,735.00 | \$263,735.00 |
| Water Bonds | 102,000.00 | 42,680.75 | 144,680.75 |
| Various Bonds | <u>15,000.00</u> | <u>915.00</u> | <u>15,915.00</u> |
| TOTALS | \$307,000.00 | \$117,330.75 | \$424,330.75 |

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OFFICE HOURS for TOWN OFFICES

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| Assessors | Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00–12:00, 1:00–4:30 Wednesday 7:00–9:00 |
| Board of Health | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30–9:00 P.M. |
| Planning Board | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30–9:00 P.M. |
| Selectmen | Monday Eve. 7:30–9:00 P.M. |
| Tax Collector & Treasurer | Daily 9:00–4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00–9:00 P.M. |
| Town Clerk | Daily except Wednesday 9:00–12:00, 1:00–4:30 Wednesday 9:00–12:00, 7:00–9:00 |
| Veterans' Services | Tuesday 9:00–11:30 A.M. or by appointment |
| Water Department | Wednesday Eve. 7:30–9:00 P.M. |

THEORY OF THE EARTH

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| 1.5. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.5.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.6. The Earth's oceans | 1.6.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.7. The Earth's crust | 1.7.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.8. The Earth's mantle | 1.8.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.9. The Earth's core | 1.9.1. The Earth's core |
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| 1.12. The Earth's biosphere | 1.12.1. The Earth's biosphere |
| 1.13. The Earth's geosphere | 1.13.1. The Earth's geosphere |
| 1.14. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.14.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.15. The Earth's oceans | 1.15.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.16. The Earth's crust | 1.16.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.17. The Earth's mantle | 1.17.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.18. The Earth's core | 1.18.1. The Earth's core |
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| 1.28. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.28.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
| 1.29. The Earth's hydrosphere | 1.29.1. The Earth's hydrosphere |
| 1.30. The Earth's biosphere | 1.30.1. The Earth's biosphere |
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| 1.32. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.32.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.33. The Earth's oceans | 1.33.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.34. The Earth's crust | 1.34.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.35. The Earth's mantle | 1.35.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.36. The Earth's core | 1.36.1. The Earth's core |
| 1.37. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.37.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
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| 1.39. The Earth's biosphere | 1.39.1. The Earth's biosphere |
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| 1.52. The Earth's crust | 1.52.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.53. The Earth's mantle | 1.53.1. The Earth's mantle |
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| 1.55. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.55.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
| 1.56. The Earth's hydrosphere | 1.56.1. The Earth's hydrosphere |
| 1.57. The Earth's biosphere | 1.57.1. The Earth's biosphere |
| 1.58. The Earth's geosphere | 1.58.1. The Earth's geosphere |
| 1.59. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.59.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.60. The Earth's oceans | 1.60.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.61. The Earth's crust | 1.61.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.62. The Earth's mantle | 1.62.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.63. The Earth's core | 1.63.1. The Earth's core |
| 1.64. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.64.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
| 1.65. The Earth's hydrosphere | 1.65.1. The Earth's hydrosphere |
| 1.66. The Earth's biosphere | 1.66.1. The Earth's biosphere |
| 1.67. The Earth's geosphere | 1.67.1. The Earth's geosphere |
| 1.68. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.68.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.69. The Earth's oceans | 1.69.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.70. The Earth's crust | 1.70.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.71. The Earth's mantle | 1.71.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.72. The Earth's core | 1.72.1. The Earth's core |
| 1.73. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.73.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
| 1.74. The Earth's hydrosphere | 1.74.1. The Earth's hydrosphere |
| 1.75. The Earth's biosphere | 1.75.1. The Earth's biosphere |
| 1.76. The Earth's geosphere | 1.76.1. The Earth's geosphere |
| 1.77. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.77.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.78. The Earth's oceans | 1.78.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.79. The Earth's crust | 1.79.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.80. The Earth's mantle | 1.80.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.81. The Earth's core | 1.81.1. The Earth's core |
| 1.82. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.82.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
| 1.83. The Earth's hydrosphere | 1.83.1. The Earth's hydrosphere |
| 1.84. The Earth's biosphere | 1.84.1. The Earth's biosphere |
| 1.85. The Earth's geosphere | 1.85.1. The Earth's geosphere |
| 1.86. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.86.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.87. The Earth's oceans | 1.87.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.88. The Earth's crust | 1.88.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.89. The Earth's mantle | 1.89.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.90. The Earth's core | 1.90.1. The Earth's core |
| 1.91. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.91.1. The Earth's lithosphere |
| 1.92. The Earth's hydrosphere | 1.92.1. The Earth's hydrosphere |
| 1.93. The Earth's biosphere | 1.93.1. The Earth's biosphere |
| 1.94. The Earth's geosphere | 1.94.1. The Earth's geosphere |
| 1.95. The Earth's atmosphere | 1.95.1. The Earth's atmosphere |
| 1.96. The Earth's oceans | 1.96.1. The Earth's oceans |
| 1.97. The Earth's crust | 1.97.1. The Earth's crust |
| 1.98. The Earth's mantle | 1.98.1. The Earth's mantle |
| 1.99. The Earth's core | 1.99.1. The Earth's core |
| 1.100. The Earth's lithosphere | 1.100.1. The Earth's lithosphere |

SCHOOL BELLS

WEST BRIDGEWATER SCHOOL DEPT.



D. B.

WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASS. PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OPERATING BUDGET

For Twelve (12) Month Period
July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975

COMPARISON

| | 7/1/74 - 6/30/75 | 1/1/73 - 12/31/73 |
|----------|------------------|-------------------|
| Salaries | 1,774,758.00 | 1,426,235.00 |
| Expenses | 404,127.00 | 308,942.00 |
| | 2,178,885.00 | 1,735,177.00 |

1974-75 Increase over 1/1/73 - 12/31/73 - \$443,708.00 = 25.57%

REIMBURSEMENTS FOR EDUCATION

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Hot Lunch | 62,561.15 |
| Athletics | 1,937.25 |
| Title III NDEA | 1,874.36 |
| Public Law 874 | 8,525.00 |
| School Transportation Chapter 71 | 54,689.40 |
| Occupational Education Chapter 74 | 13,703.00 |
| Special Education Chapter 69-71 | 80,515.50 |
| School Aid Chapter 70 | 531,422.31 |
| Tuition | 4,476.00 |
| Driver Education Program | 6,220.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,597.93 |
| School Building Assistance | 53,471.45 |
| | 820,993.35 |

REASONS FOR HIGHER BUDGET REQUESTS

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Instituting Kindergarten per State Law | \$47,420.00 |
| Children with Special needs - new State Law | \$44,846.00 |
| Opening new (14) classroom School | \$59,003.00 |
| | \$151,269.00 |

In addition:

Salary adjustment for 7.6% cost of living, under our teachers' contract. Utilities and heat increased from 20% to 50%. Transportation is up approximately 50%.

ENROLLMENTS:

October 1, 1973 (actual) 1660 (1-12)

October 1, 1974 (Projected*) 1847 (K-12)

*Census figures indicate approximately 150 in kindergarten and the present Junior Class has 37 more students than the present Senior Class.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

DeSales J. Heath, Chairman

Stanley L. Carlson George Lepine, Jr.
Mrs. Rhoda Johnson Donald MacIver
H. David Raleigh

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Donald A. Fisher
Town Hall - Tel. 586-5094

| | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Salaries | Expenses | 1973 |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|

2000 INSTRUCTION

2200 PRINCIPALS

2300 TEACHING

| | | |
|------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Deferred Salary | 52,500.00 | |
| Substitutes | 9,500.00 | 9,500.00 |
| Dept. Chairman | 4,125.00 | 4,575.00 |
| Dr. Ed. Instructors | 4,764.00 | 3,488.00 |
| Curr. Develop Salary | 800.00 | 600.00 |
| Tuition Reimbursement | | 3,000.00 |
| Home School Phone | | 500.00 |
| General Supplies | 7,546.00 | 8,321.00 |
| Art | 2,000.00 | 2,100.00 |
| Business | 3,168.00 | 2,006.00 |
| Curr. Development | | 200.00 |
| Drama | 990.00 | 993.00 |
| Driver Ed. | 1,670.00 | 1,398.00 |
| English | 842.00 | 550.00 |
| Home Ec. | 1,387.00 | 1,400.00 |
| Ind. Arts | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 |
| Language, Foreign | 688.00 | 600.00 |
| Mathematics | 331.00 | 360.00 |
| Music | 742.00 | 600.00 |
| Science | 1,630.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Social Studies | 190.00 | 400.00 |
| Staff Travel | 700.00 | 725.00 |
| Out of State | 375.00 | |
| Non Vocational Evening | 1,425.00 | 3,320.00 |

2400 TEXTBOOKS

| | | |
|-------------|----------|-----------|
| Elementary | 5,075.00 | 6,439.00 |
| Junior High | 3,864.00 | |
| High School | 7,656.00 | 10,000.00 |

2500 LIBRARY SERVICES

| | | |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Summer Work | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Clerk | 1,300.00 | 1,300.00 |
| Adjustment | | 90.00 |
| Supplies | 3,205.00 | 3,205.00 |
| Librarian | 4,339.00 | |
| Supplies | | 550.00 |
| Librarian | 11,550.00 | 10,864.00 |
| Earned Inc. & Adj. | 1,055.00 | 250.00 |

| | Salaries | Expenses | 1973 |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|
| Summer Work | 400.00 | | 400.00 |
| Clerk | 3,150.00 | | 2,978.00 |
| Clerk Adj. | | | 50.00 |
| Supplies | | 7,220.00 | 6,055.00 |
| 2600 AUDIO VISUAL PROGRAM | | | |
| Elem. Supplies | | 480.00 | 535.00 |
| J.H. Supplies | | 298.00 | |
| Fed. Projects & Audio | | | |
| Visual Salary | | | 11,304.00 |
| Earned Inc. & Adj. | | | 255.00 |
| Differential | 600.00 | | 600.00 |
| Clerk | 1,131.00 | | 992.00 |
| Supplies | | 499.00 | 505.00 |
| Travel | | 275.00 | 250.00 |
| Out of State | | 295.00 | |
| 2700 GUIDANCE SERVICES | | | |
| Director Salary | 17,459.00 | | 16,789.00 |
| Adjustment | 1,216.00 | | 224.00 |
| Counsellor Salary | 13,273.00 | | 12,686.00 |
| Adjustment | 803.00 | | 135.00 |
| Sec. Salary | 2,827.00 | | 2,480.00 |
| Secretary Adj. | | | 105.00 |
| Supplies | | 350.00 | 350.00 |
| Travel | | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| Out of State | | 50.00 | |
| 2800 PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES | | | |
| O. C. A. M. H. | | | 1,984.00 |
| R. E. A. D. S. | | 1,882.00 | 1,623.00 |
| Spec. Testing & Consult | | 1,875.00 | 600.00 |
| 2900 EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION | | | |
| Classroom 21; T. V. | | 851.00 | 839.00 |
| Mass. Film Lib. Coop | | 685.00 | 685.00 |
| Total | \$1,535,234- | \$94,406- | \$1,327,621- |
| Instruction | \$1,629,640.00 | | |
| 3000 OTHER SCHOOL SERVICES | | | |
| 3100 ATTENDANCE OFFICER | | | |
| Salary | 400.00 | | 400.00 |
| 3200 HEALTH SERVICES | | | |
| Physician Salary | 2,100.00 | | 1,850.00 |
| Physician Adj. | | | 50.00 |
| Sub. Nurse | 500.00 | | 500.00 |
| Supplies | | 550.00 | 425.00 |
| Travel | | 300.00 | 250.00 |
| Nurse Salary | 7,280.00 | | 7,000.00 |
| Adjustment | 461.00 | | 75.00 |
| Dental Hygienist | 4,000.00 | | 3,846.00 |
| Nurse Salary | 6,953.00 | | 6,500.00 |
| Adjustment | 734.00 | | 153.00 |
| 3300 TRANSPORTATION | | | |
| Contract | | 94,885.00 | 63,114.00 |
| Additional Bus | | | 8,031.00 |
| Field Trips | | 3,700.00 | 3,700.00 |
| Special Classes | | 3,060.00 | 9,712.00 |
| Grade One Extra | | | 700.00 |
| Summer Program | 225.00 | 50.00 | 250.00 |
| Van Drivers (3) | 11,458.00 | | 1,512.00 |
| Cosmetology Course | | 925.00 | |
| 3400 FOOD SERVICES | | | |
| Director Salary | 7,250.00 | | 8,500.00 |
| Adjustment | 417.00 | | |
| Manager Salary | 4,300.00 | | |
| Adjustment | 326.00 | | |
| 3500 STUDENT BODY ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Intramurals | 725.00 | | 575.00 |
| Intramurals | 500.00 | | 16.00 |
| Athletic Coaches | 16,600.00 | | 14,930.00 |
| Adjustment | | | 140.00 |

| | Salaries | Expenses | 1973 |
|-------------------|--------------|-----------|------------|
| Athletic Director | 1,650.00 | | 1,650.00 |
| Adjustment | | | 17.00 |
| Extra Curr. Acct. | 7,970.00 | | 7,000.00 |
| Chaperones | 500.00 | | 500.00 |
| Debate & Assembly | | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| Dramatics | | 990.00 | 994.00 |
| Travel | | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Total Other | | | |
| School Services | \$179,409.00 | \$74,349- | \$105,060- |
| | | | \$142,999- |

4000 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

4100 OPERATION OF PLANT

4110 CUSTODIAL SERVICES

| | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Elem. Salaries | 36,504.00 | | 30,168.00 |
| Junior High | 18,434.00 | | |
| High School | 48,152.00 | | 45,122.00 |
| Director of Maint. | 11,000.00 | | 9,000.00 |
| Asst. Hd. Cust. & Maint. | 700.00 | | 250.00 |
| Extra Custodial | 4,640.00 | | 3,250.00 |
| Supplies | | 9,000.00 | 7,000.00 |
| Uniform allowance | | 850.00 | 550.00 |
| Travel | | 300.00 | 300.00 |

4120 HEATING OF BUILDINGS

| | | | |
|---------------|--|-----------|-----------|
| Elem. Schools | | 17,233.00 | 15,523.00 |
| Howard School | | 10,823.00 | |
| High School | | 14,800.00 | 8,925.00 |

4130 UTILITY SERVICES

| | | | |
|--------------------|--|-----------|-----------|
| Water | | 350.00 | 350.00 |
| Gas | | 730.00 | 525.00 |
| Electricity | | 14,080.00 | 10,343.00 |
| Telephone | | 2,921.00 | 2,120.00 |
| Telephone Security | | 354.00 | 288.00 |
| Water | | 325.00 | |
| Electricity | | 7,300.00 | |
| Telephone | | 1,115.00 | |
| Telephone Security | | 108.00 | |
| Water | | 380.00 | 325.00 |
| Gas | | 1,042.00 | 525.00 |
| Electricity | | 11,245.00 | 8,400.00 |
| Tel. Inc. Supt. | | 4,841.00 | 4,087.00 |
| Telephone Security | | 118.00 | 96.00 |

4200 MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

4210 MAINTENANCE OF GROUNDS

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------|--------|
| Pump septic tanks, all sch. | 1,600.00 | 150.00 |
| General Rep., fence, etc. | 150.00 | 100.00 |
| Bleachers | 225.00 | 300.00 |
| Baseball diamond | 150.00 | 500.00 |
| Running track | 150.00 | 85.00 |
| Fertilizer, loam, etc. | 400.00 | 400.00 |

4220 MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------|
| (Sunset) | | |
| New window shades | 60.00 | 45.00 |
| Fire escape door (Spring St.) | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| Roof repairs | 700.00 | 650.00 |
| Clocks and bells | 175.00 | 100.00 |
| Wire glass around door | 225.00 | 200.00 |
| Electronic board | | 386.00 |
| Outside doors (5) | 500.00 | |
| (Sunset Ave.) | | |
| Replacement windows | 800.00 | |
| Sinks | 200.00 | |
| Clocks and bells | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Doors checks and locks | 200.00 | |
| Roof repairs | 500.00 | |
| Chalkboard | | 200.00 |
| New Blackboards (2 rms) | | 400.00 |
| General Roof repairs | 1,500.00 | 750.00 |
| Door checks and locks | 300.00 | 250.00 |
| Steam trap | 1,040.00 | 200.00 |
| Clocks and bells | 100.00 | 100.00 |

| | <u>Salaries</u> | <u>Expenses</u> | <u>1973</u> |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Ceiling boys shower | | | 264.00 |
| Circulating pump | | 200.00 | |
| Roadway | | 500.00 | |
| Counters | | 1,338.00 | |
| Termite control | | 350.00 | |
| Exterior doors | | 500.00 | |
| 3 new sections to boiler | | 2,000.00 | |
| Boiler maint. & Fire Chamber | | 1,900.00 | 1,100.00 |
| Summer rep. & painting | | 750.00 | 1,200.00 |
| General rep. all schools | | 8,000.00 | 5,500.00 |
| 4230 MAINTENANCE OF EQUIPMENT | | | |
| Sunset Ave. | | | |
| Univents | | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| MacDonald School | | | |
| Boiler Service | | 150.00 | 100.00 |
| Univents | | 250.00 | 200.00 |
| High School | | | |
| Powers regulator | | 300.00 | 200.00 |
| ALL SCHOOLS | | | |
| Oil burner service | | 1,750.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Repairs to audio visual | | 650.00 | 450.00 |
| Repairs Educational | | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| Truck Maintenance | | 550.00 | 550.00 |
| Fire Extinguishers | | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| Repairs Grounds equip. | | 300.00 | 200.00 |
| Vans maintenance | | 4,804.00 | 600.00 |
| Security system contract | | 696.00 | 240.00 |
| General Repairs | | 250.00 | 325.00 |
| Total Operation & Maintenance of Plant | \$119,430.00 | \$135,578.00 | \$167,342.00 |

5200 FIXED CHARGES

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| 5200 INSURANCE | | |
| Ins. all Schools | 2,359.00 | 2,059.00 |

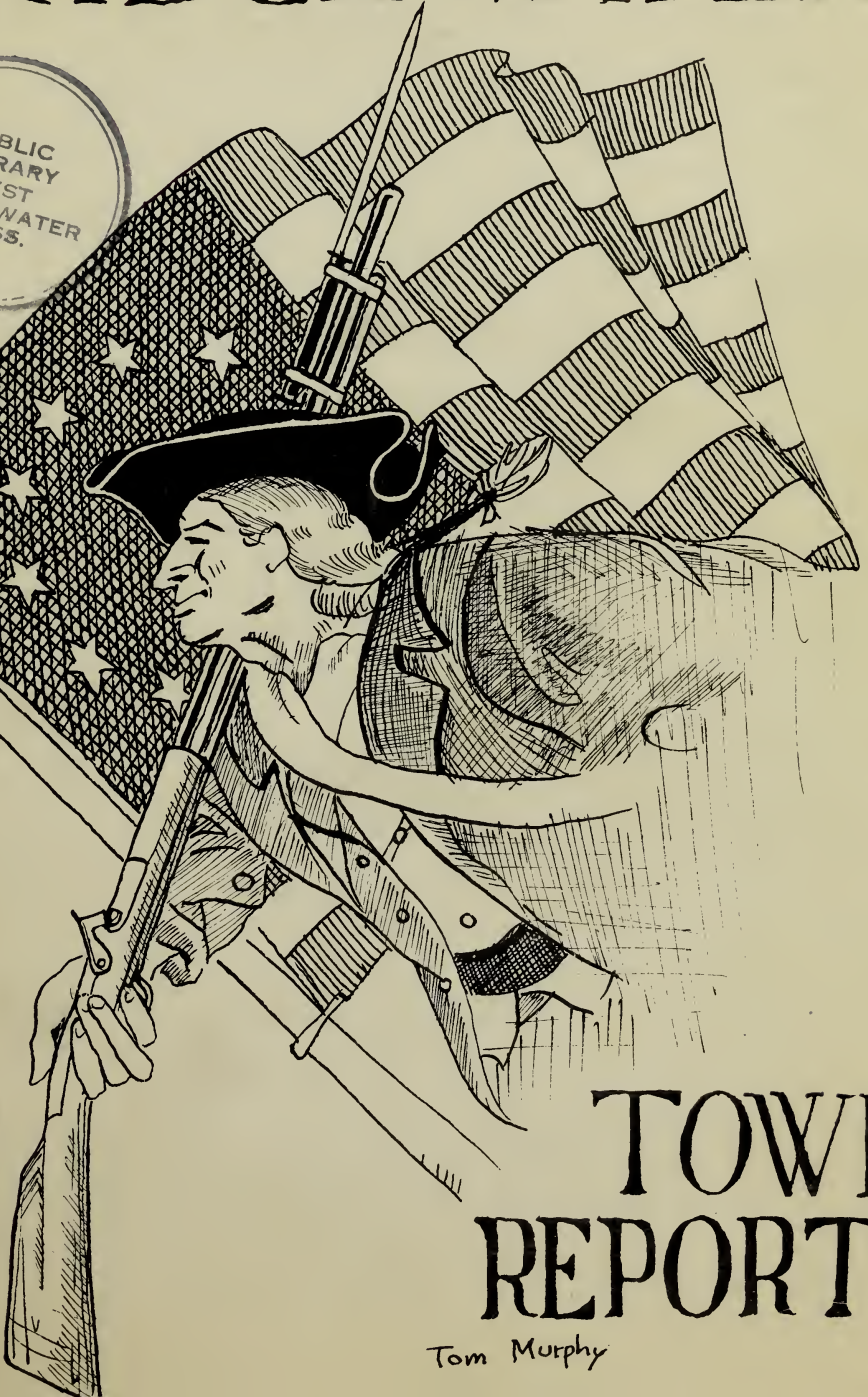
7000 ACQUISITION OF FIXED ASSETS

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| 7300 ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT | | |
| N.D.E.A. Title III | | 3,900.00 |
| Calculator | 330.00 | |
| Van Type Bus | 4,700.00 | 10,500.00 |
| Audio Visual | 1,200.00 | 900.00 |
| Misc. Subjects | 2,350.00 | 1,998.00 |
| Science | 1,050.00 | 1,100.00 |
| Dining rm. (MacDonald) | 592.00 | 262.00 |
| Duplicating machine | | 448.00 |
| File cabinet (Spring St.) | 95.00 | |
| Duplicating Cabinets | | 120.00 |
| Kindergarten | 4,500.00 | |
| Audio Visual | 734.00 | 800.00 |
| Music | 550.00 | 443.00 |
| Library | 550.00 | 416.00 |
| Ind. Arts | 1,151.00 | 800.00 |
| Science | 1,450.00 | 1,600.00 |
| Driver Education | 255.00 | 234.00 |
| Business | 705.00 | 115.00 |
| Mathematics | 128.00 | 756.00 |
| Social Studies | 245.00 | 350.00 |
| Home Ec. | 282.00 | 653.00 |
| Art | 119.00 | 303.00 |
| Health | 89.00 | 89.00 |
| Guidance | | 431.00 |
| Office | 150.00 | 247.00 |
| English | 320.00 | |
| Foreign Language | 190.00 | |
| Library study rm. lights | | 130.00 |
| Band uniforms | | 744.00 |
| 1973 Business project | | 329.00 |
| 1974 Business project | | 5,475.00 |

| | <u>Salaries</u> | <u>Expenses</u> | <u>1973</u> |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 7400 REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT | | | |
| Replace fire eye | | 700.00 | 400.00 |
| Vacuum cleaner | | | 350.00 |
| Replace Truck | | 2,500.00 | |
| Floor machine | | | 360.00 |
| Band Uniforms | | 3,654.00 | |
| Ind. Arts Inst. & Tools | | | 700.00 |
| Replace band saw | | 1,027.00 | |
| Total Acquisition of Fixed Assets | | \$29,616.00 | \$34,953.00 |
| 9100 PROGRAMS WITH OTHER DISTRICTS | | | |
| 9100 TUITION | | 26,393.00 | 9,080.00 |
| GRAND TOTALS | \$1,774,758.00 | \$403,227.00 | \$1,735,177.00 |
| TOTAL BUDGET | \$2,177,985.00 | | |

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BRIDGEWATER

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BRIDGEWATER
MASS.



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**THIS ANNUAL REPORT
IS DEDICATED TO:**

MARJORIE E. MAC DONALD

"Marge" will always be remembered for her dedication, devotion and assistance which she has so unselfishly rendered to the townspeople of West Bridgewater.

Board of Selectmen, 1956 - 1974

Howard School Property Committee, 1971

Council on Aging, 1974

Conservation Commission, 1974

President of Plymouth County Selectmen's Association, 1972

MAE ELIZABETH MATHER

In recognition of the high quality of her work for the Public Schools in the Town. She contributed, constantly, great loyalty and dedication to her work.

Lunch Program -- 1952 - 1959

Secretary to the School Committee and

to the Superintendent of Schools -- 1959 - 1974

IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Douglas Leighton
Assistant School Physician 1974
Deceased November 20, 1974

Lawrence T. Morrison
Inspector of Gas -- 1966 - 1974
Deceased November 22, 1974

Lester W. Reynolds
Street Lighting Committee -- 1951 - 1974
Deceased July 10, 1974

Raymond J. Smith
Finance Committee -- 1962 - 1968
Deceased July 18, 1974

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers and Committees
OF THE TOWN OF
WEST BRIDGEWATER



For the Year Ending December 31

1974

STATISTICS

of THE TOWN of WEST BRIDGEWATER

Population — 7152

Total Registered Voters — 3290

PRECINCT I

Republican 690

Democrat 356

Unenrolled 580

PRECINCT II

Republican 695

Democrat 391

Unenrolled 578

Number of Dwellings — 1845

Area of Town — 15.75 Square Miles

Miles of Water Mains — 55.43

Local Road Mileage — 58

COUNCILLOR — FIRST DISTRICT

Herbert L. Connolly

SENATOR — BRISTOL, PLYMOUTH, NORFOLK DISTRICT

John M. Quinlan

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

14th PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Carl R. Ohlson

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

10th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Margaret Heckler

Town Meeting — March 11

Election — March 16

1975

Town Meeting — March 10

Town Election — March 15

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1974

MODERATOR

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Charles L. Hill | 1973 | 1974 |

TOWN CLERK

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|---------------|---------|--------------|
| Anna E. Brown | 1973 | 1976 |

SELECTMEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Michael Manugian | 1972 | 1975 |
| Richard E. Krugger | 1973 | 1976 |
| Charles H. Johnson | 1974 | 1977 |

ASSESSORS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|---------------------|---------|--------------|
| Sherwood W. Jackson | 1973 | 1975 |
| Herbert A. Holmes | 1973 | 1976 |
| Irving W. Puffer | 1974 | 1977 |

TREASURER – COLLECTOR

| | Appointed |
|------------------|-----------|
| Joseph F. McCann | 1973 |

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|----------------------|---------|--------------|
| Priscilla Grippen | 1972 | 1975 |
| Edith Wolfsberg | 1972 | 1975 |
| Joseph Utka | 1973 | 1976 |
| Ethel T. Fisher | 1973 | 1976 |
| Jessie Anderson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Richard A. Worcester | 1974 | 1977 |

REGIONAL-VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Eugene Kostecki | 1972 | 1975 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Rhoda M. Johnson | 1972 | 1975 |
| DeSales J. Heath | 1972 | 1975 |
| H. David Raleigh | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald L. MacIver | 1973 | 1976 |
| Stanley O. Carlson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Charles R. Barros | 1974 | 1977 |

WATER COMMISSIONERS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-------------------|---------|--------------|
| John W. Noyes | 1972 | 1975 |
| Edward G. Asack | 1973 | 1976 |
| Paul L. Lamoureux | 1974 | 1977 |

TREE WARDEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1974 | 1977 |

CONSTABLES

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| Edwin T. Gibson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Raymond L. Silva | 1974 | 1977 |

BOARD OF HEALTH

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|----------------------|---------|--------------|
| Patrick V. McDonough | 1972 | 1975 |
| Edward F. Cruz | 1974 | 1976 |
| James Purpura | 1974 | 1977 |

PLANNING BOARD

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Merton H. Ouderkirk | 1970 | 1975 |
| Ronald P. Snell | 1971 | 1976 |
| Donald Seablom | 1974 | 1975 |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | 1973 | 1978 |
| Philip C. Tuck | 1974 | 1979 |

HOUSING AUTHORITY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Lillian J. Cheyunski | 1970 | 1975 |
| Armen Amerigian (Appointed by State) | 1973 | 1976 |
| George A. Miller | 1973 | 1976 |
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1972 | 1977 |
| Richard C. Williams | 1974 | 1979 |

Appointments — Town Meeting

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER, WOOD AND BARK

| | | |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Frank MacLeod | Charles Johnson | Merton H. Ouderkirk |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|

FIELD DRIVERS

| | | |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| William E. Berry | George O. Merritt | Howard Anderson |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|

FENCE VIEWERS

| | | |
|-------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Wayne Asker | Audrey L. Johnson | Robert Holmes |
|-------------|-------------------|---------------|

Officers Appointed By Selectmen

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Irving G. Sylvester

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Arthur E. Chaves

CHIEF OF POLICE

Ervin G. Lothrop

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Edwin T. Gibson

SUPERINTENDENT OF PEST CONTROL, 3 Yrs.

Thomas B. MacQuinn

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Edwin T. Gibson

SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Warren Turner

DOG OFFICER

Robert Etsell

VETERAN'S BURIAL AGENT

Armen Amerigian

VETERANS' SERVICES

Armen Amerigian

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

Robert W. Anderson

DEPUTY CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

John C. Eldridge

GAS INSPECTOR

Lawrence Morrison

TOWN COUNSEL

Francis J. Lynch II

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Lance R. Ohlson | 1972 | 1975 |
| Francis J. Boyd | 1973 | 1976 |
| Edward M. Pingree | 1974 | 1977 |

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Albert Greiner

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Antone Sousa | Thomas B. MacQuinn | Richard E. Norris |
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BUILDING INSPECTOR

Ernest Peterson

MEMORIAL FIELD COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Charles Hill | William R. Brown | Armen Amerigian |
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LOCKUP KEEPER

Walter Thayer

ADMINISTRATOR OF INSURANCE

Joseph F. McCann

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| H. Kingman Burrill | 1972 | 1975 |
| John D. Pettinelli | 1974 | 1975 |
| William E. Turner, Sr. | 1974 | 1976 |
| John H. Hamilton, Jr. | 1973 | 1976 |
| Julian Lucini | 1974 | 1977 |

Associate Members: Henry Podolsky and Ronald S. Alger

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Francis LeBaron | 1974 |
| Leon Beaulieu | 1975 |
| Ronald Brodrick | 1976 |
| Frank Miller | 1977 |
| George Hollertz, Jr. | 1978 |

ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Charles Higgins | 1975 |
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1976 |
| Freeman Bowden | 1977 |
| Robert Bowman | 1978 |
| Henry Bradford | 1979 |

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Philip C. Tuck | 1972 | 1975 |
| Emil Lawson | 1972 | 1975 |
| Audrey Johnson | 1973 | 1975 |
| Richard Burton | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald E. Surgens | 1973 | 1976 |
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1974 | 1977 |
| J. Layton Hayward | 1974 | 1977 |

BY-LAW STUDY COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Gary Boyd | 1974 | 1975 |
| Geraldine Hamilton | 1974 | 1976 |
| Gilbert Baker | 1974 | 1977 |
| Robert White | 1974 | 1978 |
| Lawrence Conant | 1974 | 1978 |
| George V. Hollertz, Jr. | 1974 | 1979 |
| George Merritt | 1974 | 1979 |

HOWARD SCHOOL PROPERTY COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Richard Hill | John J. Hamilton Jr. | Marjorie E. MacDonald |
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RECREATION COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Jessie Anderson | 1971 | 1975 |
| John Sillars | 1971 | 1976 |
| Pasquale Grasso, Jr. | 1973 | 1977 |
| Carmella Preston | 1973 | 1978 |
| Ethel Fisher | 1974 | 1979 |

COUNCIL ON AGING

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Dorothy Amerigian | 1972 | 1975 |
| Lucille North | 1973 | 1975 |
| Marjorie E. MacDonald | 1974 | 1975 |
| Margaret Ryan | 1973 | 1976 |
| Virginia Antonangelli | 1973 | 1976 |
| Evelyn Thayer | 1973 | 1976 |
| Susan D. Puffer | 1974 | 1977 |
| Lloyd A. Sears | 1974 | 1977 |
| John C. Eldridge | 1974 | 1977 |

DATA PROCESSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

| | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Lawrence D. Conant | Stuart M. Keith |
| Everett B. Tufts | William R. Brown, Jr. |

TRAILER PARK INSPECTION COMMITTEE

| | |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Richard E. Krugger | Ronald Broman |
| Marjorie E. MacDonald | Patrick V. McDonough |
| Michael Manugian | Merton H. Ouderkirk |
| James Purpura | Ronald P. Snell |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | |

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Wallace Johnson
Marie Murray

Albert B. Cook
Dorothy Seablom

Jessie Anderson

MULTI SERVICE HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE

E. Myrtle Howard, RN

ECONOMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE FOR OCPC

Samuel Read, Jr.

OLD COLONY PLANNING COUNCIL TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Erland W. Thayer

AMBULANCE STUDY COMMITTEE

Michael Manugian

Edwin T. Gibson

Ervin G. Lothrop

**Appointments By
Board of Health**

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND SLAUGHTERING

Leo F. Moroni

BOARD OF HEALTH PHYSICIAN

Dr. Joseph F. Calitri

BURIAL AGENT

Anna E. Brown

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

Wallace Engstrom

ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

William L. Pike

**Appointments By
Chief of
Fire Department**

DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

Frank Burke

DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

Francis J. Crowley
William E. Gibson, Jr.
Frank Burke

Edward G. Asack
Thomas B. MacQuinn
Irving Sylvester

Appointments By Moderator

COMMITTEE TO APPOINT A FINANCE COMMITTEE

Warren E. Turner
Frank Burque

Edward Asack
Henry Bishop

Howard G. Miles

STREET LIGHTING COMMITTEE

John B. Sillars
Angelo E. Mattie

Raymond L. Silva
John Daly

Donald A. Seabloom

WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Philip C. Tuck
Donald E. Surgens

Merton H. Ouderkirk
Richard E. Krugger
James Purpura

FINANCE COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Barbara Ginn | 1972 | 1975 |
| John Simpson, Jr. | 1973 | 1975 |
| Lawrence D. Conant | 1973 | 1975 |
| John B. Baker | 1973 | 1976 |
| Eldon Moreira | 1973 | 1976 |
| Robert Oakhem | 1973 | 1976 |
| Wayne Asker | 1974 | 1977 |
| Robert L. Smith | 1974 | 1977 |
| Donald Davock | 1974 | 1977 |

HOWARD SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Warren E. Turner
John D. Pettinelli

Sherwood W. Jackson
George E. Richardson

Stanley O. Carlson

SWIMMING POOL STUDY COMMITTEE

Ethel T. Fisher
Priscilla Grippen
Robert Bowman

Alice B. Richardson
Paul Sheedy
Pasquale Capolupo

POLICE STATION STUDY COMMITTEE

Charles M. Roussel
Joseph L. McMorrow

Richard C. Williams
Leonard P. Bucci

George V. Hollertz, Jr.

Resignations

March 20, 1974 -- Charles H. Johnson resignation received as member of the Planning Board.

April 19, 1974 -- Minot Edson and Harold Colby resignation received as members of the Board of Appeals.

July 15, 1974 -- Freeman Bowden resignation received from the By-Law Study Committee

August 7, 1974 -- Robert L. Kellie, resignation received from Memorial and Veteran's Day Committee.

September 25, 1974 -- Rev. Francis G. Goss, resignation received from the Council on Aging.

Appointments

May 1, 1974 -- Donald Seablom appointed as member of the Planning Board, until next annual Election.

June 11, 1974 -- Thomas B. MacQuinn and Philip C. Tuck appointed Special Police Officers.

July 1, 1974 -- William Ferretti and Robert Kominsky appointed Permanent Police Officers.

August 13, 1974 -- Robert White, appointed as member of the By-Law Study Committee.

December 10, 1974 -- Wallace Engstrom appointed Inspector of Gas.

TOWN CLERK

Annual Town Meeting

March 11, 1974

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in election were duly warned, was called to order at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Gymnasium, by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill. Invocation was given by Rev. Alfred L. Luce, from West Bridgewater Baptist Church. National Anthem was played by High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Rancourt LaRosa.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown. Board of Registrars noted that 300 voters had been checked in. Counters for the evening were: John Sillars, Charles H. Johnson, Robert L. Smith, John H. Hamilton, Warren Turner, Irving Puffer, Gail Pratt.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Voted: to elect the following officers for the ensuing year not elected on the official Ballot.

Surveyors of Lumber, Wood and Bark: Charles Johnson, Frank MacLeod, Merton H. Ouderkirk. So voted.

Field Drivers: William E. Berry, George O. Merritt, Howard Anderson. So voted.

Fence Viewers: Wayne Asker, Audrey L. Johnson, Robert Holmes. So voted.

Article 2. Voted: The reports of the Town Offices and Committee as printed in the Town Report be accepted.

Article 3. Voted: The Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1974, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Article 4. Moved: that the sum of \$26,476.00 be appropriated to be used for State Aid Construction in conjunction with State and County funds, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$6,250.00 be raised in the tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974, and the sum of \$20,226.00 be transferred from the Surplus Revenue account to meet the State and County's share of the work, reimbursement from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to the Surplus Revenue Account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Moved: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to enter into a contract or contracts with the Department of Public Works and County Commissioners for the construction and maintenance of public highways for the ensuing year.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 6. Moved: That the salary of the following elected Town Officials to be as follows for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974.

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| Moderator | \$ 60.00 | Assessors — Chairman | 1,670.00 |
| Selectmen: Chairman | 1,155.00 | Clerk | 1,670.00 |
| Clerk | 925.00 | 3rd mem. | 1,670.00 |
| 3rd Mem. | 925.00 | Water Commissioners, Chr. | 775.00 |
| Town Clerk | 7,625.00 | Clerk | 630.00 |
| Treasurer-Collector | 11,185.00 | 3rd Mem. | 555.00 |
| Tree Warden | 12,170.00 | Board of Health, each mem. | 245.00 |

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974.

The following appropriations were voted:

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| Moderator | | 60.00 |
| Finance Committee | | 500.00 |
| Selectmen: | | |
| Salary | | 3,005.00 |
| Secretary | | 4,550.00 |
| Expenses | | 1,950.00 |
| Equipment | | 400.00 |
| Town Accountant | | 5,740.00 |
| Treasurer-Collector | | |
| Salary & Expenses | o/s travel 175.00 | 33,850.00 |
| Equipment | | 325.00 |
| Assessors: | | |
| Salary | | 5,010.00 |
| Clerk | | 6,006.00 |
| Expenses | | 1,790.00 |
| Equipment | | 250.00 |
| Law | | 6,000.00 |
| Town Clerk | | 11,395.00 |
| Elections & Registrations | | 6,655.00 |
| Town Office | | 13,460.00 |
| Police Department: | | |
| Salaries & Expense — | o/s travel 500.00 | 306,580.00 |
| Equipment | | 6,015.00 |
| Fire Dept. & Station: | | |
| Salaries & Expense — | o/s travel 400.00 | 88,700.00 |
| Equipment | | 1,050.00 |
| Tree Warden and Parks | | 47,540.00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | | 410.00 |
| Inspector of Wires | | 950.00 |
| Inspector of Buildings | | 10,025.00 |
| Inspector of Gas | | 1,400.00 |
| Dog Officer | | 4,080.00 |
| Civil Defense | | 855.00 |

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| Planning Board | 1,935.00 |
| Board of Appeals | 750.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 4,750.00 |
| Board of Health | 17,110.00 |
| Highway Department | 212,395.00 |
| Veteran's Agent | 80,650.00 |
| Town Schools — o/s travel \$3,170.00 | 2,177,985.00 |
| Southeastern Regional Vocational School | 67,869.00 |
| Library: | |
| Salaries and Expenses — w o/s travel \$100.00 | 33,768.00 |
| Equipment | 1,985.00 |

The following motions were made on the above appropriations:

Motion made and seconded to appropriate the sum of \$4,550.00 for Selectmen's Clerk. Motion amended that the sum of \$6,006.00 be appropriated. Upon vote on the amendment of Yes 76, No 173, the sum of \$4,550.00 was carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$1,950.00 be appropriated for Selectmen's Expense. Motion amended to read sum of \$2,650.00 be appropriated. Upon vote amendment lost and the sum of \$1,950.00 was carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$3,600.00 be appropriated for Assessor's Clerk. Amount amended the sum of \$6,006.00 be appropriated. Upon vote the sum of \$6,006.00 was carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$6,000.00 be appropriated for Law. Motion amended the sum of \$6,600.00 be appropriated. Upon vote amendment lost and the sum of \$6,000.00 was carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$306,580.00 be appropriated for the Police Dept. for salaries and expense with \$500.00 for out of state Travel. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$88,964.00 be appropriated for the Fire Department & Station with \$400.00 for out of state Travel. Motion made and seconded to amend the sum to read \$88,700.00 to include \$400.00 for out of state Travel. Upon counted vote of yes 70 and no-173 on original motion the amended amount was carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$1,050.00 for equipment for the Fire Dept. be appropriated. So voted.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$8,600.00 be appropriated for the Conservation Commission. Motion to amend the sum to read \$4,750.00 was made. Upon vote, motion to amend the sum to \$4,750.00 was carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$2,177,985.00 be appropriated for the operation of Public Schools for 1974-1975 School year; the sum of \$10,380.00 from P.L. 874 and \$1,874.36 from Title III monies shall be applied to this budget to include \$33,170.00 for out of state travel. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$33,768.00 be appropriated for the Salaries and Expenses for the Library to include \$100.00 for out of state travel. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$1,985.00 be appropriated for Library Equipment. Motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until Tuesday evening March 12 at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Gymnasium. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:45 P.M.

A true copy, Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING
March 12, 1974

Meeting called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the Moderator Charles L. Hill.

251 voters were checked at the door. Counters for the evening were John Sillars, John Hamilton, Irving Puffer, Gary Boyd, Charles Johnson, Robert Smith, Warren Turner.

The meeting paused a moment from its regular routine of business to honor Mrs. Marjorie MacDonald, member of the Board of Selectmen for 18 years and was not seeking re-election. Mrs. MacDonald was presented with a bouquet of red roses, one for each year of service, by Richard E. Krugger, member of the Board. Michael Manugian, Chairman of the Board, presented a citation for civic service and a resolution which was read on to the records:

WHEREAS, Marjorie E. MacDonald has served the Town of West Bridgewater for the past eighteen years as a Selectman,

WHEREAS, Marjorie E. MacDonald has given of her time and effort unstintingly for these eighteen years,

WHEREAS, Marjorie E. MacDonald has brought distinction to the office of Selectmen by having served as President of Plymouth County Selectmen's Association and on the Executive Board of the Massachusetts Selectmen's Association,

WHEREAS, Marjorie E. MacDonald has always been in the forefront of promoting the best interests of West Bridgewater,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED:

That the Town of West Bridgewater expresses its deep appreciation to Marjorie E. MacDonald and that this RESOLUTION be spread on the Records of the Town Clerk and a copy thereof be sent to Mrs. MacDonald.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 7 Item 29; budget appropriations:

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| Industrial Development | 350.00 |
| Water Department: w o/s travel 300.00 (from Water Rev.) | 90,270.00 |
| Recreation Commission | 4,060.00 |
| Council on Aging | 3,010.00 |
| Hydrant Maintenance | 11,458.00 |

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| Street Lights | 21,700.00 |
| Contributory Retirement | 53,317.00 |
| Town Reports | 3,700.00 |
| Memorial & Veterans Day | 1,500.00 |
| Christmas Decorations | 350.00 |
| Reserve Fund (from overlay Surplus) | 120,000.00 |
| Insurance Casualty | 40,266.00 |
| Insurance Group | 42,533.00 |
| Engineering Service | 1,000.00 |
| Memorial Field | 300.00 |
| Tennis Court | 200.00 |
| Bonds & Interest | 335,000.00 |

Special motions on the above appropriations as follows:

Motion made and seconded that the sum of \$90,270.00 be appropriated for the Water Department to include \$300.00 for out of state travel and to be taken from Water Revenue. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$40,266.00 be appropriated for Insurance Casualty and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$14,724.00 be taken from Taxation and the sum of \$25,542.00 transferred from Revenue Sharing. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$120,000.00 be transferred from overlay surplus to the Reserve Fund. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$335,000.00 be appropriated for Bonds and Interest and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$33,000.00 be taken from taxation and the sum of \$5,000.00 be transferred from Water Revenue. Motion carried.

Article 8. Moved: the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture (Plymouth County Extension) and that Clifford H. Carlson be appointed as Town Director as provided in Sections 41 and 42 of Revised Chapter 128 of the General Laws.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 9. Voted: the sum of \$8,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase two station wagon type cruisers for the Police Department and the transfer of equipment to such new cruisers and authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to trade in the old police cruisers Nos. 91 and 93 and to apply the tradein value of such old police cruisers toward the payment of the price of such new police cruisers, and to meet said appropriation the amount of \$7,000.00 be transferred from State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972, Public Law 92-512 and the sum of \$1,000.00 be taken from tax levy for the fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1974.

Article 10. Moved: the Town Vote to accept Section 90C of Chapter 32 of the General Laws relative to Retirement Allowances of certain superannuated employees and the sum of \$3,330.00 be appropriated.

Upon counted vote of Yes--41 and No--171 motion defeated.

Article 11. Moved: the sum of \$1,980.00 be appropriated to be used by the Selectmen to paint the interior of the Police Department.

Upon vote motion defeated.

Article 12. Moved: the town vote to accept Section 63 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws relative to Uniforms for Police and Firemen.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 13. Moved: the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Moderator to appoint a committee of five to study the feasibility of constructing a new building for the Police Department, said committee to report at the next annual Town Meeting.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to take up Article 53. motion carried.

Article 53. Moved: The Town establish a Personnel Classification and Compensation plan pursuant to the authority contained in Section 108A and 108C of Chapter 41 of the General Laws and that there shall be established a Wage and Personnel board consisting of five unpaid members, who shall not be employees or elected officials of the Town and who shall be responsible for the formation, administration and maintenance of the Classification and Compensation Plans. The membership of the Personnel Board shall be as follows: Two members to be appointed by the Finance Committee; Two members to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen and One member to be appointed by the Moderator. The term of office shall be three years. Vacancies, other than expiration of terms, shall be filled in the same manner and by the same authority for the balance of the unexpired term. The Wage and Personnel Board shall present to the Town for acceptance at the Next Annual Town Meeting a Personnel Classification and Compensation by-law.

Amendment was made that this group be comprised of qualified personnel to do this.
Amendment defeated upon vote.

Upon vote original motion defeated.

Article 14. Moved: that the sum of \$1,985.00 be appropriated to install new street lights, relocate and increase size of present lights as recommended by the Street Lighting Committee.

Motion carried.

Article 15. Moved: the sum of \$2,682.00 available under Chapter 672 of the Acts of 1963 and the sum of \$2,570.24 available from the County Dog Fund be transferred to the Library Expense Account.

Motion carried.

Article 16. Moved: the sum of \$750.00 be appropriated for resurfacing the Town Library parking area.

Upon vote motion defeated.

Article 17. Moved: to pass without action. So voted.

Article 18. Moved: the Town authorize the School Committee to maintain a State Aided Vocational Program in accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws and Acts Amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and to appropriate the sum of \$4,640.00 to conduct such a program.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 19. Moved: the sum of \$18,000.00 be appropriated for Physical Training, Athletics, Sports, and Equipment.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 20. Moved: the sum of \$562.90 to pay Highway Insurance bill for 1969 and the sum of \$300.97 for unpaid bills of 1969, 70 and 71 and 72 for the School Department.

Upon vote motion carried, unanimously.

Article 21. Moved: the sum of \$71,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Highway Department, at the direction of the Board of Selectmen for drainage installations, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$65,000.00 be transferred from State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 Public Law 92-511 and the sum of \$6,000.00 from taxation.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 22. Moved: the sum of \$64,350.00 be appropriated, to construct and/or reconstruct sidewalks, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$52,860.00 be transferred from available funds under Chapter 1140, Sec. 22 of the Acts of 1973, and the sum of \$11,490.00 available under Chapter 1140, Sec. 20 of the Acts of 1973.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 23. Moved: the sum of \$6,027.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Selectmen for installation of traffic signals in Elm Square.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 24. Moved: the sum of \$12,000.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Selectmen to purchase a F800 dump truck for the Highway Department and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$11,000.00 be transferred from State & Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 Public Law 92-511 and the sum of \$1,000.00 from taxation, and authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to trade in the 1963 F1000 Dump truck and to apply the trade-in value of such dump truck toward the payment of the price of such new truck.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 25. Moved: the sum of \$9,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase a new Bombardier Sidewalk Plow for the Highway Department and authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to trade in the Bobcat Sidewalk plow and to apply the trade-in value of such old plow toward the payment of

the price of such new plow, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$8,000.00 be transferred from State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 and the sum of \$1,000.00 from taxation.

Motion made and seconded to amend the original motion to read: The Highway Superintendent be instructed to check into the possibility of repairing the old snowplow.

Upon vote on the amendment the original motion was defeated and the amendment carried.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn the Town Meeting until Wednesday, March 13, 1974 at 7:30 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:45 P.M.

A true copy, Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING March 13, 1974

Meeting called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 p.m. with 236 voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 26. Moved: the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00) be appropriated to cover the salaries of two additional full-time Firefighters, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974.

Motion made that the vote be taken by a secret ballot. Upon vote of Yes—75 and No—95, secret ballot was defeated. Upon a counted standing vote of Yes 115 — No 71, original motion for 2 new firemen, was carried.

Article 27. Moved: the sum of \$600.00 be appropriated to purchase and install Radio Controls on four remaining doors of the Apparatus room at the Fire/Police Station.

Upon vote motion defeated.

Article 28. Moved: The sum of Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00) be appropriated to purchase and install carpeting in the front offices and hallways of the Fire and Police Stations.

Upon vote motion defeated.

Article 29. Moved: that the sum of \$20,307.80 be appropriated to be expended by the Howard School Building Committee for the purposes of draining, grading, seeding and otherwise refurbishing the area commonly known as Drury Field to be used as a recreational facility for the adjacent Howard School. Said appropriation to be derived by the transfer of funds as follows:

The sum of \$1,893.90 transferred from Rose L. MacDonald School Construction; the sum of \$2,937.00 from High School Roof Repair account; the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Howard School Acquisition account; the sum of \$2,300.00 from the Packard School Demolition account; and \$3,176.90 from the Drury School Demolition account.

Upon vote of Yes 169 and No 13, motion carried.

Article 30. Moved: the sum of \$487.00 be appropriated to pay back salary to John C. Eldridge under Chapter 41 Sec. 111 F.

Motion carried, unanimously.

Article 31. Moved: the Town vote to approve the filing a petition in the General Court under the provision of Section 8 of Article 89 of the Amendments to the Constitution for an act removing the office of Collector-Treasurer from Civil Service and establishing it as an appointive position by the Board of Selectmen.

Motion to amend: to approve the filing a petition in the General Court under the provisions of Section 8 of Article 89 of the Amendments to the Constitution for an act removing the office of Collector-Treasurer from Civil Service and establishing it as an elective office by official ballot for a three year term.

Upon vote motion as amended carried.

Article 32. Moved: the Town vote to petition the Director of Marine Fisheries for local control of the Herring run in Town River according to Chap. 130 Sec. 94.

Motion carried unanimously.

Article 33. Moved: the sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated from the Surplus Revenue Account to the Stabilization Fund.

Motion carried.

Article 34. Moved: the sum of \$150,000.00 be transferred from Surplus Revenue to reduce the tax rate for the fiscal year July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975.

Motion carried.

Article 35. Moved: the sum of \$3,700.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Water Commissioners to purchase and equip a truck for the Water Department and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$3,700.00 be taken from Water Revenue.

Article 36. Moved: the town vote to appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 to be used by the W. B. Historical Commission to complete Rev. James Keith House for a Historical Museum.

Town Counsel ruled this article and motion was illegal and it was passed without action.

Article 37. Moved: The Town vote to rescind its action upon Article 31 in the Warrant for the Annual Town meeting held on March 9, 1953 whereby it voted the Town Offices and Department be closed for the week of July 4th each year and its

action upon Article 30 in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held on March 15, 1960 whereby it voted to close the Town Offices the last week of August of each year.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 38. Moved: The Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to convey to the Samoset Rod and Gun Club, Inc. two parcels of land on Matfield Street; the first, a parcel consisting of .64 acres with a building thereon described as lot 70 and Plan H5 of the Assessors map:

The second, a parcel of land west of and contiguous to the first parcel, being a portion of that lot described as number 69 on said plan, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a concrete bound on the northerly side of Matfield Street at the southwest corner of land of the Samoset Rod and Gun Club, it being the southeast corner of the parcel to be conveyed;

Thence, S 71° 36' 00" W 126.12 feet by the northerly line of Matfield Street to a point; thence, N 26° 03' 00" W 178.68 feet by the land of the W. Bridgewater Conservation Commission to a point;

thence, N 49° 54' 00" W 380.64 feet still by land of the W. Bridgewater Conservation Commission to a point;

thence, N 57° 36' 00" E 131.07 feet by land of Raymond A. Mucci and Gerald J. Kelleher to a stone bound;

thence, S 49° 54' 00" E 367.63 feet still by land of Raymond A. Mucci; and Gerald J. Kelleher to a concrete bound, it being the northwest corner of the Samoset Rod and Gun Club;

thence, S 26° 03' 00" E 221.87 feet by land of Samoset Rod and Gun Club to a Concrete bound and the point of beginning.

Said parcel contains 71,801 square feet.

And to accept as consideration therefor a conveyance of a parcel consisting of 4.58 acres of land on Stoney Road, shown as Lot 10 on Plan D6 of the Assessors' map, now belonging to the Samoset Rod and Gun Club, Inc., all parcels to be free and clear of all encumbrances; said parcel on Stoney Road to be used for conservation purposes and to be administered by the Conservation Commission, and to approve the filing of a petition in the General Court to allow the Town to convey said parcel No. 69 to the Samoset Rod and Gun Club.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 39. Moved: that the Town vote to rescind the action taken under Article 4 of the Special Town Meeting held October 19, 1971 and Article 44 of the Town Meeting held March 12, 1973 both articles relating to the creation and continuance of the Zoning By-Law Study committee, and that the present Zoning By-Law Study committee be discharged.

Upon vote motion carried unanimously.

Article 40. Moved: that the Town vote to authorize the Moderator and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of seven to study and review the By-Laws of the

Town and to report to each Annual or Special Town Meeting any recommendations for amending or revising the By-Laws and the original appointments to this committee shall be: two for 5 years, two for 4 years, one for 3 years, one for 2 years, and one for 1 year and thereafter as each appointment expires the term of appointment shall be for five years and that the sum of \$250.00 be appropriated to defray any necessary expenses incurred by the committee.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 41. Moved: the Town vote to amend Article XIX of the Town By-Laws by adding Section 7. No person shall drink any alcoholic beverages as defined in Chapter 138, Sec. 1 of the G. L. while on, in or upon any public way or upon any way to which the public has a right of access or any place to which members of the public have access as invitees or licensees, park or playground, or private land or place without consent of the owner or person in control thereof. All alcoholic beverages being used in violation of this ordinance shall be seized and safely held until final adjudication of the charge against the person or persons arrested or summoned before the court, at which time they shall be returned to the person entitled to lawful possession.

Amendment made to add punishable by a fine of not more than \$20.00 for each offense.

Upon vote motion and amendment carried.

Article 42. Motion made to pass without action. So Voted.

Article 43. Moved: the sum of \$3,789.80 be appropriated to provide and maintain building space, fixtures, furniture and a secretary's salary for a Multi-Service Health Satellite center in conjunction with the Towns of Bridgewater and East Bridgewater.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 44. Motion made to pass without action. So voted.

Article 45. Moved: the Town vote to amend Section 3, sub-section C of By-Law XXVI, entitled "Protective" (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Mass., by removing the words from Section C, line nine "and on the South by West St." and inserting in their place the words, "And on the South by the Northerly boundary of West St., to a point at the Northwest corner of lot No. 18 as shown on Assessors' Plan No. C7, thence in a straight line along the northerly boundary of Lot No. 18 and Lot No. 16 of said Assessors' Plan C7 to a line distance of 1,320 (one thousand three hundred and twenty) feet from the Easterly line of Route 24.

Amended to read Northwest corner of lot No. 19.

Upon counted vote of yes—63 and No 79, amendment defeated.

Upon counted vote of Yes 44 and No 99 original motion defeated.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until Saturday, March 16, 1974, 9 A.M. at the Spring Street Elementary School for the purpose of electing town Officials by Official Ballot and Monday, Evening, March 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium for the continuation of the articles.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

March 18, 1974

Meeting called to order by Moderator, Charles Hill in the High School gymnasium.

Motion made to adjourn to the Auditorium. 208 Registered voters and 9 guests, present.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 46. Moved: the Town vote to amend By-Law XXVI entitled "Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Mass." by removing paragraphs "J" and "K" under Section 5, Business Districts and inserting a new paragraph "J"—Signs—and reading as follows:

J — Signs

J-1 Signs in Business District shall relate to the premises on which they are located, and shall only identify the occupant of such premises or advertise the service, and/or merchandise, available within said premises. There shall be no temporary signs, banners, streamers, or placards erected, suspended, posted or affixed in any manner outdoors or on the building exterior of premises in Business Districts, except those granted by Board of Selectmen upon written application and in no case exceed a period of 60 days.

J-2 On each premise in a Business District, there is permitted one sign affixed to the exterior of a building for each occupancy therein. The top edge of each such sign shall not be higher than either the roof ridge of the building, or the highest point of the roof, if no ridge pole.

J-3 In the Business District, free-standing signs are limited in number to one per land ownership, not per lot. More than one free-standing sign will be permitted if there is more than one entrance way, each entrance being a minimum of 300 feet distance apart, on the same side of street, or public way.

The total sign area of all free-standing signs in no case can exceed 2 times that of a single free-standing sign. The top edge of any such free-standing sign shall be not higher than twenty-five (25) feet vertical measure. No free-standing signs shall be erected where they may obstruct view of traffic. Any such free-standing sign may be located within the front yard space, if any, on such lot, but not nearer than six (6) feet from front and side lot lines.

J-4 No free-standing sign shall have sign-board area (or display area, if no sign-board), exceeding ninety-six (96) square feet gross area, measured from the tops of the topmost display elements to the bottoms of the lowest display elements, and from exterior side to exterior side of display elements, and including in such measurements, any blank space between display elements.

J-5 Illuminated signs shall be permitted, but subject to the following restrictions and prohibitions: a. There shall be no intermittently illuminated sign of a traveling, animated, or flashing light type. b. The illumination of signs shall be permitted only between seven o'clock in the morning and eleven o'clock in the evening, except during such hours as such establishments are open to the public.

And to further amend By-Law XXVI by removing paragraphs “I” and “J”, Section 6, Industrial Districts shall be governed by all provisions separately set forth under Section 5, paragraph “J” entitled “Business Districts.”

Planning Board Chairman read the report of the Board.

Upon a counted vote of Yes—140 and No 2, Motion carried.

Article 47. Moved: the Town vote to amend By-Law XXVI, entitled “Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Mass.,” by amending Section 4, entitled “General Residential and Farming Districts,” by striking out Subsection A and substituting therefor two subsections to read as follows:

A-1 A one-family dwelling and its accessory buildings including a garage for storage of not more than three automobiles.

A-2 In the area herein described, such multiple-family dwellings commonly known as town houses or condominiums together with the services usual or incidental thereto but in no event shall such structures exceed two floors above grade level;

That land bounded on the

East by the thread of Black Betty Brook to the point of its intersection with the West Bridgewater-Brockton Line: on the

West by the easterly line of Walnut Street to that point where the northerly line of an Edison Co. easement intersects, then by the northerly line of said easement to its intersection with the easterly line of land now or formerly of Kaminsky, then by the easterly and northerly lines of land of said Kaminsky, those now or formerly of Marion E. Moore and the lands of the Commonwealth known as conservation lands, and then by the northerly and easterly lines of Black Betty Road; then on the

South by the thread of Black Betty Brook from its intersection with the easterly line of Black Betty Road to the point where it makes an approximate right angle and its juncture with Braga’s Brook.

Amendment: Moved; that the wording of Article 48 and the description of the land therein be amended to read as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to amend By-Law XXVI entitled “Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Mass.” by amending Section 4 entitled “General Residential and Farming Districts” by striking out Subsection A and substituting therefor two subsections to read as follows:

A (1) A one-family dwelling and its accessory buildings including a garage for storage of not more than three automobiles.

A (2) In the area herein described, such multiple-family dwellings as are commonly known as town houses or condominiums together with the services usual or incidental thereto, but in no event shall such structures exceed two floors above grade level nor shall the number of dwelling units exceed a density of eight ‘units’ per acre of common areas and facilities as such terms are defined by MGL C183A, Section 1.

Said area containing 103.5 acres, more or less, located northerly of Black Betty Road in West Bridgewater being shown as Plots 60-2, part of Plot 60, part of Plot 12 and

Plots 42 and 42-1 on Town Assessors Maps A-2, C-2, D-2 and D-3 bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the described parcel at a point on the northerly side of Black Betty Road at land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; thence

N 01°-45'-14" W 120 feet, more or less, to a brass pin; thence
N 02°-56'-37" W 331.98 feet, to a brass pin; thence
N 02°-43'-31" W 516.85 feet to a brass pin; thence
N 02°-17'-09" W 502.35 feet to a brass pin; thence
N 09°-91'-42" W 479.68 feet to a brass pin; thence
N 84°-59'-45" W 209.76 feet to an angle; thence
N 87°-51'-16" W 197.73 feet to a drill hole;

The last six courses by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts thence

By land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and n/f Marian E. Moore N 02°-05'-28 W 497.01 Feet to a drill hole;

Thence still by land of said Moore N 02°-47'-40" W 226.01 feet to a drill hole and land n/f of Thomas Bernier; thence

N 13°-27'-08" E 12.33 feet by land of said Bernier to a drill hole; thence by said Bernier land

N 01°-45'-33" W 84.54 feet to a drill hole; thence still by land of Bernier

N 02°-00'-28" W to the point said line intersects the Northerly line of a 50 foot Brockton Edison easement; thence

Westerly by the northerly line of said easement to the point said line intersects the easterly line of Walnut St.; thence

Northerly by said easterly line of Walnut St. to its intersection with the Brockton-West Bridgewater line; thence

Easterly by said Brockton-West Bridgewater line to the point the Easterly line of Plot 42-1, the land n/f of C & E Crowley intersects said line; thence

Southerly by said Easterly line of said lot 42-1 and by the westerly lines of lots 73 and 82 n/f of Petronelli; thence

By land n/f of the Estate of Horace A. Keith

S 01°-45'-38" W 507.59 feet to a corner and land n/f of Clara Gamboa; thence

S 04°-22'-39" E 38.77 feet to an angle; thence

S 08°-11'-26" W 37.46 feet to an angle; thence

S 10°-36'-02" W 134.19 feet to an angle; thence

S 07°-28'-37" W 94.99 feet to an angle; thence

S 12°-08'-46" W 65.14 feet to an angle; thence

S 09°-20'-14" W 53.77 feet to an angle; thence

S 13°-47'-38" W 41.97 feet to an angle; thence

S 26°-08'-41" W 15.48 feet to an angle; thence

S 40°-49'-47" W 40.03 feet to an angle; thence

S 87°-45'-45" E 500.00 feet to an angle; the last ten courses by land of said Gamboa;

thence

S 02°-14'-15" W 1075.00 feet crossing a 50-foot Brockton Edison Easement to an angle; thence

S 13° -22' -12" E 1088.83 feet to a concrete bound and land of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts;

The last two courses by land of Paradise Land Development and Investment Corporation; thence

By land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

S 66°-59'-51" W 528.83 feet to a concrete bound on the northeasterly side of Black Betty Road;

Thence by the sideline of Black Betty Road in a northwesterly direction 955 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

Planning Board's report was given by Chairman, Merton Ouderkirk.

Vote was then taken on the amendment with Yes-13 — No-175 — Amendment declared defeated.

Motion was made to withdraw the original motion without action. So Voted.

Article 49. Moved: the Town vote to amend the "Trailer Regulation By-Law" adopted at an adjourned Town Meeting on March 17, 1957 by repealing the same and inserting in place thereof the following, to wit:

Section 1. Except when lawfully placed in a "Trailer Coach Park," or authorized by Article 2, Section 4, of the Building By-law, no Trailer Coach shall be occupied for living or business purposes on any land in the Town.

Section 2. Penalty for Violation: whoever violates any provision of this by-law shall be subject to such penalties as may be prescribed by the General Laws of the Commonwealth for the time being in force. Each day during which any violation hereof continues shall, for the purpose of this By-Law, be considered a separate offense.

Upon vote motion defeated.

Article 50. Motion made to withdraw article without action. So voted.

Article 51. Moved: the town vote to adopt the following by-law; to amend Article XVIII—"Street and Sidewalks" by adding thereto Section 10:

"Section 10 — If any person shall perform any work on any public road or sidewalk within the town, any surplus fill remaining as the result of such construction shall remain the property of the Town. Such person performing such work shall apply to the Board of Selectmen or the Superintendent of Street for instructions as to the disposition of the surplus fill and shall dispose of such surplus fill in accordance with such instructions. In every contract between the Town and any person proposing to excavate any portion of Public Streets or sidewalks this by-law shall be incorporated in such-contract.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 52. Moved: the town vote to discharge the Howard Property Committee from any further responsibility with respect to the Howard School Property.

Upon vote of Yes—68 and No—82, motion defeated.

Article 54. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Voted: that a committee of five, one to be a member of the recreation committee, be appointed by the Moderator and the Board of Selectmen to study the feasibility of a town swimming pool; said committee to report back to the next annual Town meeting or any special town meeting.

A vote of thanks was given the Finance Committee for much hard work and its many meetings.

Moderator, Charles L. Hill was complimented on conducting his first full meeting as Moderator.

Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown, was given a standing ovation for her 25th year as Town Clerk.

Meeting adjourned at 10 P.M.

A true copy, Attest:

Anna E. Brown, *Town Clerk*

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

March 16, 1974

The Annual Town Election was held at the Spring Street Elementary School on Saturday, March 16, 1974. Warrant issued by the Selectmen was posted by the Constable, Edwin T. Gibson, on March 4, 1974, in accordance with the provision of the Town By-Laws.

Specimen ballots, cards of instruction and abstracts of the laws, imposing penalties upon voters, were posted as required by the Laws of the Commonwealth.

The polls were opened at 9 A.M. The Ballot boxes in both precincts were inspected and the registers set at 00000. 1400 Ballots were given to each Warden and receipt given to the Town Clerk for same.

At the Close of the 8 P.M. the ballot box registers showed the following results:

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| Precinct 1 | 730 |
| Precinct 2 | 813 |
| Total | 1543 |

The following Election workers were sworn in:

Precinct 1. Catherine M. Chaves, Eutropya Sinkevich, Marie Murray, Helen Souza, Counters and Observers. Total Tallies—Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock.

Precinct 2. Emma Marzelli, Dorothy Holmgren, Karolyn K. Boyd, Dena Giovonani—Counters and Observers. Total Tallies—William K. Brown, Jr., Ann Long.

The results were declared as follows:

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|-------|
| MODERATOR, 1 Yr. | | | |
| Charles L. Hill | 634 | 694 | 1328 |
| Scattered | | 2 | 2 |
| Blanks | 96 | 117 | 213 |
| Charles L. Hill declared elected. | | | |

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| SELECTMAN, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Charles H. Johnson | 384 | 457 | 841 |
| Robert L. Smith | 328 | 342 | 670 |
| Blanks | 18 | 14 | 32 |
| Charles H. Johnson declared elected. | | | |

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| ASSESSOR, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Irving W. Puffer | 257 | 282 | 539 |
| Gary A. Boyd | 225 | 228 | 453 |
| Clifford H. Carlson | 212 | 277 | 489 |
| Blanks | 36 | 26 | 62 |
| Irving W. Puffer declared elected. | | | |

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| TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Jessie Anderson | 578 | 631 | 1209 |
| Francis J. Beary | 238 | 308 | 546 |
| Richard A. Worcester | 318 | 308 | 626 |
| Blanks | 326 | 379 | 705 |
| Jessie Anderson and Richard A. Worcester declared elected. | | | |

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| TREE WARDEN, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 648 | 719 | 1367 |
| Blanks | 82 | 93 | 175 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Thomas B. MacQuinn, declared elected. | | | |

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| SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Stanley O. Carlson | 419 | 425 | 844 |
| George Lepine | 404 | 365 | 769 |
| Charles R. Barros | 420 | 556 | 976 |
| Blanks | 217 | 280 | 497 |
| Stanley O. Carlson and Charles R. Barros declared elected. | | | |

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| WATER COMMISSIONER, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Paul L. Lamoureux | 591 | 674 | 1265 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 138 | 139 | 277 |
| Paul L. Lamoureux declared elected | | | |

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| BOARD OF HEALTH , 3 yrs. | | | |
| James F. Purpura | 582 | 649 | 1235 |
| Blanks | 144 | 164 | 308 |
| James F. Purpura declared elected | | | |

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|--|------------|------------|-------|
| BOARD OF HEALTH, 2 yrs. | | | |
| Edward F. Cruz | 583 | 673 | 1256 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 146 | 140 | 286 |
| Edward F. Cruz declared elected | | | |
| PLANNING BOARD, 5 yrs. | | | |
| Philip C. Tuck | 572 | 648 | 1220 |
| Blanks | 158 | 165 | 323 |
| Philip C. Tuck declared elected. | | | |
| HOUSING AUTHORITY, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Henry Podolsky | 225 | 222 | 447 |
| Richard C. Williams | 378 | 473 | 851 |
| Blanks | 127 | 118 | 245 |
| Richard C. Williams declared elected | | | |
| CONSTABLES, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Edwin T. Gibson | 591 | 650 | 1241 |
| Raymond L. Silva | 583 | 641 | 1224 |
| Blanks | 286 | 335 | 621 |
| Edwin T. Gibson and Raymond L. Silva declared elected. | | | |

A True copy
ATTEST: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, June 11, 1974

Meeting called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 p.m. Due to the lack of a Quorum the meeting was delayed until 8:30 P.M. The meeting was again called to order when the Registrars announced that a quorum of 126 voters had been checked in.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Moved: That the Selectmen be authorized to receive, on behalf of the Town, a gift of certain land off Crescent St., from Michael Altieri, said land consisting of two contiguous parcels bounded and described as follows:

Those parcels of land designated as lot 3B containing 1.02 acres, more or less, and lot 4B containing 1.57 acres, more or less, as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of land in West Bridgewater owned by Michael Altieri scale 1" = 40' May 16, 1974, Hayward-Boynton & Williams, Inc., Surveyors Civil Engineers, 47 W. Elm St., Brockton, Mass." recorded with the Plymouth County Registry of Deeds.

Lot 3B being described as that land

Commencing at that point in the southerly line of lot 3A as shown on said plan, said point being the southwesterly corner of said lot

EASTERLY by the southerly line of said lot 3A S 84° 12'00" W 117.61 feet to a point and corner; then

SOUTHERLY by the westerly line of land now or formerly of Arthur Kelly S 05° 48' 00" E 332.00 feet to a point and corner; then

WESTERLY by the northerly line of land now or formerly of George K. Ross, Sr. S 85° 53' 40" W 58.54 feet to a point and angle; then

SOUTHWESTERLY, Still by said line of said Ross S 69° 01' 20" W 90.08 feet to a point and corner; then

NORTHERLY by the easterly line of lot 4B as described on said plan S 01° 18' 00" E. 355.03 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Lot 4B being that land commencing at the same point as lot 3B commenced,

WESTERLY by the southerly line of lot 4A as shown on said plan S 84° 12' 00" 172.84 feet to a point and corner; then

SOUTHERLY by these four courses and distances and the easterly line of land now or formerly of the Town of West Bridgewater

N 07° 23' 00" E 77.63 feet; N 02° 44' 00" W, 199.62 feet;

N 00° 08' 00" E 82.17 feet; N 08° 30' 00" W, 46.24 feet to a point and corner; then;

EASTERLY by the northerly line of said Ross S 69° 01' 20" W 186.17 feet to a point and corner; then

NORTHERLY by the westerly line of the aforesaid lot 3B S 01° 18' 00" E 355.03 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Said land to be deeded to the Town not as conservation land but subject to the condition that, if practicable, it shall be used for school purposes in conjunction with that land upon which the Rose L. MacDonald Elementary School is constructed, but if such use be impracticable for such purpose as the Town shall determine best.

Upon vote motion carried unanimously.

Article 2. Moved: the town vote to transfer the sum of \$12,000 from available funds under Chap. 1140, Sec. 20, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to repair Arch Street Bridge.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 3. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$9,000.00 to be expended by the Veteran's Agent for Veterans' Services and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$9,000.00 be transferred from Surplus Revenue.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 4. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 to be expended by the Historical Commission and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$3,500.00 be transferred from Surplus Revenue.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Moved: the Town vote to transfer the sum of \$1,250.00 appropriated under Article 30 at the Annual Town Meeting, March 15, 1972 to the Conservation Fund.

Upon a counted vote of 62-Yes; and 50-No, motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 9:00 P. M.

A true copy,

ATTEST: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

STATE PRIMARY September 10, 1974

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in Primaries were duly warned, was held and polls opened at 8 A. M. by the Wardens, Frank Miller, Precinct I; John Sillars, Precinct 2, at the Spring Street Elementary School.

The results follow:

Ballot Box inspected by the Police Officer and the Wardens. registers set at 00000. 1186 Republican Ballots, 986 Democratic Ballots delivered to Precinct I; 1186 Republican Ballots, 986 Democratic Ballots delivered to Precinct II by the Town Clerk and receipts given for same.

Precinct I

Election Officers: Joan Ohlson, Barbara Roulstone, Checkers
Warden: Frank S. Miller
Clerk: Edythe Baker

Counters and Observers: Marie Murray, Helen Souza, Dorothy Holmgren, Elizabeth Lindskog.

Total Tally: Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock

Close of Polls at 8 P. M. 270 Democratic Ballots cast, 410 Republican Ballots cast—Total 680.

Precinct II

Election Officers:
Warden: John Sillars
Clerk: Warren A. Turner

Counters and Observers: Catherine Chaves, Eutropya Sinkevich, Karolyn Boyd, Dena Giovanoni

Total Tally: Ann Long, Adeline Isenberg.

Close of Polls at 8 P. M. Register on Ballot Box showed 706 ballots had been cast.
292 Democratic, 414 Republican.

Results:

REPUBLICAN BALLOT

| | Prec I | Prec II |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| GOVERNOR: | | |
| Francis W. Sargent | 216 | 224 |
| Carroll P. Sheehan | 181 | 171 |
| Blanks | 13 | 19 |
| LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: | | |
| Donald R. Dwight | 334 | 341 |
| Blanks | 76 | 73 |
| ATTORNEY GENERAL: | | |
| Charles C. Cabot, Jr. | 138 | 142 |
| William I. Cowin | 70 | 83 |
| Josiah A. Spaulding | 154 | 148 |
| Blanks | 48 | 41 |
| SECRETARY: | | |
| John M. Quinlan | 338 | 339 |
| Blanks | 72 | 75 |
| TREASURER: | | |
| Muriel Erna Ballantine | 5 | 4 |
| Blanks | 405 | 410 |
| AUDITOR: | | |
| Blanks | 410 | 414 |
| CONGRESSMAN: | | |
| Margaret M. Heckler | 346 | 339 |
| Blanks | 64 | 75 |
| COUNCILLOR: | | |
| Jean T. Mayo | 285 | 300 |
| Blanks | 125 | 114 |
| SENATOR: | | |
| George A. Allen, Jr. | 215 | 238 |
| Charles W. Mann | 89 | 83 |
| Douglas L. Titus | 75 | 72 |
| Blanks | 31 | 21 |
| REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT: | | |
| Carl R. Ohlson | 325 | 330 |
| Eldon H. Ekman | 74 | 73 |
| Blanks | 10 | 11 |

| | Prec. I | Prec. II |
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| DISTRICT ATTORNEY: | | |
| A. Stanley Littlefield | 338 | 331 |
| Blanks | 72 | 83 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONER: | | |
| Anna H. Doherty | 322 | 321 |
| Blanks | 88 | 93 |
| SHERIFF: | | |
| Linwood H. Snow | 323 | 333 |
| Blanks | 87 | 81 |
| DEMOCRATIC BALLOT | | |
| | Prec. I | Prec. II |
| GOVERNOR: | | |
| Michael S. Dukakis | 147 | 176 |
| Robert H. Quinn | 111 | 105 |
| Blanks | 12 | 11 |
| LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: | | |
| Eva B. Hester | 38 | 36 |
| Christopher A. Iannella | 48 | 58 |
| John Pierce Lynch | 16 | 23 |
| Thomas P. O'Neill III | 73 | 83 |
| Thomas Martin Sullivan | 70 | 61 |
| Blanks | 25 | 31 |
| ATTORNEY GENERAL: | | |
| Francis X. Bellotti | 90 | 112 |
| Barry T. Hannon | 23 | 22 |
| Edward F. Harrington | 34 | 32 |
| Edward M. O'Brien | 22 | 21 |
| S. Lester Ralph | 24 | 16 |
| George L. Sacco | 61 | 76 |
| Blanks | 16 | 13 |
| SECRETARY: | | |
| John F. X. Davoren | 125 | 132 |
| Paul H. Guzzi | 117 | 134 |
| Blanks | 28 | 26 |
| TREASURER: | | |
| Robert Q. Crane | 137 | 153 |
| Charles Mark Furcolo | 112 | 116 |
| Blanks | 21 | 23 |
| AUDITOR: | | |
| Thaddeus Buczko | 210 | 237 |
| Blanks | 60 | 55 |

| | Prec. I | Prec. II |
|---|---------|----------|
| CONGRESSMAN: | | |
| Barry F. Monahan | 209 | 215 |
| Blanks | 61 | 77 |
| COUNCILLOR: | | |
| John Britland | 52 | 59 |
| Henry Correia | 36 | 44 |
| Gino DiNucci | 37 | 26 |
| Manuel Perry | 24 | 33 |
| William H. Perry | 40 | 45 |
| Blanks | 81 | 85 |
| SENATOR: | | |
| J. S. Parker Jones III | 39 | 42 |
| Robert E. McCarthy | 207 | 224 |
| Blanks | 24 | 26 |
| REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT: | | |
| W. Sayre Callahan | 19 | 23 |
| Richard E. Krugger | 217 | 222 |
| Karen Swanson | 28 | 41 |
| Blanks | 6 | 6 |
| DISTRICT ATTORNEY: | | |
| Robert G. Clark III | 168 | 174 |
| Thomas E. Finnerty | 82 | 91 |
| Blanks | 20 | 27 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONER: | | |
| Gerard F. Burke | 209 | 231 |
| Blanks | 61 | 61 |
| SHERIFF: | | |
| Gerald L. Matta | 80 | 87 |
| Ralph G. Ruggiero | 155 | 167 |
| Blanks | 35 | 38 |

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ATTEST: Anna E Brown
Town Clerk

STATE ELECTION
November 5, 1974

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in Election were duly warned, was held and polls opened at 8 A. M. by the Wardens, Frank S. Miller, Precinct 1; John Sillars, Precinct 2, at the Spring Street Elementary School.

Ballot Boxes were inspected by the Wardens and the Police Officer, registers set at 0000.

1943 ballots given to Precinct 1 by the Town Clerk and receipt received for same.

1948 Ballots given to Precinct 2 by the Town Clerk and receipt received for same.

Precinct I:

Close of polls ballot box showed 1224 ballots had been cast.

Election Workers were:

Warden, Frank S. Miller; Clerk, Edythe Baker; Checkers, Joan Ohlson, Lillian Cheyunski; Counters & Observers, Catherine Chaves, Eutropy Sinkevich, Emma Marzelli, Alice Richardson, Catherine Bird, Elizabeth Turner, Karolyn Boyd, Paula Turner; Total Tally, Ann Long, William R. Brown, Jr.

Precinct II:

Close of polls ballot box showed 1222 ballots cast.

Election Workers were:

Warden, John Sillars; Clerk, Warren A. Turner; Checkers, Shirley Almquist, Eva Lepine; Counters & Observers, Marie Murray, Helen Souza, Elizabeth Lindskog, Geraldine Hamilton, Dorothy Podolsky, Beulah Alger, Nancy Burchill, Dorothy Holmgren; Total Tally, Dorothy Williams, Dena Giovononi.

Results:

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| GOVERNOR & LT. GOVERNOR: | | | |
| Sargent & Dwight | 633 | 604 | 1237 |
| Dukakis & O'Neill | 489 | 522 | 1011 |
| Gurewitz & Bivins | 5 | 11 | 16 |
| Kahian & Greco | 76 | 70 | 146 |
| Blanks | 21 | 15 | 36 |
| ATTORNEY GENERAL: | | | |
| Francis X. Bellotti | 455 | 452 | 907 |
| Josiah A. Spaulding | 731 | 736 | 1467 |
| Jeanne Lafferty | 17 | 17 | 34 |
| Blanks | 21 | 17 | 38 |
| SECRETARY: | | | |
| Paul H. Guzzi | 513 | 521 | 1034 |
| John M. Quinlan | 677 | 671 | 1348 |
| Blanks | 34 | 30 | 64 |
| TREASURER: | | | |
| Robert Q. Crane | 907 | 918 | 1825 |
| Scattered | 2 | | 2 |
| Blanks | 315 | 304 | 619 |
| AUDITOR: | | | |
| Thaddeus Buczko | 882 | 910 | 1792 |
| Blanks | 342 | 312 | 654 |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|--|------------|-------------|-------|
| CONGRESSMAN: | | | |
| Margaret M. Heckler | 872 | 853 | 1725 |
| Barry F. Monahan | 315 | 347 | 662 |
| Blanks | 37 | 22 | 59 |
| COUNCILLOR: | | | |
| John Britland | 477 | 529 | 1006 |
| Jean T. Mayo | 592 | 568 | 1160 |
| Blanks | 155 | 125 | 280 |
| SENATOR: | | | |
| Charles W. Mann | 516 | 498 | 1014 |
| Robert E. McCarthy | 617 | 691 | 1362 |
| Blanks | 37 | 33 | 70 |
| REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT: | | | |
| Carl R. Ohlson | 754 | 714 | 1468 |
| Karen Swanson | 447 | 490 | 937 |
| Blanks | 23 | 18 | 41 |
| DISTRICT ATTORNEY: | | | |
| Thomas E. Finnerty | 454 | 503 | 957 |
| A. Stanley Littlefield | 706 | 664 | 1370 |
| Blanks | 64 | 55 | 119 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONER: | | | |
| Gerard F. Burke | 583 | 621 | 1204 |
| Anna H. Doherty | 545 | 528 | 1073 |
| Blanks | 96 | 73 | 169 |
| SHERIFF: | | | |
| Linwood H. Snow | 751 | 710 | 1461 |
| Ralph G. Ruggiero | 432 | 488 | 920 |
| Blanks | 41 | 24 | 65 |
| QUESTION No. 1 – Recess for Gen'l. Court | | | |
| Yes | 719 | 743 | 1462 |
| No | 323 | 309 | 632 |
| Blanks | 182 | 170 | 352 |
| QUESTION No. 2 – Census (Reducing Houses) | | | |
| Yes | 813 | 824 | 1637 |
| No | 216 | 220 | 436 |
| Blanks | 195 | 178 | 373 |
| QUESTION No. 3 – Aid to Private Schools | | | |
| Yes | 530 | 587 | 1117 |
| No | 487 | 460 | 947 |
| Blanks | 207 | 175 | 382 |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|---|------------|-------------|-------|
| QUESTION No. 4 – Mass Transportation | | | |
| Yes | 488 | 533 | 1021 |
| No | 543 | 532 | 1075 |
| Blanks | 193 | 157 | 350 |
| QUESTION No. 5 – Corrupt Practices Commission | | | |
| Yes | 640 | 646 | 1286 |
| No | 376 | 393 | 769 |
| Blanks | 208 | 183 | 391 |
| QUESTION No. 6 – Dept. Health Systems | | | |
| Yes | 755 | 801 | 1556 |
| No | 300 | 376 | 576 |
| Blanks | 169 | 145 | 314 |
| QUESTION No. 7 – Pari-mutuel Dog Racing | | | |
| Yes | 693 | 675 | 1368 |
| No | 391 | 413 | 804 |
| Blanks | 140 | 134 | 274 |

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ATTEST: Anna E. Brown,
Town Clerk

Vital Statistics

Births Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1974

| Date | Name | Parents |
|----------|---------------------------|---|
| January | | |
| 4 | Jennifer Elizabeth Ames | Jimmy Clark & Carolyn Keith |
| 24 | Jeffrey Arthur Potwin | Arthur Lloyd & Anne Theresa Ferron |
| 25 | Melissa Jo Parsons | Daniel Damon & Mary Catherine Maloney |
| 28 | Michael Joseph Peters | Joseph Edward, Jr. & Katherine Frances Hurley |
| 30 | Edward Alan Hodgson | Alan Fredrick & April Carolyn Welch |
| February | | |
| 11 | Elizabeth Rosanna Bolduc | Richard George & Rosanna Persis Wentworth |
| 16 | Stephen William Perry | Ronald Hartwell & Jeanne Roberta Dalton |
| 18 | Eric Michael Loughnan | Arthur Michael, Jr. & Marion Colbert |
| 22 | Joseph John Martelli, Jr. | Joseph John & Phyllis Carver |
| 28 | Joseph Anthony Amico | Joseph Valentino & Marie Antoinette Belmonte |
| March | | |
| 5 | Kelly Marie Ohlson | Carl Reinold, III & Nancy Diane Kelly |
| 10 | Diana Jeanne Sawyer | Harry James & Jeanne Marie Madden |
| 12 | Donald Louis Baker | Donald Wayne & Patricia Fay Lisenby |
| 12 | Gina Christine Trucchi | William M., Jr. & Christine Victoria |
| 12 | Jason Peter Trucchi | William M., Jr. & Christine Victoria |
| 14 | Gregory Willis Bourne | Robert Stanley & Nancy Louise Willis |
| 15 | David Charles Sulinski | Albert Charles & Barbara Ann Rozen |
| 27 | Katherine Mary Diebel | Francis Christopher & Katherine Frances Jacques |
| 31 | David Andrew Grant, Jr. | David Andrew & Suzanne Louise Menton |

April

2 Billie-Jo Smith
 3 Robert John Miskinis
 12 James Michael Cullen, Jr.
 17 Kristopher Roy Harkins
 19 Matthew John Sylvester
 25 Jullie Ann Glenn
 25 Jason Arthur Barros

Allen Edward & Debra Elaine Burnell
 Robert William & Carol Jean Dawson
 James Michael & Carolyn Mary Brown
 Edward Arthur & Patricia Anne Backlund
 John Anthony & Mary Naureen Sparling
 Lester William & Judith Kathleen Walsh
 Arthur George & Peggy Ann Smart

May

1 Anne Marie Furey
 6 David Patrick Rix
 10 Rebecca Cross
 10 Lynne Marie Piepiora
 12 Eva Nichole Young
 17 Erik Allen Ness

Roger Stephen & Jane Therese Burke
 Arthur Ernest & Patricia Crowley
 Donald Christopher & Susan Barker
 Harry Richard & Evelyn Marie Lynskey
 Lawrence Clinton & Linda Josephine Clark
 Richard Allen & Ernestine Holmgren

June

7 Adam Joshua Baroncelli
 7 Heather Alice Meal
 12 Jennifer Marie Johnson
 28 Leah Shannon McGunnigle

Gerald Edward & Antoinette Darlene Mello
 James David & Diane Marion Hanrahan
 Arthur Grantley & Antoinette Margaret Oliveria
 John Edward & Linda Hermanson

July

4 Matthew Jon Hofmann
 15 Laurie Meredith Hart
 15 Rachel Theresa Stadelmann
 18 Kevin Nicholas Kourtz
 22 Christopher Paul Chuckran
 23 Amy Lynne Quist

Robert Carl, Jr. & Karen Lynch
 Russell Denis & Karen Jean McCulloch
 Thomas Michael & Mary Ellen Spillane
 John Joseph & Frances Rose Nardullo
 Curtis E. & Tracey A. Cummings
 Alan Spencer & Jean Claire Bilodeau

| | | |
|-----------|----------------------------------|---|
| August | | |
| 1 | Michael Wayne Mitchell | Wayne Herbert & Sharon Ann Kelly |
| 9 | Michael NMN Carriere | Arthur Peter & Ann Katherine Gilberti |
| 16 | Dawn Margaret Turner | John James, Jr. & Roberta P. Ginn |
| 27 | Erick Jon Richard | David Charles & Janice Lee Spekin |
| 30 | Brian Denison Byrne | Denis Patrick Anthony & Joan P. Donahue |
| September | | |
| 4 | Alison Ann Duhamel | Peter Adams & Linda Spaulding |
| 23 | Gregory Brian White | Robert Arthur & Ann E. Rhonstrom |
| 24 | Lora Lynne Piesco | Bradford W. Piesco & April S. Panos |
| 27 | Danielle Lynn McNeill | Daniel W. & Barbara J. Titus |
| 27 | Elizabeth Anne Costello | Joseph P. & Joanne L. Perry |
| October | | |
| 3 | Brandon Joseph Morse | Frank J., Jr. & Carlyn J. Greene |
| 16 | Monice Caitlin Coyne | Dennis M. & Mary E. Sheehan |
| 19 | Alexander Francis Cacchione, III | Alexander, Jr. & Sharon L. Some |
| 26 | Briget Sophiea Gurksnis | Richard A. & Louise M. Morey |
| 27 | Joseph Leo Squizzero | Joseph & Elizabeth A. Morehouse |
| 29 | Shawn Ronald Sawyer | Ronald B. & Carole J. MacMillen |
| November | | |
| 2 | Pamela Ann Werner | Robert Talbot & Ann Mary Muehlberger |
| 8 | Andrea Michelle Wood | David Russell & Donna M. O'Neil |
| 14 | Jeffery Corbett Ross | Robert Edward & Janice Corbett |
| 18 | Maureen Ellen Meany | Thomas Francis & Janis Louise Condon |
| 27 | Daniel Otto Duhn | Daniel Raymond & Joan P. Schwartz |
| 28 | Christopher Stephen Chipoli | Robert Lewis & Donna Louise Marengo |
| December | | |
| 6 | Dawn Marie Dearing | Daniel Arthur & Patricia A. Berry |
| 31 | Jeremy Raymond Winchell | Robert Laurence & Norma Jean Piers |

Deaths Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1974

| Date | Name | Y | M | D | Cause |
|----------|-------------------------------|----|----|----|-----------------------------------|
| January | | | | | |
| 5 | Ruth C. (Gallagher) Cox | 59 | 10 | 22 | Coronary Artery Disease |
| 5 | Camilla A. (Giardino) Howard | 46 | 4 | 22 | Metastatic Breast Cancer |
| 20 | Mathilda E. (Johanson) Hulten | 98 | 3 | 9 | Broncho Pneumonia |
| 25 | Howard V. Fox | 70 | 1 | 9 | Arterio Sclerotic Heart, Coronary |
| 31 | Charles Douglas Hill | 30 | 5 | 14 | Compound Fracture of the Skull |
| February | | | | | |
| 2 | Ethel M. (Coy) Syrfert | 59 | 5 | 2 | Cerebral Vascular Accident |
| 24 | Anna E. (Wallen) Peterson | 79 | 2 | 19 | Pulmonary Emboli |
| March | | | | | |
| 9 | Mildred W. (Anderson) Reckard | 79 | 10 | 3 | Heart Failure |
| 11 | Frank E. Simono | 72 | 10 | 3 | Coronary Artery Disease |
| 16 | Emily R. (Salvador) Silva | 57 | 11 | 6 | Heart Disease |
| 23 | Esther I. (Sevelius) Julius | 82 | 10 | 26 | Mesenteric Vascular Insufficiency |
| 25 | Alfred H. Rodrigues | 59 | 2 | 4 | Respiratory Failure |
| 31 | Edward W. Hargreaves | 54 | 8 | 0 | Bronchopneumonia |
| April | | | | | |
| 11 | Evelyn A. (Bodfish) Sweet | 81 | 8 | 27 | Congestive Heart Failure |
| 22 | Marian S. (Stoddard) Coleman | 85 | 5 | 24 | Broncho Pneumonia |
| 24 | William M. Doane | 67 | 9 | 17 | Brain Metastasis |
| 27 | Joseph P. Riordan | 55 | 2 | 16 | Coronary Thrombosis |

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|----------|-------------------------------|----|---|----|--|--|--|--|--|
| October | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | Julia Wetterberg | 80 | 1 | 9 | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease | | | | |
| 8 | Charles N. Stearns | 83 | 8 | 27 | Pneumonia, Pulmonary Edema | | | | |
| 11 | Laura T. Ballard | 76 | 0 | 21 | Cerebu-vascular Disease | | | | |
| 13 | Lynda M. Harvey | 16 | 2 | 21 | Fractured Skull, Brain damage | | | | |
| 17 | John E. Brennan | 63 | 3 | 5 | Arterio Sclerotic Heart Disease | | | | |
| 17 | Anne R. Sousa | 51 | 1 | 28 | Fractured Spine-Accident | | | | |
| 25 | Marc D. Eaton | 19 | — | — | Fractured Skull-Accident | | | | |
| 31 | Cy R. Kaplan | 50 | — | — | Acute Myocardial Infraction, Cardiogenic Shock | | | | |
| November | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Emerson R. Surgens | 78 | 8 | 14 | Organizing Bronchopneumonia | | | | |
| 4 | Emma (Enos) Cavacas | 80 | 4 | 6 | Heart Disease—presumably coronary sclerosis | | | | |
| 20 | Douglas W. Leighton | 28 | 2 | 26 | Fractured cervical vertebrae-Accident | | | | |
| 20 | Patricia E. (Griffin) Cookson | 48 | 3 | 22 | Heart disease, presumably Coronary occlusion | | | | |
| 21 | Annie (Chapman) Burton | 95 | 7 | 25 | Cerebral embolis, cerebral arterio sclerosis | | | | |
| 22 | Lawrence T. Morrison | 64 | 8 | 7 | Heart disease, presumably coronary occlusion | | | | |
| 29 | Mary C. (Madden) Pomeroy | 74 | 4 | 9 | Arteriosclerotic heart disease | | | | |
| December | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Antonio Andrea | 71 | 4 | 21 | Myocardial Infraction, Arteriosclerotic Coronary | | | | |
| 4 | Esther E. (Anderson) Main | 74 | 3 | 8 | Intracerebral Hemorrhage, Hypertension | | | | |

Marriages Recorded in West Bridgewater—1974

January

- 19 Leon C. McCabe of East Bridgewater and Joanne H. Chaves of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 24 John Curtin of Brockton and Emily Sylvester of West Bridgewater at West Abington.

February

- 1 Frank Edward Parker, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Lynne J. (Devine) Martin of Foxboro at Brockton.
- 2 Thomas Peter Sampson of East Bridgewater and Tina Louise Gazerro of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 8 William Thomas Coutts of Milton and Kathleen Rose Jennette of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 10 David J. Anderson of West Bridgewater and Renee Anne Cabral of Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 15 Allan Lee Morse of West Bridgewater and Lucy Ferrerira of Lakeville at Lakeville.
- 22 David P. Lincoln of West Bridgewater and Gisele M. Slupski of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.

March

- 16 Stephen C. Lindberg of West Bridgewater and Barbara A. Baird of Brockton at Brockton.
- 23 William E. Halliday of West Bridgewater and Elizabeth Mary Van Baars of Needham at Needham.
- 30 William J. Griffin of West Bridgewater and Carol B. Murphy of West Bridgewater at Wollaston.

April

- 1 Theodore Nystrom of West Bridgewater and Joyce Marlene Kohl of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
- 6 William Paul of Taunton and Carol D. Anderson of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 20 John Frederick Recke of Kingston and Doreen Ann Kelly of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

May

- 10 Cornelius A. O'Connor, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Annemarie C. Burrows (Kein) at East Bridgewater.
- 11 Christopher Healy of West Bridgewater and Linda Joyce Carrien of Lawrence at Lawrence.
- 24 Richard Tsika of West Bridgewater and Patricia Wright of Middleboro at West Bridgewater.
- 25 Roy Earl Romig of Fort Meyers, Florida and Barbara J. Hanssen (Hedin) of West Bridgewater at South Weymouth.
- 26 Herbert David Johnson of Fairhaven and Mary Elizabeth Lucini of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 27 Paul Douglas Carr of Brockton and Diane Lynn Breen of Brockton at West Bridgewater
- 31 Thomas R. Andresen of West Bridgewater and Susan Brunnegraff of West Bridgewater at North Easton.

June

- 1 Paul S. Everett of Stoughton and Patricia M. Carey of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 5 Anthony Mack Graham of Naples, Florida and Deborah Anne MacDonald of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 7 Michael J. Childers of West Bridgewater and Paulette D. Wood of Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 8 Paul David Ayers of Brockton and Jean Marie Thomas of Hanson at West Bridgewater.
- 8 Wayne Stewart Alden, III of West Bridgewater and Marsha Ellen Jenkins of Whitman at Whitman.
- 8 William A. Greene of West Bridgewater and Jackqueline Joy of Cohasset at West Bridgewater.
- 10 Charles Patrick Gaffney of East Bridgewater and Jacqueline Helen Gillman of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 15 Gary Elliot Walker of Westwood and Kathleen Ann Brodrick of West Bridgewater at Easton.
- 15 Mark Joseph Landerville of West Bridgewater and Kimberly Anne Dick of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 15 Stephen Douglas Abati of East Bridgewater and Carol Ann Lakeman of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 15 Thomas Allen Bowditch of Brockton and Nancy Eleanor Mazza of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 15 Charles A. Ray of West Bridgewater and Debra H. Martin of West Bridgewater at Abington.
- 16 Douglas Sedgley Clark of West Bridgewater and Joyce Marie Nixon of West Bridgewater at Bryantville.
- 16 Robert Eric Johnson of Brockton and Sandra Lynn Smith of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 21 Bruce Ralph Clark of West Bridgewater and Nedra Bates of West Bridgewater at Hanson.
- 21 Allen P. Hoyt of West Bridgewater and Cheryl A. Le Doux of Plymouth at Manomet.
- 22 Alan J. Burgess of East Bridgewater and Margaret E. Stone of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 22 Fred A. Willis of West Bridgewater and Gail M. Polillio of Stoughton at Stoughton.
- 22 Michael E. Ludwig of West Bridgewater and Cindy L. Fenn of West Bridgewater at Easton.
- 29 Barry Arnold Atwood of Raynham and Dana Lee Pinkerton of Raynham at West Bridgewater.
- 29 Martin J. Connolly of Avon and Paula A. Isenberg of West Bridgewater at Avon.
- 29 Charles M. Wicks of Allston and Katherine Leach of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 29 Robert Martin Dwyer, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Nancy Gene Ohlson of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 30 Richard Weston Straffin of Middleboro and Lois Carol Jutras (Phillips) of West Bridgewater at Whitman.

- July
- 5 Charles E. Brock, III of Westford and Christine Staples of West Bridgewater at Hanover.
 - 6 John V. Buckley, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Shelia E. Pooler of North Easton at North Easton.
 - 8 Joseph P. Pocius of West Bridgewater and Barbara Brooks (Frederickson) of North Easton at East Bridgewater.
 - 12 Lawrence E. Kerr of West Bridgewater and Karen M. Laaperi of Whitman at Abington.
 - 13 Richard A. MacKenzie of West Bridgewater and Nora May Dowd of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
 - 20 Robert Ernest Morse of West Bridgewater and Susan Jean Duquette of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
 - 20 Bruce W. O'Brien of Whitman and Pamela Keith of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
 - 27 John Piers of West Bridgewater and Christine Ann Keylor of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

- August
- 9 Frederick A. Ruehrwein of Dorchester and Roberta L. Diernbach of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
 - 10 John F. Devlin of Abington and Carol A. Jones (Perry) of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
 - 10 Ronald Burgess of Kingston and Janice Andrews Wrightington of West Bridgewater at Bourne.
 - 17 Robert Joseph Giacobbe of Arlington and Judith Crowell of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
 - 18 Bruce William Julien of West Bridgewater and Denise Anania of Brockton at Brockton.
 - 30 Jay Howland of West Bridgewater and Ingrid Ritchie of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
 - 30 John E. Holyoke of West Bridgewater and Linda C. Smyth (Staples) of Brockton at Brockton.

- September
- 7 R. Edward Owen of Brockton and Bonnie L. Thompson of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
 - 14 Philip D. MacQuinn of West Bridgewater and Linda Vogell (Aikens) of East Bridgewater at Brockton.
 - 15 Raymond R. Hill of West Bridgewater and Carroll M. (Williams) McDonald of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
 - 21 Richard D. Brosnan of Taunton and Clara Lou Holmes of West Bridgewater at Taunton.
 - 22 Edward C. DeMolles of West Bridgewater and Maryln Holmes of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.

- October
- 5 Arthur J. Carriuolo of Brockton and Ella L. Barclay of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
 - 11 Ralph E. Smith of West Bridgewater and Nancy E. Ladd of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
 - 12 Bruce D. Grippen of West Bridgewater and Priscilla F. Augustine of Brockton at Brockton.
 - 19 Robert W. Hall of West Bridgewater and Linda J. Dufour of Lakeville at Lakeville.

October

- 19 Terry J. Dunn of East Bridgewater and Joyce Edson of West Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 19 Anthony Mascarello, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Patricia Ling of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 26 Jack R. Dudley of Manchester, Vt. and Catherine B. Steptoe of West Bridgewater at North Easton, Mass.
- 27 Kevin F. O'Brien of West Bridgewater and Linda E. Chuilli of East Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.

November

- 1 Carmine Gallo of Brockton and Josephine Holmgren (Cassiani) of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 10 Mark Balboni of West Bridgewater and Diana Gray of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
- 10 Philip S. Baracchini of South Weymouth and Holly MacDonald of West Bridgewater at South Weymouth.
- 15 John J. Arnold of West Bridgewater and Patricia A. Fabrizio (Auger) of Brockton at Brockton.
- 24 Harold C. Bishop of West Bridgewater and Edith I. DiPieto (D'Arpino) of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 30 Kevin B. O'Neil of Avon and Diane M. Sigren of West Bridgewater at Easton.

December

- 8 Richard R. Forest of West Bridgewater and Bessie M. (DeFazio) Iolli of North Easton at Abington.
- 12 Richard Graeme MacDonald of West Bridgewater and Mary E. Coleman (Owens) of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 14 Kevin Patrick Lipper of Brockton and Denise Frances Nash of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Ronald A. Thomas of West Bridgewater and Maureen (Leonard) DiGregorio of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Francis J. Boyd of West Bridgewater and Pauline C. Marchand (Savard) of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
- 24 Per Olof Ohrn of West Bridgewater and Eva Podebradska of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater
- 28 Michael Ludovici of Bridgewater and Debra Anne Gross of Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

1973 DOG LICENSES ISSUED in 1974

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|--------|--------------|
| Male | 4 @ | \$3.00 | \$ 12.00 |
| Spayed Female | 5 @ | 3.00 | <u>15.00</u> |
| | | | 27.00 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 9 @ | .35 | <u>3.15</u> |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | \$ 23.85 |

DOG LICENSES ISSUED in 1974

| | | | |
|-------------------|--------|--------|---------------|
| Male | 549 @ | \$3.00 | \$1,647.00 |
| Female | 141 @ | 6.00 | 846.00 |
| Spayed Female | 379 @ | 3.00 | 1,137.00 |
| Kennel | 20 @ | 10.00 | 200.00 |
| Kennel | 1 @ | 25.00 | 25.00 |
| Kennel | 1 @ | 50.00 | <u>50.00</u> |
| | 1091 | | \$3,905.00 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 1091 @ | .35 | <u>381.85</u> |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | \$3,523.15 |

FISH and GAME LICENSES ISSUED in 1974

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------|-----------|---------------|
| Res. Citizen Fishing Lic. | 360 @ | \$ 8.25 | \$2,970.00 |
| Res. Citizen Hunting Lic. | 193 @ | 8.25 | 1,592.25 |
| Res. Citizen Sporting Lic. | 155 @ | 13.50 | 2,092.50 |
| Res. Citizen Minor Fishing Lic. | 41 @ | 6.25 | 256.25 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping Lic. | 6 @ | 11.50 | 69.00 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping Minor Lic. | 2 @ | 6.25 | 12.50 |
| Res. Alien Fishing Lic. | 1 @ | 11.25 | 11.25 |
| Non Res. Citizen Alien Fishing | 1 @ | 14.25 | 14.25 |
| Non Res. 7 Day Lic. | 2 @ | 8.25 | <u>16.50</u> |
| | 761 | | \$7,034.50 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 761 @ | .25 | <u>190.25</u> |
| | | | \$6,844.25 |
| Duplicates | 12 @ | 1.00 | 12.00 |
| Archery Deer Stamps | 11 @ | 5.10 | 56.10 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 11 @ | .10 1.10 | <u>1.10</u> |
| | | | 55.00 |
| Waterfowl Stamps | 113 @ | 1.25 | 141.25 |
| Less Clerk's Fees | 113 @ | .25 28.50 | <u>28.25</u> |
| | | | 113.25 |

Free Licenses

| | |
|---|----|
| Res. Citizen Sporting Lic. (over 70) | 28 |
| Res. Citizen Fishing – Paraplegic or blind | 1 |

| | | |
|--|-----|------------|
| Number Issued and Amount Paid to Division of Fisheries and Game | 897 | \$7,024.25 |
|--|-----|------------|

Miscellaneous Receipts — 1974

| | | | |
|--|--------|---------|-------------|
| Appeals | 14 @ | \$25.00 | \$ 350.00 |
| Building Permits | 154 | | 4,121.68 |
| Building Codes | 66 @ | 1.00 | 66.00 |
| Maps | 18 @ | .25 | 4.50 |
| Zoning Maps | 63 @ | 1.50 | 94.50 |
| Photocopies | 50 | | 42.25 |
| Street Lists | 20 @ | 2.00 | 40.00 |
| Raffle & Bazaar Permits | 7 @ | 10.00 | 70.00 |
| Pole Petitions for 1974 | | | 30.25 |
| Gas Renewals | 40 @ | 12.50 | 500.00 |
| No Trespass Sign | 1 @ | .30 | .30 |
| No Trespass Signs | 38 @ | .25 | 9.50 |
| Subdivision Regulations | 2 @ | .50 | 1.00 |
| Uniform Commercial Codes | 82 @ | 5.00 | 410.00 |
| Termination Uniform Com. Code | 23 @ | 2.00 | 46.00 |
| Trust Recording | 1 @ | 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Certified Copies Births, Deaths & Marriages | 215 @ | 1.00 | 215.00 |
| Copies Births | 82 @ | .50 | 41.00 |
| Marriage Certificates | 80 @ | 4.00 | 320.00 |
| Business Certificates | 22 @ | 1.00 | 22.00 |
| I. D. Liquor Cards | 22 @ | 2.00 | 44.00 |
| Dump Stickers | 531 @ | .50 | 265.50 |
| Demolition of Building | | | 444.00 |
| Dog License Fees | 1100 @ | .35 | 385.00 |
| Fish & Game Fees | 828 @ | .25 | 207.00 |
| Archery Stamp Fees | 11 @ | .10 | 1.10 |
| Sewage Permits – Repairs | 20 @ | 15.00 | 300.00 |
| Sewage Permits – New | 16 @ | 25.00 | 400.00 |
| Electrical Permits | 138 | | 1,313.75 |
| Plumbing Permits | 80 | | 614.00 |
| Gas Permits | 39 | | 522.00 |
| Sign Permits | 9 | | 111.05 |
| Voting Lists | 7 @ | 2.00 | 14.00 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | \$11,010.38 |

List of Jurors

TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER

1974-1975

| Name | Residence | Business or Occupation & Address of Employer or Business |
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| Albert, Edna L. | 28 N. Main | Manager, Cumberland Farms Store, 777 Dedham St., Canton, Ma., Husband, Truck Driver, Waco Equip., 41 Water St., Holbrook, Ma. |
| Almquist, Kenneth O. | 35 South | Outside Plant Manager, N.E. Telephone Co., Brockton, Ma. |
| Almquist, Shirley | 35 South | Wife, Housewife |
| Anacki, Alan A. | 392 E. Center | Housewife, Husband, Outside Plant Manager, N.E. Telephone Co., Brockton, Ma. |
| Anderson, Conrad J. Jr. | 11 Norman Ave. | Dispatcher, American Automobile Association, 1280 Boylston St., Brookline, Wife, Housewife |
| Anderson, H. Louise | 11 Norman Ave. | Sales Manager, Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., 863 Belmont St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Mail Order Clerk, King Size Co., 24 Forest St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Asker, Joan P. | 255 N. Elm | Mail Order Clerk, King Size Co., Forest St., Brockton, Ma., Husband, Sales Mgr. Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., 863 Belmont St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Beary, Francis J. | 22 Goldie Rd. | Housewife, Husband, Real Estate Broker, Realty by Asker, 199 Belmont St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Berry, William E. | 392 S. Elm | Retired, Field Mgr., IBM Corp., 1 Gateway Ctr., Newton Corner |
| Bettencourt, Harriet E. | 209 N. Main | Wife, Housewife |
| Bissonnette, Leona E. | 695 N. Main | Construction Supt., A.P. Whitaker & Sons Inc., 536 N. Main St. Randolph, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Black, George K. | 15 Milebrook Rd. | Office Mgr., Bettencourt's Honda, S. Main St., W. Bridgewater, Ma., Husband, Manager, Bettencourt's Honda, S. Main St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| | | Quality Control Inspector, Ark-Les Switch C., Central St., Stoughton, Ma. |
| | | Insurance Broker, A.L. Cushman & Son, Inc., 26 School St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Nurse |

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| Boardman, Joseph W. | 42 Matfield | Insurance Cashier, Reliance Ins., 3 Center Plaza, Boston, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Brown, William R. Jr. | 482 N. Elm | Accounting Systems & Procedures Analyst, State St. Bk. & Trust, 225 Franklin St., Boston, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Burke, Patrice M. | 855 N. Main | Housewife & Mother, Husband, Computer Operator, Schmid Bros., 55 Pacella Park, Randolph, Ma. |
| Burrill, Henry K. | 451 Matfield | Tour Boss, Bird & Son, East Walpole, Ma., Wife, Nurse, Supervisor, Goddard Hospital, Stoughton, Ma. |
| Cadigan, Joseph D. | 24 Milebrook | Banker, Collection Supervisor, First Nat. Bk. of Boston, 100 Federal St., Boston, Ma., Wife, Secretary |
| Carlson, Stanley O. | 295 South | Senior Material Cont. Coordinator, Gen. Dynamics, E. Howard St., Quincy, Ma., Wife, Secretary |
| Carrozza, Dorothy E. | 19 Norman Ave. | Waitress, Capeway Manor, Main St., Brockton, Ma., Husband, Presser |
| Cheyunski, Lillian J. | 755 W. Center | Housewife, Husband, Service Sta. Att., Midway Mobil, 575 W. Center St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Conant, Lawrence D. | 45 S. Elm | Research and Development Eng. Process Equip. Manuf., Bird Machine, Walpole, Ma. |
| Cudmore, Patricia A. | 140 Samuel Ave. | Asst. Treasurer & Clerk, A.F. German Co., Inc., 1159 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Husband, President, A.F. German Co., Inc., 1159 Main St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Eckstrom, Robert | 208 Matfield | Group Leader, Plant Eng. Dept., Honeywell Info. Systems, 200 Smith St., Waltham, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Emerson, Walter Jr. | 246 Matfield | Systems Programmer, Cumberland Farms, 777 Dedham St., Canton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Eng, James | 28 Milebrook | Research Elect. Tech., AF Cambridge Research Lab., Bedford, Ma., Wife, Restaurant Manager |
| Haesey, Robert T. | 466 Matfield | Systems Work & Administration, Prudential Ins., Co. Brockton, Ma., Wife, Registered Nurse |
| Higgins, Lorraine | 79 River | Clerk, Husband, Wholesale Route Salesman, H.P. Hood & Co., E. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Holmgren, John | 458 Matfield | Regional Rep. Mutual Funds, Eaton & Howard, Inc., 24 Federal St., Boston, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Hoyt, Jack R. | 51 Pinecrest Rd. | Estimate Assigner, N.E. Tel., 65 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Jensen, Doris L. | 30 Norman Ave. | Housewife, Husband, Shoe Pattern Maker, Dumbar Pattern Co., Brockton, Ma. |

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| Johnson, Robert E. | 82 Belmont | Research Eng., Foxboro Co., Foxboro, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Johnson, Wallace E. | 93 Prospect | Field Rep., Ins., Sales & Service, Guardian Life Ins., 201 Park Ave. South, N.Y., N.Y., Wife, Housewife |
| Kent, John J. | 161 S. Main | Shipper, Component Mfg. Co., W. Bridgewater, Ma., Wife, Teacher |
| Knox, George A. | 74 Belmont | Post Office Clerk, Brockton, Ma., Wife, Cafeteria Worker |
| Krebs, Edith M. | 855 N. Main | Ward Clerk, Cardinal Cushing Gen. Hospital, 235 N. Pearl St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Leach, David T. | 1 Milebrook Rd. | Assoc. Dir. of Admissions, Boston University, Boston, Ma., Wife, Guidance Counsellor |
| Legge, Robert W. | 870 W. Center | Lab. Dir., Chief Chem., Draper Bros. Co., Draper Lane, Canton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Lindskog, Elizabeth A. | 69 Belmont | Housewife, Husband, Truck Driver, Intercity Trans., 600 Turnpike St., So. Easton, Ma. |
| Long, Michael F. | 10 Brooks Pl. | Contract Wk. Insp., N.E. Tel., 1690 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| MacHardy, Francis X. | 470 Matfield | Chief Insp. Q.C. Mgr., Mutron Corp., 646 Summer St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Telephone Clerk |
| Mann, John J. Jr. | 45 Brewster Rd. | Truck Disp., Boston Edison, 1165 Mass. Ave., Roxbury, Ma. Wife, Housewife |
| Martin, Mildred M. | 855 N. Main | Price Checker, Brockton Public Market, Laurel St., E. Bridgewater, Ma., Husband, Retired |
| Meal, James D. | 65 Pleasant | Mfg. Eng., Honeywell, Inc., Old Conn. Path, Framingham, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Murphy, Donald E. | 417 Matfield | Super. D.E.S., Chas. Hurley Bldg., Boston, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Murphy, Ellen L. | 51 Bryant | Customer Instructor, N.E.T. Co., Bus. Ser. Div., 1245 Hancock St., Quincy, Ma., Husband, Salesman |
| McCann, William J. | 137 Bedford | Rate & Traffic Clerk, Tim G.D.C., 235 Wood Rd., Braintree, Ma., Wife, Supervisor |
| O'Connell, Robert F. | 44 Matfield | Foreman, Ward Machine Co., Inc., 966 Main St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Ohlson, Sumner H. | 116 Prospect | Line Foreman, Edison Co., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Patterson, Ralph | 86 Matfield | Dist. Mgr. News. Delivery, Brockton Enterprise, 60 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Assembler |

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| Peloquin, M. Jeannette | 855 N. Main | Office Cashier, Stop & Shop, 715 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma., Husband, Meat Cutter |
| Perkins, Barbara | 96 Howard | Sub. Librarian-Clerk, School Dept., W. Bridgewater, Ma., Husband, Vice-Pres., Henry Perkins Co., Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Pickering, Charles A. | 84 Columbus Ave. | C.A. Pickering Assoc., Inc., 648 W. Center St., W. Bridgewater, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Podolsky, Henry | 18 Brewster Rd. | Salesman, Hardware Agents, 116 Foundry St., Wakefield, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Polley, Jan | 46 N. Main | Area Rep. Child Evangelism, Rev. LaVerne Weber, 93 Hartwell Rd., Bedford, Ma. |
| Pratt, Carlton D. | 148 Bedford | System Ser. Rep., Computers & Control Sys., Foxboro Co., Rt. 1, Walpole, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Raymond, Edith | 34 Norman Ave. | Asst. Bookkeeper, Connors Wayside Furn., 2239 Washington St., Canton, Ma., Husband, Union Painter, Local 296, Brockton, Ma. |
| Read, Samuel A. | 67 Plain | Energy Consulting Engr. Brockton Edison Co., 36 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Richardson, George E. | 487 East | Stationary Engr., Cen. Cont. Oper., Boston Edison, 800 Boylston St., Boston, Wife, Housewife |
| Roffinoli, Robert J. | 462 Matfield St. | Design Control Panels, CDI Corp., 197 First Ave., Needham, Ma. |
| Roscoe, Jeanne C. | 80 Columbus Ave. | Teacher, W. Bridgewater School Dept., Husband, Q.C. Engineer |
| Roulstone, Barbara M. | 17 Spring | House, Husband, Program News Dir., Radio Sta. WOKW, 288 Linwood St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Roussel, Charles M. | 89 Columbus Ave. | Sales Mgr., N.E.T. & T., 1690 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Saline, Ronald | 34 Matfield | Engineer, N.E.T. & T., 1043 Pearl St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Secretary |
| Savino, Carol A. | 855 N. Main | Order Girl, Plymouth Rubber Co., Revere St., Canton, Ma. |
| Scranton, Alice D. | 255 Pleasant | Housewife, Husband, Teacher, Town of Plymouth |
| Seablom, Dorothy E. | 29 Spring | Sub. Teacher, Town of W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Seablom, Hilda V.S. | 6 Norman Ave. | Legal Secretary, Alphon N. Carlson & Gary W. Carlson, Attys. at Law, 1106 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Husband, Carpenter |

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| Spencer, William E. Jr. | 340 S. Elm | Lineman, N.E.T. & T., 1043 Pearl St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Reg., Nurse |
| Swann, Richard E. | 145 Bryant St. | Vice-Pres., Sen. Admin. Off., First Cty. Nat. Bank, 90 Main St., Brockton, Ma., Wife, Secretary |
| Swanson, Ronald | 323 Matfield | Physical Science Tech., Civ. Emp., Dept. Army, U.S. Govt., Watertown, Ma., Wife, Student |
| Tanner, David J. | 10 Norman Ave. | Dir. Job Training, Ply. Cty. EEA, Town Hall, W. Bridgewater, Ma., Wife, Housewife |
| Tsiaras, Costas | 378 Matfield | Manager, EZ Market, Wife, Housewife |
| Tuck, Margaret C. | 192 Spring | Management Asst. Rental Agent, First Realty Co., 151 Tremont St., Boston, Husband, Insurance Underwriter |
| Zamaitis, Elizabeth | 18 Central Sq. | Clerk, Tax Coll. Office, Town Hall, W. Bridgewater, Ma., Husband, Technician |

JURORS DRAWN IN 1974

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| Kenneth O. Almqvist | Criminal Session | Robert W. Legge | Criminal Session |
| Donald J. Bennechi | Criminal Session | Eva Mary Lepine | Grand Juror |
| Robert W. Bowman | Civil Session | Matthew Mazza | Civil Session |
| Francis Boyd | Civil Session | William J. McCann | Criminal Session |
| Doris Calitri | Criminal Session | Sumner H. Ohlson | Criminal Session |
| Adolph J. Cheyunski | Civil Session | Ruth A. Perry | Civil Session |
| Louis De Corpo | Civil Session | Charles A. Pickering | Criminal Session |
| Robert Eckstrom | Civil Session | William C. Rolf | Criminal Session |
| Charles Ensher | Civil Session | Ronald Saline | Criminal Session |
| Philip A. Erbeck | Civil Session | Gordon F. Tessier | Criminal Session |
| Dorothy Holmgren | Murder Trial | Kenneth A. Turner | Criminal Session |
| Charles H. Johnson | Murder Trial | | |

Board of Selectmen

On January 8, 1975, the Board of Selectmen notified all departments, including the school department, to hold the line on spending this year. Most departments have agreed to cooperate as they did in 1972.

The 1975-76 year ahead appears to be a very gloomy one with the recession, material shortages and runaway prices. The unemployment has reached 8.5% and predictions are that it will go higher. We will make every effort to maintain a lower real estate tax.

There was no Chapter 90 work done this past year due to emergency repairs of the Arch Street bridge. This bridge was overhauled by our highway department under the supervision of C. A. Pickering Engineer Associates at a cost of \$12,000.00. Our highway department did a remarkable job and is commended by this Board. We must consider the South Street bridge for reconstruction as this is also in very poor condition. The cost for repairs will be much higher since the highway department will not attempt the renovations as this is beyond the scope of the department. They are not equipped to perform major restorations. We will make every effort to acquire Federal funds for this project.

Our town drainage project was continued on Bedford Street this year. The drainage work will continue until storm and surface waters flow down their waterways and out of town. Again, we will apply for Federal funding to complete this project.

Work on the Crescent Street sidewalk began last October and is to be completed this spring. Our highway crew constructed the Plain Street sidewalk. The sidewalk program should also be continued and we hope to utilize the Public Service Employees, a federal program, in this area.

The Town Hall offices have been re-painted at only materials cost. Labor costs were paid for by the federal government.

The "Blood for Life" program, sponsored by the Board of Selectmen on June 22, September 28 and December 28, succeeded in protecting each town resident with blood in the case of an accident or emergency. We are expanding this program to include locally employed people and their families but who reside out of town. Our goal is not only to make West Bridgewater a healthy town to live in, but also a healthy town to work in.

We are organizing a maintenance crew consisting of skilled men in the field of carpentry, electrical and masonry work wherever possible. The crew will be composed of unemployed residents paid for by the federal government under the PSE Act and available to all departments to make minor repairs to all town-owned buildings including the schools. Our goal is to get our fair share of government funds to build, drain and repair with little or no cost to the taxpayer.

In 1973, West Bridgewater had thirty-eight young people working in the Neighborhood Youth Corps program. In 1974, we had twenty-eight students in this program. For six weeks they helped keep our streets clean and also worked in the brooks and streams digging out debris from our waterways. Some worked in the Town Hall offices assisting in various departments. This was a worthwhile program that helped students earn money and perform a service to the community as well. This too, is a federally

funded program which we hope to expand this summer.

West Bridgewater was the headquarters for the Plymouth County Consortium of the Emergency Employment Act. This program employed and trained the unemployed Vietnam veteran, the unemployed and the under-employed residents of the town. The town realized \$194,587.21 in services from the federal government in areas such as the highway, water, fire, police and school departments. The savings for services in these departments was significant.

A point of interest—last year, when former Governor Sargent requested all municipal governments to conserve fuel, the Board of Selectmen initiated a four-day work week and succeeded in saving two thousand gallons of fuel.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to all personnel, in all departments, for their help and cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard E. Krugger, *Chairman*
Michael Manugian
Charles H. Johnson

Conservation Commission

1974 saw much of the Commission's activity directed toward enforcement and administration of Chapter 131, Section 40, as amended by Chapter 818 of the Acts of 1974 (Wetlands Protection Act) which unfortunately detracted from land acquisition and land management activities.

Five public hearings were held on Notices of Intent to fill wetland or land subject to flooding with the following dispositions:

Massachusetts Department of Public Works — permission to fill in conjunction with the widening of Route 24 from Route 106 north to the Brockton City line with conditions.

Albert Calef — permission to fill to erect a steel building with conditions on East Center Street.

Leo's Landscape (Leo Iannatuoni) — permission to fill to conduct a landscape business on Walnut Street.

Town of West Bridgewater — permission to fill in skating rink on Howard Street.

Town of West Bridgewater Conservation Commission — permission to fill to construct a boat access to the Town river on Ash Street.

A Notice of Intent was received from Laurence Briggs of Belmont Street which was incomplete due to the lack of a plan of the project. At this writing, a plan has been requested but not yet received.

A Notice of Intent was also received from William and Ruth Couite of Copeland Street to fill on North Main Street. A hearing is scheduled in January 1975.

The Commission felt court action was necessary in two instances. A Complaint was obtained in Brockton District Court against Albert Calef for alleged violation of the Wetlands Protection Act and subsequently dismissed upon completion of filing a Notice of Intent under the Act. Through the Board of Selectmen, a temporary restraining order was sought and granted by the Probate Court in Brockton against further filling on North Main Street on land owned by William and Ruth Couite. At this writing, there is a hearing pending on a Petition for a permanent restraining order, removal of fill alleged to have been placed in violation of the Wetlands Protection Act, Reimbursement to the Town for all expenses incurred in the above action, and a Citation for contempt of court for alleged filling in violation of the temporary restraining order.

Five Cease and Desist Orders were issued during the year. Thirteen determinations as to the applicability of the Wetlands Protection Act were made. There were 20 investigations made under the Act and five official field trips. The Commission enforced the removal of an amount of fill pushed into the Town River at the rear of Bettencourt Honda on South Main Street. There were also 12 regular meetings and 9 special meetings of the Commission.

The Plymouth County Mosquito Control (exempt from the Wetlands Protection Act) asked the Commission for permission to dredge Elm Square Brook east of Spring Street through Commission land. The Commissioners asked for a plan prior to making any judgement in the matter. They did not, as reported in the Brockton Enterprise, order the project stopped on the remainder of Elm Square Brook.

The Commission, after a well-attended public hearing, voted itself approval to place a small amount of fill on its Ash Street property to construct a parking area for its proposed canoe and small boat access to the Town river and to dredge a small channel out to the main thread of the river. However, due to the opposition of the abutters and lack of support for the proposal, the Commission voted not to implement the proposal until such time as there is public support for the project. The Commissioners still feel that this is a worthwhile project that would be an asset to the people of the Town. The engineering and plans were drawn by C. A. Pickering Associates and were a very excellent piece of work.

Despite the demands of the Wetlands Protection Act, there were some land acquisition achievements. Approximately 1.25 acres of land was purchased on Ash Street for \$2500.00 which extends out to the middle of the Town river upon which the Commission's plan for a boat access was based.

The Commission gratefully received as a gift from Mr. & Mrs. William Murphy approximately one-half acre of land on North Elm Street which contains a small pond which feeds the small brook that traverses the Woodcock Chase Conservation Area. Through the efforts of Irving Sylvester, of the Highway Department, dead trees were cut down and removed, several loads of trash from the pond were disposed of, and the clogged culvert leading out of the pond was cleared. Still to be accomplished is the erection of a fence along both property lines which will begin as soon as a sufficient amount of used utility poles can be located. Plans are also being formulated to dredge the silt and trash from the bottom of the pond and construct a small dam at the outlet with flash boards to control the level of the pond and keep the water running to prevent the

current stagnation and algae growth.

A trade of land with Samoset Rod and Gun Club was accomplished after a Town Meeting vote and authorization and special act of the State Legislature. Approximately 1½ acres from the conservation area on Matfield Street plus the old school house on a separate parcel of land slightly under ½ acre was traded to the club for approximately 4½ acres of land on Stoney Road. This land on Stoney Road is the subject of an Article proposed for the 1975 Annual Town Meeting to be traded for approximately 10 acres bordering the Mill Pond on the westerly side of Stoney Road. The Commissioners feel that this is another move in the good interest of the Town whereby it will add measurably to the protection of the Mill Pond and connect this conservation area with the State West Meadow Wildlife area. This creates an unbroken chain of State and Town conservation land running from the Brockton City line to within approximately 500 feet of Crescent Street, which included both the lake in West Meadow and most of the Mill Pond.

A final report was rendered to the Ford Foundation accounting for the monies from their grant to survey and identify the Solitude Stone Conservation Area with a sign. Appreciation is expressed to C. A. Pickering Associates for their donated time and services which allowed the Commission to keep the project financially within the grant.

A survey with a biologist from the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries was made of Mill Pond and West Meadow Brook toward an attempt to establish a run of herring into the Mill Pond and eventually into the lake at West Meadow. It was recommended not to pursue the project as the bottom of both the Mill Pond and lake is unsuitable for herring spawning. The proposal will not receive any further consideration. The Commissioners promulgated and recommended a set of regulations governing the taking of herring at the ladder at Arch Street which was adopted by the Board of Selectmen and approved by the Division of Marine Fisheries.

Two members of the Commission participated in the Spring roadside clean-up conducted by the Boy Scouts. This annual clean-up has the enthusiastic endorsement of the Commission. It appears that there are far more young people who care about the appearance of their Town than adults whose turn out was disappointing.

Woodcock Chase Conservation area off North Elm Street received more attention in 1974. The Springer Environmental Service from Acushnet spent three days in the area. A second phase of thinning and pruning was performed in the pine grove whereby all of the dead trees were removed with additional pruning over that performed in 1973 was accomplished. A third and final phase will probably be conducted in 1975 removing the last of the crowded and deformed trees and pruning all remaining trees to a height of 20 feet. This will accomplish several things besides providing some quality timber in the decades ahead. By thinning crowded and deformed trees, the remaining trees grow more vigorously due to lessened competition for the available moisture in the soil plus added growing room thus providing greater timber production and greater output of oxygen into the air. With the canopy of tree tops thinned more rain and snow is allowed to fall onto the ground thus increasing the moisture content in the soil. The pruning of the trees practically eliminates any fire hazard and is aesthetically pleasing. Six diseased elm trees were removed along with repairs and creosoting of the elevated walkways. Residents are urged to use this unique conservation area which combines an upland pine grove with a wetland area traversed by a small brook with a variety of wildlife. It is actually a small urban park partially managed for its timber resources in the traditional

European manner combined with more traditional American aspects of a relatively untouched wooded park. There should be future acquisitions to expand this area.

The sign identifying the Stockade Hill Conservation area was repaired and refurbished also by the Springer Environmental service.

Management of timber resources on Town conservation land is an activity that should be expanded in the future. The conservation area off South Elm Street adjoining Flaggy Meadow is one that holds good potential in this respect due to the sizeable pine grove and remainder of the area mixed with pines and hardwoods.

The Commissioners took a position at the public hearing on the proposed removal of trees for the Crescent Street sidewalk that no more trees than absolutely necessary should be removed rather than to take a position on specific trees. Very much to their credit, the Board of Selectmen and Tree Warden, removed an absolute minimum of trees which is more than the Commission had hoped for.

At a joint meeting with the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Health, the Commissioners endorsed a campaign to force State and Federal officials to force the City of Brockton to speed up their very tardy program of upgrading their sewage treatment plant which is responsible for the gross pollution of the Matfield River in West Bridgewater. Although the Commission has no statutory jurisdiction, it feels this situation has been tolerated far too long and offers its enthusiastic support to the Board of Health in this matter.

As a note of explanation, the Commissioners have served notice on the Massachusetts Department of Public Works that they will not approve of the pure chemical treatment of Route 24 for ice and snow with sodium and calcium chloride. In its Order of Conditions relative to the widening of Route 24 north of Route 106, the Commissioners ordered the use of 5 parts sand to 1 part calcium chloride. The Massachusetts Department of Public Works requested the rescinding of this Condition to allow the use of pure chloride. The Commissioners refused on the basis of the rising chloride count in the Town well water from the Manley Street Ext. well which is adjacent to Route 24. According to figures provided by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the chloride count has been slowly but steadily rising over the past few years in the well water to a present 70 p.p.m. (parts per million). Normal uncontaminated water contains 15 to 20 p.p.m. The maximum allowable under Massachusetts law in a public water supply is 250 p.p.m. The Commissioners take no position whatever as to judge the present quality of water from that well other than to refuse to allow the possibility of more chloride possibly working its way into the water supply from Route 24. It is hoped and expected that the Massachusetts Department of Public Works will abide by the Commission's lawful order so that a difficult enforcement procedure can be avoided.

The Board of Selectmen appointed former Selectman, Marjorie MacDonald as an associate member of the Commission and she has been a very active participant in the affairs of the Commission.

The Commissioners reported to the Board of Selectmen that Cumberland Farms has not made good upon its agreement to give to the Town for conservation purposes a strip of land along each side of the Town river in the area of Route 24, Scotland Street and Clinton Road, in exchange for the Town abandoning old Maple Street (Town Meeting approval required). Cumberland Farms has obliterated old Maple Street in clearing and

plowing the land for their corn field on the easterly side of Scotland Street. The trade would have allowed the Commission to relocate Old Maple Street on Commission property and connect it again with Clinton Road and open it to hiking and horseback riding. The Commissioners have recommended to the Selectmen that they require Cumberland Farms to restore Old Maple Street to its original condition.

The duties, if performed properly, of the Commission are expanding to the point that it is difficult for unpaid members of the Commission to perform them in their spare time as well as being unfair to expect it. Hopefully, in the next few years the voters will consider hiring a part-time administrator to carry out the duties and directives of the Commission such as several other Massachusetts cities and towns have already done. As can be judged from their report, the responsibilities and activities of the Commission can have a very important impact of the lives of our residents and the quality of our environment -- now and in the future. They are too important to be ignored or improperly handled.

It is imperative that the Commission continue its program of acquiring wetlands to contain runoff and also land adjacent to the Town river and the various streams. What is done today and tomorrow will determine the quality of the environment for decades to come. We can ill afford not to act.

The Commissioners have enjoyed since 1965 (date Commission established) an excellent relationship with every Board of Selectmen; and judging from the newspapers this seems to be the exception rather than the rule. The Selectmen's support and responsible attitude toward conservation is very much appreciated. Hopefully, the future will witness this same fine cooperation.

The Commissioners wish also to thank the following for their cooperation and assistance during the year: Charles Pickering who has consistently given generously of his time to advise and assist the Commission with engineering and surveying; Town Clerk, Anna Brown; Attorney Joseph Linehan; Attorney Francis Lynch, Town Counsel; Irving Sylvester and the Highway Department who have performed many helpful tasks; The Samoset Rod and Gun Club; Mr. & Mrs. William Murphy for their gift of land; the Board of Assessors; Building Inspector Ernest Peterson and Health Inspector Raymond Doten; the Forest and Park Departments.

Respectfully submitted,

The Conservation Commission

Philip C. Tuck, *Chairman*

Audrey Johnson, *Clerk*

Rev. Richard E. Burton

J. Layton Hayward

Emil A. Lawson

Thomas B. MacQuinn

Donald E. Surgens

Marjorie E. MacDonald, *Associate Member*

Council on Aging

To the Board of Selectmen:

The West Bridgewater Council on Aging spent a very active year meeting the needs of the senior citizens of the town. Regular meetings were held on the second Tuesday of each month and special meetings were called whenever the need arose.

Through the continued cooperation of the School Department, the Hot Lunch Program was held at the Rose L. MacDonald School and was well attended throughout the school year. Senior citizens were offered nutritional meals followed by a social hour on a bi-weekly basis. Mrs. Emma Marzelli continued to serve very competently as the Hot Lunch Coordinator and liaison to the Council. An average of 60 to 70 senior citizens participated in the program on a regular basis.

The Summer Hot Lunch Program was once again conducted at the First Congregational Unitarian Church on a twice-weekly basis. A total of 1220 lunches were served. As part of this program a Meals-on-Wheels Program was initiated. An average of 18 meals per day were served bi-weekly to our elderly shut-ins. It was with deep regret that this program was terminated in September due to the unavailability of funds. Every possible effort is being made to see if this program can be reactivated. Funds will be requested in the 1975-76 budget as the Council feels very strongly that there is a definite need in West Bridgewater for this program and many senior residents have requested that it be continued during the winter months when it is difficult for them to leave their homes.

Again this year the Council sponsored monthly health conferences conducted by the Bridgewater Visiting Nurses Association at the L. Louis D'Arpino Community Village. A flu clinic was also held at which flu shots were offered free of charge to all citizens sixty years of age and over. A total of 80 shots were administered by Dr. Eli Leeder, who was assisted by the Visiting Nurses Association and members of the Council.

Several bus trips were sponsored by the Council for the senior citizens. The Christmas trip to Dartmouth Shopping Mall was particularly well received.

The Council has petitioned the court through the Board of Selectmen and their agent, the Town Counsel, that the accrued interest on the Capen Trust Fund be made available to benefit all elderly people of the town.

During the year the Council was kept informed of the latest programs for the elderly by the Department of Elder Affairs, the Massachusetts Association of Older Americans, and the regional Association of Councils on Aging.

The Council is grateful for the assistance of town officials and local organizations. We also appreciate the cooperation of many interested residents who have helped provide special needs and pleasures for our senior citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorothy D. Amerigian
Virginia P. Antonangeli
Marjorie E. MacDonald
Margaret N. Ryan
John Eldridge

Lloyd A. Sears, *Chairman*
Susan D. Puffer, *Vice-Chairman*
Evelyn D. Thayer, *Secretary*
Lucille C. North, *Treasurer*

Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is the report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures for the Town Report of 1974.

Tested and sealed:

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| Scales under 10 lbs. | 18 |
| Scales under 100 lbs. | 15 |
| Scales over 100 lbs. | 5 |
| Scales over 10,000 lbs. | 1 |
| Gasoline pumps | 67 |
| Weights | 52 |
| Vehicle tanks | 2 |
| Yard sticks | 7 |
| Package reweighing | 139 |

I returned in fees to the Town \$247.90

Beginning January, 1975 the unit pricing in our local stores will be under this department. Complaints and violations should be brought to my attention.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren A. Turner, *Sealer of Weights and Measures*

Forestry and Park Departments

I hereby submit my annual report for the year 1974 as Tree Warden.

The most serious shade tree problem for 1974 was a hard-wood die-back, mostly of Maples but in many instances, in other species. These die-backs may often be traced to a variety of reasons, but drought, excessive use of road salt, air pollution and increased use of asphalt seem to be the important contributing factors. A large amount of die-back cases have resulted in complete removal of the trees.

As in previous years, our Dutch Elm disease control program proceeded with the recommended spraying, sanitation and removal program. All street and park Elms were sprayed twice with a low toxicity insecticide. Also, all streetside trees were sprayed twice with the department mist blower. During the Fall and Winter months, 38 diseased Elms were removed as were 20 Maples, 12 Ash, 16 Wild Cherry, 2 White Pine, 7 Oak and 4 Hickory. All wood from these trees was cut up and given away as firewood to town residents.

Thirty-six stumps were chipped out below ground level by a stump cutter machine hired for this purpose so as to eliminate any hazards.

I would remind readers of this report that there are two services available by our department with no charge to residents. One is any outdoor event such as cook-outs, lawn parties, weddings and such will be sprayed for mosquito control. A weeks notice or more, to the Tree Warden, is required. Also, if townspeople feel they have Poison Ivy on their property and wish it eradicated, notify the department of its location and we will spray it.

During the Spring and Fall planting season, 104 trees were planted, staked and mulched along the roadsides of the town. The convenience of our own town shade tree nursery has allowed us to choose the variety and size of a tree agreeable to the planting site.

With a needle-feeder attachment to our hydraulic sprayer, all previously planted young shade trees were fertilized with a liquid fertilizer. This would also greatly benefit our larger and older trees but our ever increasing work load forces us to tackle the most important jobs first and consequently not enough time remains for all the work we would like to see accomplished.

Six town-owned cemeteries, thirteen town greens, the Memorial Ball Field and War Memorial Park were all fertilized twice, raked and kept mowed and trimmed regularly during the growing season. The neat appearance of these areas are truly an asset to our town.

The department's rolling stock of three trucks, plus two sprayers, six power saws and six power mowers are all in good mechanical shape due to a regular maintenance program by the department personnel at our garage facility. Good maintenance has proved itself by fewer breakdowns and longer engine life.

Cabling and bracing were installed whenever needed to reinforce weak or defective crotches in trees. All tree wounds caused by automobile accidents and all pruning cuts were treated with an asphaltum wound dressing to keep out rot-producing fungi.

Along with the control methods of the Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project, the town, under supervision of the Tree Warden, applied its own program for control of this pest. Three aerial applications by helicopter on one thousand acres each spray, plus ground control in residential areas, were applied. The Board of Health plans to continue this spraying again in 1975.

In closing, I would like to state that good public relations becomes one of our largest jobs. Every resident, at one time or another, will eventually become our client for service of our varied list of activities. We are always willing to assist all citizens or any department within the town.

I hereby wish to express my appreciation to my workmen for their pride in their work. The splendid support of the townspeople in my efforts and the cooperation of the many departments and officers of the town government. The town with fine shade trees, is the Town Beautiful!

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Tree Warden

Trustees of Public Library

The Trustees of the Public Library submit their annual report.

The trustees through selective purchasing and staying within their budget have increased our book collection, chosen new magazines, increased reference material, and added current and classical records.

We attempt to anticipate the needs and interests of all groups in the community -- children, students, hobbyist, elderly, shut-ins, homemakers, professionals, and business men.

The library has presented throughout the year many programs including films, travel slides, story hours, exhibits, gardening lectures and holiday specialties.

In the past year Insurance was purchased to cover the contents of the building as well as the building itself.

Overdue fines were increased from 5¢ a week to 2¢ a day with one day grace period.

The staff which includes Mrs. David Raleigh, Miss Kathleen Fenstermaker, and Mrs. Paul Alexander continues to be an integral part of our library. Their friendliness and co-operation add much to the functioning of our library.

Our staff has been assisted this year by two pages provided by the Neighborhood Youth Core.

In August our librarian Wilbur Parrott resigned to accept a position in our public schools. We feel fortunate to have had Mr. Parrott and we are happy that the community will still benefit from his many skills.

After interviewing many candidates, Miss Jane Padham was chosen as our head librarian. She has an M.L.S. degree and has had extensive experience with children and adults. We welcome her.

Space -- the lack of it -- is becoming a problem the trustees will have to deal with in the very near future.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessie M. Anderson
Secretary

Board Members:

Mrs. Donald Fisher, *Chairman*

Mrs. Robert Grippen

Miss Edith Wolfsberg

Mr. Joseph Utko

Mr. Richard Worcester

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of the West Bridgewater Public Library:

STATISTICS:

| | | |
|-------------------|--------|--------------------------|
| Circulation | 42,288 | |
| New Registrations | 449 | |
| Collection | 37,705 | Books |
| | 525 | Records |
| | 94 | Periodical Subscriptions |

Library use continues its rapid growth in West Bridgewater. Our circulation has climbed 6,000 over last year and new registrations are recorded at a healthy rate. We have added 2,145 books to the collection, as well as 292 records. Over 50% of the records are circulated to High School students, a group which is especially difficult to attract to the Library. The Library is now open for regular service 49 hours each week.

We have added several new pieces of equipment this year — a bubbler, a second record browsing bin, a new desk for one of the assistants and a file cabinet to house our new pamphlet collection. We are also awaiting the arrival of a new 30-tray card catalog which will greatly ease the burden of the existing catalog.

We continue to offer special programs. Mrs. Dorothy Alexander makes bi-monthly book deliveries to the D'Arpino Housing for the elderly. We will deliver reading and listening materials to anyone who is homebound. There is a pre-school Story Hour each Thursday morning and a summer reading program for elementary school children. We feature special guest speakers each month and unusual exhibits in our display case. We also offer telephone reference service.

We are an active member of the Eastern Massachusetts Regional Library System Interlibrary Loan Program. This membership enables us to procure virtually any book requested by a patron. It also enables us to supply films to local organizations.

The CETA Youth Program has supplied us with two young women who work ten hours each in the Library. Their duties are the same as our Library Pages. They shelve returns, charge out books, and process materials for circulation.

I entered the position of Head Librarian this past September and enjoy both the work and West Bridgewater very much. I want to thank the Trustees, the Staff, and my predecessor, Mr. Parrott for their assistance during my orientation period.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Padham, *Librarian*

Street Lighting Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

After evaluating all requests for Street Lighting in the Town of West Bridgewater, your committee recommends the following:

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| Purchase Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light with a 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 3. |
| Oliver Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light with a 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 2. |
| Woodland Road | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light with a 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 3. |
| Pinecrest Road | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2 - 4 - 7 - 10 & 12. |
| Brooks Place | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 3 - 7 - 10 - 12 - 15 - 18 - 21 - 24 & 25. |
| Merritt Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 1 & 3. |
| Union Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 2 - 5 - 8 & 11. |
| East Street | Install a 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on a Pole to be set on the Island at the intersection of East Street and Union Street. |
| Manley Street | Remove 1000 Lumen Incandescent Lights on Poles 5 - 8 - 12 - 17 - 21 & 25. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 9 - 12 - 15 - 18 - 21 & 24. |
| West Center Street | Replace 1000 Lumen Incandescent Light with 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 105. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles 118 & 123. |
| Pleasant Street | Install a 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 55. |
| Crescent Street | Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Old Crescent Street at the intersection of Stoney Road. (Pole No. 5). |
| Matfield Street | Replace 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light with a 7700 Lumen Mercury Vapor Light on Pole 38. (At the intersection of Esther Drive — entrance to the Housing for the Elderly). |

With the removal of 30 1000-Lumen Incandescent Lights at \$17.00 per year and the installation of 35 4000-Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights at \$30.80 per year plus increasing 1 light from 4000-Lumen to 7700-Lumen Mercury Vapor at the cost of \$12.40 per year,

the total recommendations amount to \$580.40.

Although the Committee this year received many requests for new or increased lighting, we feel that with the increased cost of electricity, we would hold down on improvements as much as possible. All further improvements and modernization of the Street Lighting in West Bridgewater will have to be postponed until another year.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Sillars, *Chairman*

Donald H. Seablom

John F. Daly

Raymond L. Silva

Angelo E. Mattie

Report of the Howard School Building Committee

The Howard School Building Committee, as directed by the voters of West Bridgewater have been involved in the renovation and construction of the classroom building and associated facilities for use by the 6th and 7th grade.

At this time the work on the facility is nearly complete. The general contractor, Scaldini Corp. of Medford, has completed all his work, as has most of the sub-contractors. All that remains to be done is an occasional adjustment or oversight to be attended to. Due to an unfortunate plumbing strike just prior to September, we were unable to open on schedule. However, the entire building is now operating and has proven to be an excellent facility. Nearly all the Howard equipment that was loaned to various town departments has been returned and is in use in the building.

The drainage work on Drury field has progressed as far as the funds would allow it to go. The pipe network under the field has been repaired and new catch basins installed at the north and south ends of the building. In addition, a new drainage ditch has been dug along the east side of the field and lined with stone for easy maintenance. Still to be completed are the grading of an area for a regulation field hockey field and the erection of a baseball backstop. The location of a baseball diamond presents a problem due to the proximity of many windows.

Recommendations for the future of the property would include an annual sum of money appropriated to continue to grade and repair the entire property. This can be done a little at a time to reduce the burden on the taxpayer. The Committee has developed a Master Plan to aid in this long range repair.

The Howard School Building Committee will be submitting an article at Town Meeting asking to be dismissed as of June 30. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the various Town departments and officials for their cooperation in making this a most gratifying experience.

Warren E. Turner

Stanley O. Carlson

Sherwood W. Jackson

John F. Pettinelli

George Richardson

Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project

In reporting the Project's activities for 1974, we have been able to continue our primary objectives in each town or city. Namely, the reduction of the mosquito population at source of breeding. This was accomplished by water management projects and periodic treatment of known breeding areas.

Light snows coupled with normal rain fall produced a moderate influx of mosquitoes in the earlier part of the season. Dry weather became more prevalent in July, and with a complete and comprehensive program carried out by the Project using thermal and aerosol foggers, mist blowers and periodic treatment of breeding areas, the mosquito population decreased considerably.

Although the possible vector counts of mosquitoes was very low, two cases of Eastern Equine Encephalitis were reported in Plymouth County. These cases were confirmed by the State Department of Communicable Diseases; one of which was a human case, the other a horse. Mist blowers and ultra-low volume aerosol foggers were used by the Project in immediate response to the troubled areas. The State Department of Public Health with information supplied by the Lakeville Encephalitis Field Station and the co-operation of Plymouth County Mosquito Control, undertook an aerial spray program in mid-September. This included parts of Plymouth, Bristol and Norfolk Counties and covered 82,505 acres. The cycle was broken and no further cases were reported.

The following is a summary of the total work accomplished in Project towns in the past year in Plymouth County. Aerial spray 8,260 acres, ground spray 34,730 acres, hand spray 915 acres, catch basins treated 11,700, hand clearing of streams 62,975 feet, inland and salt marsh maintenance of streams and ditches with power equipment 26,760 feet.

The fine cooperation of your town officers and department heads has been most gratifying.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur L. Westgate
Superintendent

Highway Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my report for the Highway Department for the year 1974.

RESURFACING TYPE I-1

During the first six months of this year, the Highway Department has prepared and resurfaced the following named streets, and the distance of each:

Brooks Place, for a distance of three thousand, sixty five (3,065) feet

Church Street, for a distance of one hundred ninety five (195) feet

The intersection of Howard Street and West Center Street (Route 106) for a distance of six hundred eight (608) feet

Milebrook Road for a distance of six hundred thirty three (633) feet

East Street for a distance of three thousand, seven hundred thirty (3,730) feet

Commonwealth Avenue for a distance of nine hundred eighteen (918) feet

Arch Street for a distance of two hundred ten (210) feet

NEW CONSTRUCTION

New construction consisted of the layout of new sidewalk on Plain Street by the Highway Superintendent. The department then excavated and graveled and black-topped the sidewalk, then graded, loamed and seeded the entire job site. When this was completed, we black-topped all driveway aprons and approaches. We also installed a 20 inch cape cod berm along the work area for a distance of one thousand (1,000) feet. The entire sidewalk job was for a distance of one thousand five hundred (1,500) feet, and took the department eleven working days from start to completion

ARCH STREET BRIDGE

Our next construction project was the Arch Street Bridge, which consisted of excavating the roadway, removing the old stone walls on both sides to the tops of the arches. When this was completed, we placed two layers of steel reinforcing rods in place and tied same. We also put in forms and poured a 12 inch concrete slab over the entire bridge area. When this was cured, we installed two catch basins and forty feet of 12 inch drainage pipe. We proceeded to gravel the entire area to the finish gravel grade. After the gravel was compacted, we black-topped the roadway with a 2 inch layer of asphalt binder and a 2 inch layer of asphalt top material. Then we installed chain link fence on both sides. This project was layed out by C. A. Pickering Associates. It took the department 28 working days from start to completion. The remainder of the bridge work will be done by a contractor next spring which will consist of the natural stonefacing of the existing concrete walls.

MAINTENANCE

Other work accomplished by this department consisted of cleaning intersections and streets of sand, mowing the grass on roadsides, picking up trash on roadsides, cleaning catch basins, culverts and waterways, and cleaning streams throughout the town. We also cleaned Murphy's pond for the town Conservation Committee. We repaired and replaced street and traffic signs where needed throughout the town. As pot holes appeared, they were patched by the department, throughout the town.

SANITARY LANDFILL

The sanitary landfill has been cleaned, and we now have a building for the caretaker with toilet facilities, electricity and a telephone to be used by the caretaker for emergencies and violations at the landfill site only. We now have sizeable decrease of non-residents using the land-fill which is a great savings to the taxpayers of the Town of West Bridgewater, and will prolong the use of the landfill area for the taxpayers of our town.

SNOW

The department has continued to serve the people of the town by keeping the roads as safe as possible by sanding and plowing during the winter months.

I would like to take this time to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Police Department, the Water Department and the Tree Department for the cooperation and support received from them for this department. I would also like to commend the men of the Highway Department for the excellent job they have so willingly done.

Respectfully submitted,

Irving G. Sylvester
Highway Superintendent

Police Department

I herewith submit the Annual Report of the West Bridgewater police Department for the year 1974.

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| Complaints | 4,440 |
| Investigations | 6,466 |
| B. & E. | 68 |
| Attempted B. & E. | 4 |
| Larceny (Including Larceny by Check) | 238 |

ARRESTS:

| | Male | Female | Juvenile |
|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Physical | 153 | 8 | 16 |
| Summons | <u>594</u> | <u>91</u> | <u>17</u> |
| Total 879 | 747 | 99 | 33 |

The following is a list of the charges for which the above Arrests were made:

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| Armed Robbery | 6 |
| Accessory after Fact Armed Robbery | 1 |
| Assault & Battery | 7 |
| Assault & Battery on a Police Officer | 4 |
| Assault & Battery with a Dangerous Weapon | 6 |
| Attempt to Procure a Controlled Substance | 1 |
| Attempted B. & E. | 4 |
| B. & E. in the Day Time | 5 |
| B. & E. in the Night Time | 8 |
| B. & E. from Motor Vehicle | 1 |
| Disturbance | 3 |
| Disorderly Persons | 8 |
| Distributing a Controlled Substance | 4 |
| Falsely Making a Prescription | 1 |
| Forgery | 1 |

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| Illegal Possession of Hypo-Needle | 5 |
| Illegal Possession of a Syringe | 4 |
| Illegal Possession of a Shot Gun | 3 |
| Illegal Possession of a Firearm | 5 |
| Illegal Disposal of Rubbish | 1 |
| Larceny by Check | 13 |
| Larceny Less than \$100 | 16 |
| Larceny More than \$100 | 8 |
| Malicious Breaking of Glass | 2 |
| Murder | 2 |
| Malicious Damage to Motor Vehicle | 1 |
| Malicious Damage to Building | 4 |
| Malicious Injury to Private Property | 2 |
| Operating a Business without a License | 1 |
| Possession of Stolen Property | 3 |
| Possession of Controlled Substance | 9 |
| Possession of Dangerous Weapon | 1 |
| Possession of Burglarious Tools | 2 |
| Threat to Murder | 1 |
| Trespassing | 7 |
| Rape of Female Child Under 16 | 1 |
| Receiving Stolen Property | 3 |
| Uttering | 2 |
| Un-Natural Acts | 2 |
| Uttering False Prescription | 1 |
| Violation of Town By-Law | 2 |
| Operating Under Influence of Liquor | 41 |
| Operating to Endanger | 41 |
| Speeding | 439 |
| Using Motor Vehicle without Authority | 8 |
| State Police Arrests | 24 |
| All Other Motor Vehicle Violations | 340 |

MISCELLANEOUS

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|--------------------------------|------|
| Complaints Received | 4440 |
| Investigations | 6466 |
| Accidents | 307 |
| Accidents Killed | 2 |
| Accidents Injured | 104 |
| Accidents Property Damage Only | 202 |
| Accidents Hit & Run | 29 |
| Arrests | 161 |
| Arrests With Warrant | 45 |
| Arrests Without Warrant | 116 |
| Summons | 390 |
| Summons for this Department | 291 |
| Summons for other Departments | 99 |
| Court Hours | 1908 |
| Court Hours — District | 1804 |
| Court Hours — Superior | 94 |
| Court Hours — Grand Jury | 10 |

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| Buildings Found Open | 153 |
| Street Lights Out | 80 |
| Persons to Hospital | 324 |
| Accidents | 77 |
| Non-Accident | 247 |
| Taken to Doctor | 1 |
| Dog Complaints to the Police Department | 240 |
| Killed or Injured | 90 |
| Bites | 22 |
| Missing | 65 |
| Strays | 63 |
| Assist to Other Departments | 452 |
| " Town | 103 |
| " Other Towns (Accidents) | 60 |
| " Other Towns (Investigations) | 289 |
| Escorts (Shuttles) | 91 |
| Value of Money and Goods Stolen | \$114,266.56 |
| Fires Reported | 56 |
| Fires Covered | 103 |
| Assisted Disabled Motorists | 154 |
| Road Hazards Reported | 94 |
| Messages Delivered | 120 |
| " " (Emergency) | 20 |
| " " (Routine) | 100 |
| Alarms Answered | 601 |
| Emergencies Answered | 339 |
| Break & Enter | 68 |
| Commercial | 38 |
| Residence | 27 |
| Motor Vehicles | 3 |
| Attempt to Break & Enter | 4 |
| Larceny | 225 |
| Less than \$100 | 112 |
| More than \$100 | 113 |
| Telephone Calls Received | 23,733 |
| House Checks | 506 |
| Incapacitated Persons Held | 109 |
| Persons to State Hospitals | 5 |
| Stolen Vehicles Reported | 22 |
| Vehicles Recovered | 61 |
| Missing Persons | 27 |
| Murders | 1 |
| Unexpected Deaths Investigated | 14 |
| Armed Robberies | 4 |
| Bomb Scares Investigated | 6 |
| Assault & Batteries | 12 |
| Stolen Bicycles | 57 |
| Value of Property Recovered | \$118,452.10 |
| Malicious Damage | 166 |
| Assault & Battery with Dangerous Weapon | 3 |

TRAFFIC REPORT

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|------------------------------|-----|
| Accidents | 307 |
| Fatals | 2 |
| Property Damage Only | 202 |
| Involving Injuries | 123 |
| Total Number of Injured | 104 |
| Hit & Run Accidents Reported | 29 |
| Auto Violations to Court | 679 |
| Warnings to Registry | 644 |
| Motor Vehicle Arrests | 70 |

CAR DEALER LICENSES

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|-----------|-----|
| CLASS I | 187 |
| CLASS II | 133 |
| CLASS III | 36 |

Your Police Department has completed another busy year. In July of 1974 we had our first murder in the Town. This matter of course is still under investigation, however we do have a suspect in custody.

As in all area Police Departments our work is still increasing as there is no substantial decrease in the crime rate.

The Police Survey Committee held several meetings during the past year. I attended several of these meetings and aided the committee in some of the details involved in the survey. This Committee has recommended to the Board of Selectmen that an Article be inserted in the Town Warrant appointing a Committee to make plans for the construction of a new Police Station.

At my request funds were appropriated last year for the purchase of a TWX or Teletype machine. It is my understanding that we must await our turn on the availability of this item and it is hoped that the machine will be available within the next few months.

The first phase of the Plymouth County Police Network has been completed and is to go out to bids on February 1, 1975. This phase is completely funded by Federal Funds and will supply the community with a Receiving Station and Transmitter. It is hoped that before the end of the fiscal year Phase Two will be ready for bids. This phase will be accomplished with Federal funds and will be for mobile and portable radios, the cost to the community not to exceed 5% of each unit. As a member of the Plymouth County Police Network Committee I feel that it is a very worthwhile project for the County and our community.

During 1974 officers Jimmy C. Ames and Paul L. Lamoureux attended an emergency Medical Training Course at the Cardinal Cushing Hospital for ten (10) weeks. This course included a full day in the Emergency Room of the hospital, a full day observing surgery and a full day of car rescue training. It is my intention to send additional Officers during the coming year for this same training.

Along with Fire Chief Edwin T. Gibson and Selectman Michael Manugian I have been serving on the Tri-Town Ambulance Committee. This Committee has been working diligently on the prospect of a Tri-Town Ambulance Service that would serve the three Bridgewater.

During the coming year I plan to send officers to the newly formed South Eastern Massachusetts Police Training Academy in Fall River, which is Federally funded and sponsored by the South Eastern Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association. This academy not only trains new officers but offers refresher courses for ranking Police Officers. My first choice for training a new Officer is the State Police Academy at Framingham as I feel this is the best available. However at this time there are some complications concerning the arrangements for living quarters for Officers attending the academy.

Once again I would like to request that any citizen observing a crime or any incident of a suspicious nature contact the Police immediately. We are as near as your telephone. I would also like to advise the citizens that the West Bridgewater Police Association has purchased six (6) Identi-Kits for their use to mark personal properties with a number, Social Security is usually used. This marking of properties is a deterrent against theft. These Kits are available at the station and may be used for three days and then returned to the station. I would urge that all interested citizens take advantage of this opportunity to use the Identi-Kits.

In conclusion I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Police Survey Committee and all other Departments for their continued support and cooperation. To the Officers and men in the Department a thank you for a job well done and for their continued cooperation and support that makes it possible for me to fulfill the duties of my office.

Respectfully submitted

Ervin G. Lothrop
Chief of Police

West Bridgewater Police Station Study Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

In accordance with the provisions set forth in Article 13 of the 1974 town meeting, a committee was established for the purpose of evaluating the existing West Bridgewater police station facility.

The committee held its organizational meeting April 2, 1974 and elected Joseph McMorro as its chairman. Subsequent to this date many meetings were held, some of which included visits to newly constructed police stations in nearby municipalities. These visits put into better perspective the committee's evaluation project.

The following facts and observations are submitted for your consideration:

Present West Bridgewater police station built in 1955.

The population of the town in 1955 was 4,558 as compared to 7,152 in 1974 — an increase of 64%.

There were 207 arrests in 1955 as compared to 509 in 1973 — an increase of 246%.

There were 3 permanent officers, including the chief in 1955. Today there are 16 — an increase of 522%.

There was 1 cruiser in 1955 as compared to 4 in 1974 — an increase of 300%.

Additionally...

| | Complaints | Investigations | Auto Accidents |
|------|------------|----------------|----------------|
| 1955 | 427 | 503 | 74 |
| 1973 | 4,003 | 6,472 | 307 |

The committee found the present facility to be deficient in many areas, the most significant of which is the limited amount of space. In addition:

- No female cell quarters.
- No juvenile detention facility.
- No ladies rest room -- there is only 1 toilet for all department personnel.
- No Locker or Shower Rooms.
- Very limited room for storage of general records, ammunition and firearms as well as recovered stolen property.
- No booking, interrogation, fingerprinting or photographing room.
- Lack of building and personnel security due to present layout.
- No garage facilities.

It is the unanimous consensus of the committee that the existing police station is inadequate for the conduct of modern day police department operations and that plans should proceed to explore alternative solutions.

The committee will be happy to meet with the Selectmen at their convenience should any further discussion be required.

Respectfully Submitted

*West Bridgewater Police Station
Study Committee*

Charles M. Roussel

George V. Hollertz, Jr.

Richard C. Williams

Leonard P. Bucci

Joseph L. McMorro, *Chairman*

Town Forest Committee

We hereby submit our report for the year 1974.

Seasonal maintenance work was accomplished, such as brush cutting and thinning of undesirable trees. This is done by the Forestry Dept. during inclement weather. Part of the Town Forest where oaks and red maples abound were sprayed with brush killer to keep down sucker growth and weeds.

The Town Forest is a recreational area for townspeople as well as an outdoor classroom for school children and scouting units and has been used by these groups this year. It offers much in educational work in conservation, wildlife, timber management and agriculture. This committee is most anxious to help out in any organization along these lines.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Antone Sousa
Richard E. Morris
Town Forest Committee

Water Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, the Water Commissioners and Superintendent of the Water Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, respectfully submit our annual report for the year ending December 31, 1974.

During the year a total of 210,516,404 gallons of water were pumped. The greatest amount of any one day was 1,080,960 gallons on August 14. The largest month was August with 22,394,784 gallons of water pumped.

With 210,516,404 gallons of water pumped plus 858,104 gallons bought from Easton, this gave us a total of 211,374,508 gallons of water used. This makes a daily average of 579,108 gallons, a weekly average of 4,064,894 gallons, and a monthly average of 17,614,542 gallons. We recorded a rainfall of 41.3 inches at Cyr St. station and 57.5 inches at the Manley St. station.

A total of 27 new services were installed to make a total of 1860 services. There were 17 services renewed, 106 calls for meter removal and installations, 60 meters were repaired, 513 miscellaneous calls and 107 repair calls made.

We had 36 emergency leaks, 33 emergency main leaks, 6 service line leaks, 10 meter and tailpiece leaks, 4 frozen meters, 11 inside installations, 14 hydrants repaired, 9 hydrants hit by automobiles that had to be replaced. All hydrants were checked prior to cold weather and staked out for protection so they would not be hit by snow plows, and in case of fire, could be located in the snow by the Fire Department. Station maintenance was carried out every day, after every storm, and all power failures. We had 1 power failure, 54 control failures and equipment repairs during the year. There were 5

emergency calls for pumping out cellars, 10 swimming pools filled where possible, 913.5 hours of overtime were spent on emergency calls and maintenance. There were 39 analysis of our Town drinking water made during the year by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health for bacterial elements, all reports were most satisfactory, showing it to be of highly acceptable quality and free from bacterial elements.

As we come to the close of a very successful year of service, we wish to thank all our customers for expressing their faith in us, our own personnel, and all Town Departments and personnel who so diligently did their part in making it a success. We sincerely hope as we enter another year of service, we will be privileged to continue serving you to the best of our ability.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward G. Asack, *Chairman*

John W. Noyes, *Clerk*

Paul S. Lamoureux, *Assoc. Member*

William E. Nickerson, *Supt.*

Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report, as Chief of the Fire Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, for the year 1974.

PERSONNEL

The Personnel of the Department remains substantially the same as last year: Chief, Deputy Chief, Captain, five (5) Lieutenants, twenty-eight (28) Firefighters, seven (7) of which are full time.

Firefighter John Richardson was promoted to Lieutenant on July 1, 1974.

APPARATUS

All apparatus remains as listed the previous Annual Report with the exception of the "Chief's Car" which was received as a "Courtesy Car" from the Griffin Buick-Pontiac Company of Bridgewater. This vehicle is a 1975 Pontiac Station Wagon. Since this will be the last year that the "Courtesy Car" will be available to the Town I am requesting that the Town purchase a Chief's car this year.

STATISTICAL REPORT

In the presentation of this Statistical Report of the Fire Department, I would first indicate that the Department responded to a total of three hundred and forty-five (345) calls; of these 345 calls, two hundred (200) were classified as "stills". Still calls are usually handled by the "on duty" men.

FIRE CALLS

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------|----|
| Auto | 42 | Short Circuit | 13 |
| Industrial | 18 | Dump | 2 |
| Oil Burner | 5 | Heaters | 2 |
| Sprinkler | 15 | Washing Machine | 2 |
| Grass | 24 | House | 8 |
| Overheated Stove | 3 | Shed | 2 |
| Rubbish | 9 | Woods | 11 |
| Brush | 2 | Barn | 3 |
| Truck | 10 | Chimney | 1 |
| Garage | 1 | False | 20 |
| Bomb Scare | 4 | Aid to Police | 15 |
| Misc. | 62 | Aid to West Bridgewater | 35 |
| Aid to out of Town | 33 | Public Hall | 2 |
| Propane Tank | 1 | Church | 2 |
| Schools | 9 | Restaurants | 2 |
| Resuscitator Calls | 3 | Clothes Dryer | 2 |
| | | | |
| Permits Issued | 335 | | |
| Investigations | 18 | | |
| Oil Burner Inspections | 30 | | |
| Propane Tank Inspections | 6 | | |

In the performance of these duties the following information applies:

| | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Apparatus Mileage | 12,072 Miles |
| Pump Hours | 136½ Hours |
| Hose Laid, 2½" | 19,700 Feet |
| 1½" | 8,650 Feet |
| 1 1/8" | 9,965 Feet |
| Booster Hose | 1,050 Feet |
| Ladders Raised | 771 Feet |

INSPECTIONS

Inspections, as required by law, of Schools, Public Buildings and specified business establishments were regularly made. Fire Drills at all schools were staged.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING PROGRAM — 1974 Lieutenant Stuart M. Keith

During 1974 there were thirty-five (35) regular training sessions conducted on Monday evenings for both regular and call firefighters. Attendance averaged seventeen, (17) men. In addition to the regular training, members of the Department attended a specialized lecture in aircraft crash and fire incidents. This lecture was given by Deputy Chief Peter Catrone of Logan International Airport and was hosted by the East Bridge-water Fire Department. Members also attended a lecture in the care of heart attacks by Dr. Donald Reusch hosted by the Easton Fire Department.

Members of the Department were re-certified in Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation by Deputy Chief Frank Burke, an instructor certified by the Massachusetts Heart Association. Specialized instruction in driver training was conducted by Lieutenant Kenneth Galligan of the Brockton Fire Department. Joint training sessions hosted by the West Bridgewater Fire Department were held in the control of flammable liquid fires and in building familiarization. Members of the Bridgewater, East Bridgewater and Easton Fire Departments attended these sessions.

In addition to the Monday night training a program of in service training for permanent firefighters was instituted during the year. This program and the facilities of the Department have been accredited by the Veterans Administration.

Many members of the Department have received additional training in courses conducted by the Massachusetts Fire Academy and Massasoit Community College.

The amount and variety of instruction received by the regular and call members of the West Bridgewater Fire Department in 1974 surpasses any previous year.

FIRE PREVENTION REPORT

Capt. William E. Gibson, Jr.

Fire Prevention Bureau

In addition to the routine inspections required by State Law, there has been during this year, a considerable demand emanating from the Office of the Fire Marshal in the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety; from various Insurance organizations and agencies, and from complaints or requests for investigation or information from residents, which have been the responsibility of the Fire Prevention Bureau.

Directives from the State Fire Marshall's Office for investigation, inspection or re-inspection of all vehicles transporting Flammable fluids have been made and reports submitted to the Fire Marshall.

Insurance Rating organizations and other Insurance Agencies have requested surveys and Inspections, especially in regard to Town owned buildings and reports and recommendations made to correct or remove hazardous conditions that were observed.

Numerous requests from citizens for inspections and investigations were received and appropriate inspections and recommendations were made.

Fire Prevention Inspections are made of all business establishments and other properties to which the public has right of access. An analysis of the statistical report will show that of the fire calls answered by the Fire Department, the number of Fire Calls involving these specified locations were at a minimum and in subsequent investigation of these fires there were no violations of Fire Prevention Regulations which might have contributed to the fire incident.

Fire Prevention and Fire Safety Programs were presented at the Elementary Schools as requested and to other organizations that made such requests. A number of groups made visits to the Station for tours and lectures.

Fires and Fire Losses are preventable and the on going activity of the Bureau is aimed at reducing these losses.

REQUESTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

I have submitted in my budget for 1975-1976 requests for:

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|---|---------------|
| 1. Five (5) Tone Radios @ \$198. each | \$1000.00 |
| 2. One (1) Portable Radio two (2) Frequencies | 725.00 |
| 3. One (1) Water Vack Salvage Master | 400.00 |
| 4. Two (2) Scot Air Tanks @ \$108. each | 216.00 |
| 5. Two (2) Four (4) Drawer File Cabinets @ \$115.00 each | <u>230.00</u> |
| | \$2571.00 |

In concluding this report may I express my thanks and appreciation to my officers and men, to all associates in town Government and the townspeople generally for their cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Edwin T. Gibson, *Chief*
West Bridgewater Fire Dept.

Dog Officer

To: The Honorable Board of Selectman
and Citizens of West Bridgewater

I respectfully submit the report of the Dog Officer for the Period of December 1973 through December 1974.

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----|
| Dogs reported missing | 100 |
| Cases requiring attention | 430 |
| Animals or fowl killed | 37 |
| Strays picked up given new homes | 130 |
| Injured or killed on highways | 33 |
| Reported dog bites | 20 |

At this time I would like to express my appreciation to the citizens of West Bridgewater for their cooperation and assistance, and especially the cooperation of the Police Department.

To assist in locating and returning lost dogs it would be appreciated if all dog owners would insure that dog license be securely attached at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Etsell
Dog Officer

Annual Report Of The Inspector of Plumbing for the Year 1974

I hereby respectfully submit my annual report as Inspector of Plumbing for the year 1974.

There were 66 plumbing applications filed for plumbing permits for the year.

There were 95 plumbing inspections made in the following types of buildings.

| | |
|----------------------------------|----|
| New dwellings | 16 |
| Commercial buildings | 11 |
| Remodeling work in old dwellings | 39 |

There were 34 water heater installations.

The Massachusetts State Plumbing Code is used as a basis for all plumbing installations.

At this time I would like to thank the Board of Health and the people of the town for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

Wallace Engstrom
Inspector of Plumbing

Inspector of Animals

I respectfully submit my annual report of the Inspector of Animals:

| | |
|--|-----|
| Number of dairy cows over two years | 369 |
| Number of dairy heifers one to two years | 68 |
| Number of dairy heifer calves under one year | 39 |
| Number of dairy Bulls | 7 |
| Number of dairy herds | 12 |
| Number of beef cattle | 24 |
| Number of beef herds | 1 |
| Number of donkeys | 1 |
| Number of horses | 88 |
| Number of ponies | 22 |
| Number of goats | 9 |
| Number of sheep | 24 |
| Number of swine | 317 |
| Number of swine herds | 6 |
| Number of dog bites | 32 |

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni
Inspector of Animals

The Inspector of Wires

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of West Bridgewater, Mass.

I hereby submit my annual report for the year of 1974.

| | |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Edison Permits | 101 |
| Services & Changes | 65 |
| Rough Wires | 49 |
| Construction Services | 8 |
| Dryers | 23 |
| Water Heaters | 26 |
| Electric Ranges | 40 |
| Oil Burners | 25 |
| Add Outlets | 29 |
| Not Accepted | 4 |
| Reinspections | 8 |
| Fire Calls | 3 |
| Signs | 1 |
| Trailers | 5 |
| Pools | 13 |
| Miscellaneous | 13 |
| Finals | 62 |

All inspections were made on the latest edition of the Massachusetts State Electrical, with no special rules applied.

Again I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, Town Clerks office, and the Townspeople for the cooperation they afforded this office.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert M. Greiner
Inspector of Wires

Inspector of Gas

To the Board of Selectmen:

Due to the death of the Gas Inspector, Lawrence Morrison, the following information was taken from the records of the Town Clerk.

During 1974, 39 Gas permits were issued and the necessary inspections made.

Respectfully submitted,

Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

Planning Board

The Planning Board makes its annual report to the annual Town Meeting.

At election time member Charles Johnson was elected to the board of Selectmen and resigned from the Planning Board. At that time Donald Seablom was appointed to fill his vacancy.

Twenty-three regular meetings were held during the year. Regular meetings are scheduled for the first and third Wednesdays excepting the first Wednesday in July. The boards biggest under-taking for the year was to get the Diamond Hill Estates Sub-division roads completed. The present contractor went out of the construction business leaving the bond money for the town to complete the roads and sidewalks. To date much of this is now being completed.

As directed by the last town meeting the board, during the year, reviewed the subject of multiple dwellings. After meeting with the By-Law Study Committee it was decided that at the present time we do not feel that By-Law 26, Zoning section 4, Paragraph B of the Town of West Bridgewater regarding multiple dwellings need be amended. It is the opinion of this board that the present town by-laws adequately protect the town at this time.

At the present time we have three subdivisions under construction and one approved where no building has taken place yet.

Your present board members are also active on other committees or boards relating to their work in planning:

William E. Turner, Jr.: Board of Appeals
Mert Ouderkirk: Old Colony Planning Council
Ronald Snell: Old Colony Planning Council
Philip Tuck: Conservation Commission
Donald Seablom: Street Lighting Committee

In 1974 the town has shown good development in the industrial areas and in residential areas. There are good indications that this balanced growth will continue in the near future.

William E. Turner, Jr., *Clerk*
Merton Ouderkirk, *Chairman*
Philip Tuck, *Vice Chairman*
Ronald Snell, *Member*
Donald Seablom, *Member*

Board of Assessors

| | |
|---|-----------------------|
| Total Appropriations for 12 Month Fiscal Year | |
| since 1973 - 1974 Tax Rate was Fixed | \$4,345,740.71 |
| Other Amounts to be Raised | 1,060.27 |
| School Lunch Program | 13,603.47 |
| Free Public Library | 2,682.00 |
| Legal Overdraft | 4,200.19 |
| County Tax | 107,591.54 |
| County Hospital Assessment | 3,619.98 |
| County Hospital 1973 - 1974 Underestimate | 3,253.94 |
| State Recreation Areas | 24,159.31 |
| State Audit of Municipal Accounts | 9.13 |
| Mosquito Control Projects | 5,067.56 |
| Mosquito Control Projects — 1973 - 1974 | 468.00 |
| Health Insurance Programs | 3,348.35 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills | 938.70 |
| State Assessment System | 249.48 |
| Air Pollution Control District | 412.10 |
| Old Colony Planning Council | 1,430.40 |
| Special Education | 6,000.00 |
| Overlay Current Year | 85,731.13 |
| Gross Amount to be Raised | <u>\$4,609,566.26</u> |
| 1975 Fiscal Year Receipts as Certified by the | |
| Commissioner on Cherry Sheet | \$1,163,849.22 |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 222,700.00 |
| Licenses | 20,000.00 |
| Fines | 3,400.00 |
| General Government | 14,000.00 |
| School (Local Receipts of School Committee) | 11,900.00 |
| Public Services Enterprise (Such as Water Dept.) | 98,970.00 |
| Interest on Deposit | 19,000.00 |
| Farm Animal, Machinery and Equipment Excise | 1,000.00 |
| Prior Year Overestimates (Column 3 of Cherry Sheet) | 15,773.14 |
| Amount Voted from Available Funds | <u>536,682.40</u> |
| Total Estimated Receipts | <u>\$2,107,274.76</u> |
| NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY | \$2,502,291.50 |
| Value of Assessed Real Estate | |
| Land | \$11,645,885.00 |
| Buildings | 36,025,595.00 |
| Value of Personal Estate | |
| Stock in Trade | 79,450.00 |
| Machinery | 34,150.00 |
| All Other Tangible Personal Property | <u>2,260,750.00</u> |
| TOTAL VALUE OF ALL ASSESSED PROPERTY | \$50,045,830.00 |
| Valuation | 50,045,830.00 |
| School 66.41% or \$33.20 | |
| General 33.59% or 16.80 | |
| Tax Rate Per Thousand | \$50.00 |

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| School Expenses | |
| Salaries and General Expenses | \$2,137,985.00 |
| Southeastern Regional | 67,869.00 |
| State Aid Vocational | 4,640.00 |
| Athletic Fund Article 13 | 18,000.00 |
| Bonds and Interest | 263,735.00 |
| Overlay | 52,765.85 |
| Insurance Buildings, Etc. | 24,807.88 |
| Group Insurance | 26,204.58 |
| Retirement Fund (Plymouth County) | 32,848.60 |
| Interest on Short Term Borrowing | 6,573.17 |
| Drury Field | 20,307.80 |
| Unpaid Bills | 300.97 |
| Total Expenses | <u>\$2,656,037.85</u> |

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|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Receipts | |
| Transportation | \$ 84,923.94 |
| Construction | 110,617.77 |
| Vocational Education | 36,211.00 |
| Regional School Aid | 69,216.16 |
| Chapter 70-14 | 556,474.88 |
| Special Education Program | 134,903.00 |
| Total Receipts | <u>\$ 992,346.75</u> |
| NET SCHOOL TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION | <u>\$1,663,691.10</u> |

EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Real Estate

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Old Bridgewater Historical Society | \$ 65,000.00 |
| Church Societies | 632,300.00 |
| Berwick Boys' Foundation | 60,000.00 |
| Town Hall Offices and Forestry Garage | 170,000.00 |
| Highway Garage & Lot | 70,000.00 |
| Fire and Police Station | 155,000.00 |
| Water Department | 562,400.00 |
| Library | 133,000.00 |
| Park Department | 19,000.00 |
| Cemeteries, Town Owned | 2,000.00 |
| Cemeteries, Privately Owned | 45,050.00 |
| Dump | 3,100.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 47,195.00 |
| All Other Town Owned Land | 28,330.00 |
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts | 47,510.00 |
| School Department | 5,973,500.00 |
| West Bridgewater Housing Authority | 445,000.00 |
| Total | <u>\$8,458,185.00</u> |

Personal Property

| | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Old Bridgewater Historical Society | \$ 15,000.00 |
| Town of West Bridgewater | |
| Fire Department | 75,000.00 |
| Forestry and Moth Department | 10,000.00 |
| Highway Department | 15,000.00 |
| Library | 20,000.00 |

EXEMPTED PROPERTY
Personal Property cont.

| | |
|---|----------------------|
| Police Department | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 1,000.00 |
| School Department Elementary | 25,000.00 |
| School Department – Jr. and Sr. High School | 25,000.00 |
| Town Hall and Offices | 10,000.00 |
| Water Department | <u>600,000.00</u> |
| Total | \$ 800,000.00 |

The Board of Assessors have continued their efforts to maintain fair and equitable assessments on all taxable property in the town.

In the past year the following abatements were made:

For the 6 month period ending June 30, 1974:

| | Number | Total Amount Abated |
|-------------------------|------------|---------------------|
| Clause 17 (Widow) | 20 | \$ 1,706.25 |
| 18 (Financial Hardship) | 9 | 1,664.57 |
| 22 (Veterans) | 76 | 6,650.00 |
| 22A (Veterans) | 2 | 350.00 |
| 41 (Elderly) | 94 | 16,099.00 |
| 37 (Blind) | 4 | 875.00 |
| Overvaluation | 38 | 4,270.40 |
| Personal Property | <u>1</u> | <u>691.12</u> |
| Total | 244 | \$ 32,306.34 |

For the 12 month fiscal year ending June 30, 1975:

| | | |
|-------------------|------------|---------------------|
| Clause 17 | 20 | \$ 3,412.50 |
| 18 | 9 | 3,426.20 |
| 22 | 76 | 13,300.00 |
| 22A | 2 | 700.00 |
| 41 | 95 | 32,750.00 |
| 37 | 4 | 1,750.00 |
| Overvaluation | 41 | 9,146.00 |
| Personal Property | <u>1</u> | <u>1,425.00</u> |
| Total | 248 | \$ 65,909.70 |

| Clause 61A (Farm Act) | Total Assessed Value under Chapter 61A | Total Actual Assessed Valuation | Total Loss in Assessed Valuation |
|-----------------------|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 700.13 Acres | \$203,934.00 | \$421,210.00 | \$217,276.00 |

The Board of Assessors wish to publicly thank Mr. Ernest Peterson, Building Inspector, for the fine work he did in the alterations in their office. He did a professional job at no labor cost to the town.

We would also like to take this opportunity to bring to the attention of the taxpayers that due to the present economic situation, there is considerably less new construction,

therefore very little increase in valuation compared to other years. Your patronage and efforts at the annual town meeting would be appreciated to help us strive for a balanced budget.

Respectfully submitted,

Sherwood W. Jackson, *Chairman*

Herbert A. Holmes, *Clerk*

Irving W. Puffer

Board of Appeals

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Appeals for the year 1974.

The Board held meetings on eight different dates during the year, at which sixteen appeals were heard. Eleven appeals were granted, four were denied and one was withdrawn before a decision was made.

Two appeals granted by the Board were voided by court decision.

Visits to sites of appeals were made at various times by Board members.

Two members resigned, their places were taken by the alternate members. New alternate members were then appointed.

The Board wishes to thank the Town Clerk, Building Inspector, the Planning Board and Conservation Commission, as well as the Town Counsel for their assistance received during the year.

The following comprise the Board of Appeals:

Julian E. Lucini, *Chairman*

H. Kingman Burrill; *Clerk*

John H. Hamilton, Jr.

William E. Turner, Jr.

John D. Pettinelli

Alternate Members:

Ronald S. Alger

Henry Podolsky

Collector of Taxes

I am submitting my report as Tax Collector.

It has been a pleasure to serve the people of West Bridgewater and I wish to express my appreciation for the cooperation received from the other Departments and the Citizens of West Bridgewater.

| | Outstanding 1/1/74 | Committed 1974 | Abated 1974 | Refunds 1974 | Collected 1974 | Tax Title | Balance 12/31/74 |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| 1970 Motor Vehicles | 1,074.18 | | 474.38 | | 103.68 | | 496.12 |
| 1971 Motor Vehicles | 4,222.44 | | 2,844.95 | | 148.23 | | 1,229.26 |
| 1972 Motor Vehicles | 12,292.46 | 798.16 | 6,546.90 | 570.00 | 2,915.97 | | 4,197.75 |
| 1972 Personal Property | 238.00 | | 95.20 | | | | 142.80 |
| 1973 Motor Vehicles | 43,229.67 | 51,589.15 | 11,330.81 | 1,351.37 | 64,059.28 | | 20,780.10 |
| 1973 Personal Property | 1,655.00 | | | | 1,030.00 | | 625.00 |
| 1973 Farm | 203.25 | | | | 134.75 | | 68.50 |
| 1973 Water Lien | 976.60 | | | | 908.50 | 68.10 | |
| 1973 Real Estate | 102,827.75 | | 25.00 | 76.40 | 91,696.89 | 11,128.26 | |
| 1974 Motor Vehicles | | 192,835.51 | 17,580.24 | 736.52 | 137,886.49 | | 38,105.30 |
| 1974 Personal Property | | 57,578.05 | 691.12 | | 56,234.60 | | 652.33 |
| 1974 Farm | | 556.44 | | | 556.44 | | |
| 1974 Real Estate | | 1,161,306.88 | 27,893.10 | 5,539.38 | 1,119,402.82 | 19,550.34 | |
| 1974 Water | 11,654.17 | 104,002.77 | 6,075.30 | | 86,584.56 | 11,028.13 | 11,968.95 |
| 1975 Real Estate | | 2,383,574.00 | 64,484.70 | 5,017.57 | 1,094,972.83 | | 1,229,134.04 |
| 1975 Personal Property | | 118,717.50 | 1,425.00 | | 58,401.25 | | 58,891.25 |
| 1975 Farm | | 1,112.88 | | | 617.70 | | 495.18 |
| 1975 Water Lien | | 11,028.13 | | 115.96 | 9,143.84 | | 2,000.25 |
| | | | | | \$2,724,797.83 | | \$1,368,786.83 |
| Trailer Park Excise | | | | | 6,111.00 | | |
| Interest Collected | | | | | 5,884.01 | | |
| Charges Collected | | | | | 1,579.86 | | |
| Total Collections | | | | | \$2,738,372.70 | | |

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph F. McCann
Collector

Building Inspector

I hereby submit my annual report of Building Inspection permits of West Bridgewater. Permits were issued and inspections for construction as requested. The Massachusetts State Building Code which does away with all local building codes as of January 1st, 1975. This is a uniform Building Code which eliminates much confusion to contractors, builders, etc., as most towns and cities had their own versions of a building code. All local inspectors will now take over the State Inspectors work and be responsible for schools, churches and places of assembly. All phases of construction decreased in numbers over the year of 1974.

| | No. Permits | Estimated Cost |
|--|-------------|----------------|
| Residential Homes | 15 | \$ 306,200.00 |
| Mobile Homes | 7 | 54,000.00 |
| Alterations | 32 | 83,715.00 |
| Garages | 9 | 21,100.00 |
| Misc. — Sheds — etc. | 9 | 11,050.00 |
| Swimming Pools | 35 | 73,490.00 |
| Business Buildings | 6 | 58,000.00 |
| Business Additions | 5 | 60,100.00 |
| Industrial Buildings | 2 | 170,000.00 |
| Industrial Additions | 9 | 23,000.00 |
| Garages — etc. — Demolished | 9 | |
| Homes — Demolished | 4 | |
| Renovations (Unitarian Church — Assoc. for Retarded Citizens) | 2 | |
| Demo. — Lincoln St. — Legion Hall | 1 | |
| | 139 | \$ 860,655.00 |
| Fees | | 4,111.58 |

Respectfully submitted,

Ernest R. Peterson,
Building Inspector

Industrial Development Commission

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Due to economic conditions the year 1974 has not been as outstanding in industrial and commercial expansion as was the year 1973.

However, 1974 did show significant progress in the completion of the Foxmoor Casuals Division building on Manley Street. Also completed in 1974 was the Heritage Mfg. Co. building on Manley Street and that of the A & P Alloys Co. on West Street.

Located at the corner of Manley and Walnut Streets is the new building constructed and now occupied by the United Steel Mould Co.

Started in the latter part of 1974 and due for completion in 1975 is the New West-bridge Veterinary Hospital located at the corner of Manley and West Center Streets.

Permits issued in 1974 for new construction and alterations in the industrial and commercial category approximated \$120,000.00.

Despite adverse economic conditions this Commission will continue, as it has in the past, to make every effort to attract business compatible with the best interests of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

Advisory Commission

Freeman W. Bowden
Robert W. Bowman
Henry C. Bradford
Carl R. Bystrom
Charles K. Higgins

Industrial Development Commission

Leon F. Beaulieu
Ronald F. Brodrick
George V. Hollertz, Jr.
Francis LeBaron, Jr.
Frank S. Miller

Board of Health

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen,
and Citizens of the Town

The Board of Health herewith submits its report for the year of 1974 for your information and approval.

This year has seen many changes within the Board of Health through the adoption of new rules and regulations relative to License & Permit Fees, Regulations for Subdivisions, more stringent but yet feasible Piggery Regulations, and in compliance with Article II of the State Sanitary Code several housing code violations were corrected.

Currently, the Board of Health is involved in a survey and investigation of importance to all residents of the Town, that being the proper disposal of sanitary waste which has been removed from our sub-surface or on-site disposal systems.

One of the reasons for the high cost of pumping our sewerage systems is the fact that the pumpers have to pay large fees at the municipal disposal areas, which incidentally are now being denied to the cesspool pumpers.

Therefore it becomes a responsibility of the Town to provide an approved site for the ultimate disposal of this material.

At this time the Board of Health would like to express its most sincere appreciation to all persons and agencies who have extended their assistance to us without any hesitation.

A special word of appreciation must be given to Anna Brown, Town Clerk, Mr. Leo Moroni, Animal Inspector, and Edwin T. Gibson, Chief, Fire Department for their extra efforts and assistance to this department and its Agent.

Respectfully submitted,

Patrick V. McDonough, *Chairman*
Edward F. Cruz, *Clerk*
James F. Purputa, *Member*

Veteran's Services

Veteran's Services for '74 — '75 has seen marked changes over previous years.

First the number of cases has decreased due to the new S.S.I. program effecting Social Security recipients taking many of these people off our rolls. However the effect in the total monies spent is very small because these recipients were not the ones receiving large amounts of financial assistance.

Secondly a great improvement in service to the residents of West Bridgewater is by far the greatest change. This has been brought about by the addition of a clerk in the Veteran's Service office.

This now provides daily office hours, greater efficiency in handling cases and a great savings of dollars to the town.

We are now able to follow cases closer to determine need, more service and assistance (not financial) and closer investigation work.

Lorraine Higgins is Clerk and the Office Hours are from 8:30 to 12:30 weekdays.

Assistance was provided to 43 families in 1974.

Respectfully submitted,

Armen Amerigian
Veterans Agent

Swimming Pool Investigative Committee

This committee was appointed to investigate the interest of our fellow citizens in a public swimming pool in West Bridgewater. Questionnaires were distributed with the cooperation of the library, the town hall and the school department, with the following results:

616 questionnaires were returned. From this number, 507 said they believed a swimming pool would be a good addition to the town. 109 answered in the negative. 381 answered in favor of a year-round pool and 129 favored summer use only.

In viewing the results of this survey, the people who returned the questionnaire voted five to one in favor of a swimming pool being built in the town. Therefore, it is the recommendation of this committee that further action be taken.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Bowman, *Chairman*
Ethel Fisher, *Secretary*
Priscilla Grippen
Alice Richardson
Paul Sheedy

Southeastern Regional School District Committee

The Southeastern Regional School District Committee members are Thomas W. Devine and Gerald J. Noonan, Brockton; Robert B. Ewing, East Bridgewater; Ralph Armstead, Easton; Robert A. Girardin, Foxborough; Louis E. Tarsa, Mansfield; Charles W. McDonald, Norton; James J. Leonard, Sharon; Robert B. Snow, Stoughton; and Eugene Kostecki, West Bridgewater.

During the year, Gerald J. Noonan replaced Timothy S. Ryan who died on April 4, 1974.

Officers of the 1974-75 year are Thomas W. Devine, Chairman; James J. Leonard, Vice-Chairman; and Louis E. Tarsa, Secretary.

The School District is in its eleventh year. School Committee members Robert B. Ewing and Louis E. Tarsa have been serving the District since 1963. These men have been and continue to be guiding forces in the growth of the District.

School Committeeman James J. Leonard has completed his first year as President of the Massachusetts Council for Vocational-Technical Education, an organization comprised of School Committee members of vocational-technical schools, and is the President-Elect for the 1974-75 year. Vocational-technical school committees have been recognized by the Massachusetts Association of School Committees as an important segment in education. Mr. Leonard is serving as the representative for Occupational Education on the Executive Board of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees.

Special recognition has been awarded to the Southeastern Regional School District by the Department of Education in that Mr. Leonard, in his capacity as President of the Massachusetts Council for Vocational-Technical Education, as well as School Committeeman for the District, was selected to serve on a committee to interview candidates and recommend to the Commissioner of Education the name of a person to be the Associate Commissioner for Occupational Education in the State Department of Education.

Construction of the addition to the school is progressing at a satisfactory rate. All foundations are in and concrete structures have begun. It is expected that steel structures will begin in March of 1975.

The present twenty-two occupational programs (six post-secondary and sixteen secondary programs) accommodated a total of 1041 students and are housed at the Foundry Street location, the Tolman School in Stoughton, the Unionville School in Easton and the Paine School in Foxborough.

The Evening School program, designed for the indentured apprentices in the Electrical and Plumbing areas, as well as programs designed for interested citizens in Automotive Minor Service & Repair, Drafting and Blueprint Reading, National Electrical Code, Machine Shop, Typing, Woodworking, Welding, Key punching and Introduction to Data Processing, are expected to serve 900 students for the 1974-75 school year.

The administrative staff has experienced some changes. Ralph G. Bumpus, Director of the High School since 1967, retired after 40 years of service as an educator. Robert E. Kondracki has been appointed to be the Director of the High School. Paul K. O'Leary

has been appointed to the position of Director of Pupil Personnel Services.

The Southeastern Regional School District Committee continues to provide meaningful occupational education for students within the District communities.

**TOTAL HIGH SCHOOL AND TECHNICAL INSTITUTE
OCTOBER 1, 1970 – OCTOBER 1, 1974**

STUDENT ENROLLMENTS

| OCTOBER 1, 1970 | OCTOBER 1, 1971 | OCTOBER 1, 1972 | OCTOBER 1, 1973 | OCTOBER 1, 1974 |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 31 | 30 | 32 | 43 | 46 |

**HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT – FRESHMEN
OCTOBER 1, 1974**

| NUMBER OF STUDENTS APPLIED | FRESHMEN STUDENTS ENROLLED 1974 | BOYS | GIRLS | % OF STUDENTS ENROLLED 1974 | QUOTA | QUOTA ACCURACY |
|-------------------------------------|--|------|-------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------------------|
| 17 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 4.115 | 3.8 | 108.736 |

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT – OCTOBER 1, 1974

| TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS | GIRLS | BOYS | % OF STUDENTS ENROLLED | QUOTA | DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ENROLLED STUDENTS & QUOTA | QUOTA ACCURACY |
|-----------------------------------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------|--|-------------------|
| 38 | 8 | 30 | 4.332 | 3.8 | .532 | 114.000 |

TECHNICAL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT – OCTOBER 1, 1974

| TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS | GIRLS | BOYS | % OF STUDENTS ENROLLED | QUOTA | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------|--|
| 8 | 6 | 2 | 4.968 | 3.8 | |

HIGH SCHOOL AND TECHNICAL INSTITUTE ENROLLMENT

| HIGH SCHOOL AND TECHNICAL INSTITUTE ENROLLMENT | % OF STUDENTS ENROLLED | QUOTA | DIFFERENCE BETWEEN STUDENTS ENROLLED AND QUOTA | QUOTA ACCURACY |
|---|------------------------------|-------|--|-------------------|
| 46 | 4.43159 | 3.8 | .631 | 116.620 |

Very truly yours,
Eugene Kostecki

By-Law Study Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of West Bridgewater

The By-Law Study Committee, reorganized in March, elected the following officers for 1974. Chairman, George O. Merritt, Vice Chairman, Gilbert D. Baker, Jr., Secretary, Geraldine Hamilton.

Numerous regularly scheduled meetings have been held during 1974 with many By-Laws, problems, and possible changes discussed. Some of these changes may be voted on by the Citizens of West Bridgewater at the next Town Meeting.

We will continue to work with all Departments, Boards, and Elected Offices in solving our "everyday" problems as well as those that will effect our future generations.

By-Law Study Committee meetings are open to all citizens of West Bridgewater and we welcome any and all suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

George O. Merritt, *Chairman*
Gilbert D. Baker, Jr., *Vice-Chairman*
Geraldine Hamilton, *Secretary*
George V. Hollertz
Gary A. Boyd
Lawrence Conant
Robert A. White

Housing Authority

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We hereby submit the annual report of the Housing Authority for the year 1974.

More than two years of occupation have gone by with very few problems of adjustment and the residents of D'Arpino Village have proven to be interested concerned citizens of West Bridgewater as evidenced by their almost 100% turnout at each and every election in Town.

This committee is proud of our tenants and proud to be a part of the state's housing program that provides the elderly with safe, low-cost housing in their "golden years".

Our newest addition is a practical handsome maintenance building in keeping with the surrounding brick-faced units. Outdoor equipment and maintenance supplies are now stored in it thus providing the tenants with more work-recreation area and storage room for their hobby supplies, etc. within the community building.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Police Department, Fire Department, Water Department, Highway Department, Building Inspector, Ernest Peterson and Town Clerk Anna Brown and other Town officials too numerous to mention for their cooperation and assistance extended to this committee throughout our "growing pains".

Respectfully submitted,

Lillian J. Cheyunski, *Chairman*

Richard C. Williams, *Vice-Chairman*

Carol R. Bystrom, *Treasurer*

George A. Miller, *Assistant Treasurer*

Armen A. Amerigian, *State Appointed Member*

Civil Defense Director

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report as Civil Defense Director for the Town of West Bridgewater for the year of 1974.

Preparedness to cope with the effects of peacetime and wartime disasters include many diverse elements that must be woven into a program involving all levels of government, Federal, State and Local, plus the individual citizens. Programs developed through this cooperative effort provide the best chance to avert or minimize the effects of all disasters, protect life and property, and restore the stricken area, with a minimum of social and economic disruption. Participation in our National Warning System drills on at least a monthly basis is an example of this preparedness. Each Civil Defense Agency is asked to be involved in these drills, this year as in the past we have participated in 100% of the drills.

During the month of October 1974 we were involved in an area-wide Test Exercise, code named "Beaufort '74". This exercise was for the purpose of ascertaining the emergency readiness of the Civil Defense Organizations in Southeastern Massachusetts. The exercise consisted of a simulated situation that would confront the area during and after a major hurricane.

Radiological Measuring Instruments underwent maintenance and calibration during the month of November. Several pieces of equipment were exchanged to bring them all up to date with the most modern equipment available.

Local Program Papers and Progress Reports for the Town of West Bridgewater were prepared and submitted to the State Agency. These papers and reports were accepted and approved making the Town once again eligible to participate in the matching fund program and the surplus material program.

By being eligible to participate in the surplus Material Program visits to the Warehouse in Taunton are made available to the Town on a monthly basis. At that time articles that might be of some value to the Town are offered at reduced rates.

Monthly meetings are held by the Sector that we are in. At that time the problems of the different Towns in the Sector are discussed. Programs are gone over and discussed at length.

My sincere thanks to the Board of Selectmen, Town Accountant, Deputy Civil Defense Director John C. Eldridge, Police Chief Lothrop, Fire Chief Gibson and all other members of the Town Government who have cooperated with and assisted me during the year of 1974.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert W. Anderson
Director
Civil Defense Agency

Recreation Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

This summer proved to be a very interesting, educational and successful one for the West Bridgewater Summer Recreation Program. As usual, there were a great number of children participating, over 400 children registered. Below is a summary of what really makes up our summer program:

Arts and Crafts: Under the leadership of Mrs. Ruth D'Ambrosio our Arts and Crafts Program was a big hit. Its originality, variety and most of all the excitement it created among the children, made this a program next to none. The arts and crafts add a new dimension to the basic recreation program, the sports games, and the field trips. Our Arts and Crafts Program has grown over the last four years, and right now I feel it is what makes our overall program that much different than any other in the area. Some of the items made this summer were tissue flowers, key chains, ash trays, hot plates, styro-foam cup piggy banks, paper clip necklaces, etc.

Quiet Games: A favorite on those hot summer days were quiet games. Table soccer and baseball games were always in use. Jump ropes, puzzles, a pool game, the game "Battleship" were among the other quiet games, Mrs. Shirley Thorpe, one of our everyday volunteers, read stories, sang songs and played games with our youngsters. The quiet games, just like everything else, were essential in making our program successful.

Sports: Softball, Kickball, Basketball, Touch Football, Tennis and Bocci were always being played under the direction of Bob Dwyer. Rick Magee did a fine job with the tennis program and a very special thank you should be extended to Mr. "Patsy" Capalupo for organizing and supervising the bocci games each day.

Special Events: Special days are always favorites with the youngsters, and this year it was no different. Relay races, a mini-olympics, as well as pancake and pie eating contests, a costume contest, bike decorating contest, carnival day and two birthday parties were all held. "Water sprinklers" were turned on during those hot July and August days much to the pleasure of the kids, as well as the adults. Sgt. Charles Anderson was a special guest on Bike Safety Day. We appreciate his time very much.

Over 275 children made the trip to Lincoln Park and another 150 went to the Atlantic Aquarium in Nantasket. Without the help of all the mothers and older brothers and sisters who gave freely of their time and efforts, these special events and trips could not have been possible.

One special event which had been planned was the puppet and drama show presented by the Drama Department of the University of New Hampshire. Although scheduling conflicts prohibited them from taking part in our summer program, arrangements were made for them to appear at a later date. On October 21, this theatre group presented the "Little Red Wagon" program to the students at the Rose L. MacDonald School and also to the combined Spring Street and Sunset Avenue School students.

Prizes: Every child received some prize during the summer. Prizes varied from penny candy, marshmallows, and lolly pops to footballs, yo-yos and models. At the conclusion of each day, each child was given a gum-ball as he turned in a piece of rubbish, this not only pleased the children, but also the Spring Street School Custodians.

Refreshments: Every day at 10:30 AM the children were treated to juice and cookies. This was varied with snow cones, and kool pops whenever possible.

Summary: This was a very successful summer and the majority of credit goes to the Director, Carl R. Ohlson, III, and his staff, but this success would not be possible without the combined efforts of many people, the many volunteers, the police department, the school department, the selectmen and the various town departments. However, the real contributors to its success were the parents and children. Over 400 well-behaved, co-operative and respectful children took part in this summer's program.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Sillars, *Chairman*
Mrs. Howard A. Anderson
Mrs. Donald A. Fisher
Mrs. John F. Preston
Mr. Pasquale Grasso

Report of the Town Counsel

To the Honorable
Board of Selectmen:

My term as Town Counsel commenced April 1, 1974.

New legislation, general public insistence on constitutional rights and the recession-inflation have substantially increased the requirements of individual Boards' and Officers' requirement for Town Counsel's assistance and rulings.

Through the cooperation of all Town officials, much of the pending litigation has been disposed of.

The following is a recapitulation of my services in the past nine months:

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| Sessions of court attended | 18 |
| Appearances at administrative hearings | 2 |
| Opinions rendered | 53 |
| Meetings attended | 27 |
| Hearings attended | 4 |
| Contracts reviewed or revised | 5 |
| Notices, pleadings & instruments drafted | 29 |
| Conferences | 242 |

Respectfully submitted,

Francis J. Lynch
Town Counsel

Data Processing Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The purpose of this committee is to advise departments of the town on matters involving the use of data processing equipment or services. This action is to be taken only at the request of a department head and is to be only advisory in nature.

The Advisory Committee received two requests during the year. The first was from the Board of Selectmen to acquaint the Tax Collector and Board of Assessors as to the availability of data processing assistance in the area of real estate billing. The heavy load resulting from the sixth month billing schedule has slightly delayed further action in this application of data processing. The second request was received from the School Committee. This request involved re-evaluation of the data processing services presently in use in our school system. The committee advised to have the School Committee re-evaluate the grade reporting system as the present \$2./student appears excessive.

This committee will continue to advise the town in the use of data processing equipment or services at the request of town officials.

Respectfully submitted,
Lawrence D. Conant, *Chairman*
Everett B. Tufts, Jr.
William R. Brown, Jr.

Memorial and Veteran's Day Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

This year the Town of West Bridgewater played host to the annual Tri-Town Parade. With the cooperation of the Bridgewater and East Bridgewater Parade Committees, West Bridgewater was the site of the largest Veteran's Day parade in history. Over 1200 children and 500 adults participated in this event. A total of 54 marching units including 4 bands, police forces from all towns and service organizations marched.

The committee wishes to thank all marching units involved as well as the many volunteers who assisted in serving coffee, hot chocolate and donuts. An estimated 5000 people viewed the parade.

The committee is currently working on the upcoming Memorial Day Parade which will include a parade and the decorating of Veterans graves with American Flags.

The Memorial and Veteran's Day Parade Committee would like to express their thanks to Robert L. Kellie, former chairman, for his dedicated work in past years.

We feel that the programs presented by this Committee has justly remembered those who have fought for our country in the past conflicts and have given them homage for their dedication and deeds.

Respectfully submitted,

James F. Wolfsberg, *Chairman*
H. David Raleigh

Trustees For Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service

By Edgar W. Spear, Director

The Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service's office is located on High Street, Hanson and can be reached by calling 293-3541 or 447-5946.

This is repetitious but for the information of new residents, we are the educational arm of the University of Massachusetts and the U.S.D.A. at the county level. This is where the name "Cooperative Extension" is derived.

We have many and varied educational programs.

Free bulletins are on display at our office on lawn care, gardening, nutrition, home canning and freezing, to name just a few. If you pass our office on your travels, stop and visit us.

The number of soil samples tested continues to increase each year which is a free service to the Plymouth County residents. This year, with more gardeners, we were swamped with soil samples.

Posters and leaflets describing our staff services have been placed in every town hall and library in the county along with timely leaflets for distribution. With more food production and preservation by home gardeners, our Home Economists are available for advice. Citizens are encouraged to bring to the attention of their Town Director any suggestions to improve our services.

Plymouth County continues to have the most active 4-H Program in Massachusetts. Increased enrollment continues in our new Urban 4-H program and we have had added to our staff a new Associate 4-H Agent's position. 4-H has become more than just "cows and cookies" and varied programs are available for all young people.

Through our Nutrition Program in Brockton we have made available to every town "Mulligan Stew" film, an excellent source of nutrition lessons for young people.

Our Life and Earth 4-H Science Projects such as Embryology and Ocean Science are being made available to all of Plymouth County's School Systems.

In addition to our regular staff, we have five regional Community Development Specialists who work closely with all the towns on varied projects and are available for assistance to all towns.

Our Board of Trustee members are:

Mr. Gilbert Blackledge, *Chairman*...Whitman
Mr. Fred Freidenfeld, *Vice-Chairman*...Middleboro
Mrs. Sally Carver, *Secretary*.....Marshfield
Mr. Edward Gawle.....Brockton
Mrs. Eileen Rawson.....Duxbury
Mr. Howard Hayward.....West Bridgewater
Mr. Robert Haviland.....Hingham
Mr. Phillip Gibbs.....West Wareham
Mr. George Ridder.....*County Commissioner*

ANNUAL REPORT
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Superintendent of Schools
WEST BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR
1974

MEMBERS AND ORGANIZATION
OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
1974 - 75

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| Stanley Carlson, Chairman, 295 South Street Term Expires 1977 | 583-5619 |
| Mrs. Rhoda Johnson, 30 Pinecrest Road Term Expires 1975 | 583-8416 |
| Donald MacIver, 145 Bedford Street Term Expires 1976 | 587-7370 |
| H. David Raleigh, 448 West Center Street Term Expires 1976 | 587-6210 |
| DeSales Heath, 406 North Elm Street Term Expires 1975 | 586-0328 |
| Charles Barros, 45 Progressive Avenue Term Expires 1977 | 588-0104 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

First Monday each month — 7:30 P.M. in the High School

SUPERINTENDENT

Donald A. Fisher

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| Office: Town Hall | 586-5094 |
| Residence: 28 Purchase Street, West Bridgewater Conference by appointment | 587-7155 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Myron Mather, 88 Bedford Street | 587-1310 |
| Mrs. Donald MacMullen, 42 Brooks Place | 587-2670 |
| Mrs. Rose Kennedy, 737 Washington St., So. Easton | 238-6578 |
| Mrs. Jeanne Smith, 54 Matfield Street | 588-1011 |

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

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| High School Office | 583-7502 |
| S. Erick Benson, Principal, 22 Union Street | 586-2554 |
| Thomas P. Illuzzi, Asst. Principal, 80 Westside Avenue, Attleboro | 699-4608 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Stuart Keith, 47 Ash Street | 586-5551 |
| Mrs. J. Layton Hayward, 615 East Street | 583-7036 |
| Mrs. Debbie DeMarzo, 700 Central Street, E. Bridgewater | 378-7138 |

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS

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| Rose L. MacDonald School | 588-8638 |
| Sunset Avenue School | 583-7963 |
| William M. Jones, Principal, 238 East Street | 586-1911 |

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS contd.

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| Howard School | 583-2797 |
| Robert L. Todd, Principal, 137 Laurel Street, Bridgewater | 697-8508 |
| Spring Street School | 586-6469 |
| Thomas Peters, Principal, 80 Wood Avenue, Mattapan (Elementary Curriculum Coordinator) | 361-7036 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Greta Edson, 249 Spring Street | 583-4473 |
| Mrs. Ruth Ross, 445 West Center Street | 586-1513 |
| Mrs. Lorraine Anderson, 26 Arch Street | 586-8585 |

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

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| Frank F. Dunn, Jr., 2 Vernon Street, Bridgewater | 697-2368 |
| Mrs. E. Olivia Lawson, 132 Larson Road, Stoughton | 344-2355 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Judith Kellie, 13 Purchase Street | 583-7865 |
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DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

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| Robert A. Fantasia, 2 Briggs Street, Norton | 285-9620 |
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SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Valerie White, 27 Woodland Road | 584-4783 |
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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

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| Dr. Joseph Calitri, 17 Central Square | 587-0678 |
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SCHOOL NURSE

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| Mrs. E. Myrtle Howard, R. N., 272 River Street Elementary Schools | 583-4302 |
| Mrs. Leah Benson, R. N., 22 Union Street High School | 586-2554 |

DENTAL HYGIENTIST

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| Mrs. Eleanor Soule, 510 Ash Street | 586-4917 |
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FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR

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| Mrs. Beverly Reynolds, 96 Crescent Street | 587-3582 |
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SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Marjorie Eaton, 40 North Main Street | 587-7051 |
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ATTENDANCE OFFICER

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| Ervin G. Lothrop, 50 North Elm Street | 583-3985 |
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WEST BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1974 - 1975

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| Teachers report to Building Principal, Tuesday | September 3, 1974 |
| School open Wednesday (Grades K-XII) | September 4, 1974 |
| Thanksgiving recess: | |
| Schools close Wednesday at noon | November 27, 1974 |
| School reopens Monday | December 2, 1974 |
| Christmas Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | December 20, 1974 |
| School reopens Thursday | January 2, 1975 |
| Winter Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | February 14, 1975 |
| School reopens Monday | February 24, 1975 |
| Spring Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | April 18, 1975 |
| School reopens Monday | April 28, 1975 |
| School closed Wednesday | June 25, 1975 |

HOLIDAYS

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| Columbus Day, Monday | October 14, 1974 |
| Veteran's Day, Monday | October 28, 1974 |
| Good Friday | March 28, 1975 |
| Memorial Day, Monday | May 26, 1975 |
| Teachers Workshop or Convention day (To be determined) | |

DAYS OF ATTENDANCE

| MONTH | NO. OF DAYS | MONTH | NO. OF DAYS |
|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| September | 19 | February | 15 |
| October | 20 | March | 20 |
| November | 18 | April | 17 |
| December | 15 | May | 21 |
| January | 22 | June | 18 |

TOTAL SCHOOL DAYS 185

NO SCHOOL INFORMATION

The policy of the school department is to hold school on stormy days. The decision as to whether or not a child should attend school will be left to the discretion of the parent. In extremely bad weather when it is deemed wise to have no school, such notice will be broadcast over W.B.E.T. (1460) Brockton between 7 and 8 A.M. and between 11 and 12 noon, W.O.K.W. (1410) Brockton, W.B.Z. (1030) Boston, and W.E.E.I. (1590) Boston between 7 and 8 A.M.

Fire alarm signals will be as follows:

- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7 A.M., no school
grades 7 through 12 inclusive all day.
- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7:15 A.M., no school
grades 1 through 6 inclusive all day.
- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 11 A.M., no school
grades 1 through 6 inclusive in the afternoon.

SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP – OCTOBER 1, 1974

| Elementary Schools | K | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | TOTAL |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Sunset Avenue | | | 72 | 37 | | | | 109 |
| Spring Street | 118 | 120 | 53 | 41 | | | | 332 |
| Rose L. MacDonald | | 11 | 16 | 37 | 124 | 144 | | 332 |
| Special Class | | 15 | | | | | | 15 |
| <hr/> | | | | | | | | |
| Secondary Schools | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | TOTAL |
| Howard School | 137 | 182 | | | | | | 319 |
| High School | | | 120 | 113 | 120 | 138 | 134 | 625 |
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| Total Enrollment elementary and high school | | | | | | | | 1,732 |

CENSUS REPORT

| | 5 years of age or over and under 7 | 7 years of age or over and under 16 |
|-------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Boys | 214 | 655 |
| Girls | 212 | 672 |
| Total | 426 | 1,327 |

CLASS OF 1974

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| Gary Allen | Richard Leonard |
| Peter J. Allen | Gisele Slupski Lincoln |
| Bruce Anderson | Donna Marie Lindquist |
| Jeffrey Anderson | Richard I. MacDonald |
| John E. Anderson | Richard Lance Manugian |
| John Steven Anderson | Mark S. Mazza |
| Joanne Patricia Asker | Edward J. McCaffrey |
| Michael J. Balboni | Mary Ruth McCann |
| Paul M. Barros | Joseph Pedro Monsini |
| Paulette M. Barros | Benjamin P. Musto |
| Stephen M. Beinoras | Mary Ellen Nelson |
| Barbarajeane Benvie | Robert E. Nelson |
| Ellen Margaret Bird | Susan Jean Nelson |
| William M. Bossardt | Elizabeth Rose Nolan |
| Richard Boudreau | Mary Elizabeth Norris |
| Bonnie Brown | Jacqueline Sue Noyes |
| Philip M. Calef | Susan Marie Noyes |
| Nancy Jane Carbone | Cornelius O'Connor |
| Jean H. Carrigan | Deborah Lynne Ohlson |
| Lawrence R. Chafe, Jr. | Joseph W. Olson |

Gary Thomas Child
 Michael Childers
 Desa Chisholm
 Raymond Thomas Clooney
 Paula Connolly
 Bruce J. Correia
 Gil D. Correia
 Carolyn Crowell
 Margaret Daley
 Vincent J. Donndelinger
 Susan Jean Duquette
 Julie Ann Eaton
 Timothy Easton
 Rosemary Fratangelo
 Deborah Louise Fyfe
 Peter N. Gezotis
 Madeline M. Grandfield
 Laurie J. Gummow
 Denise Ann Hallisey
 Richard P. Harris
 Elaine M. A. Harvey
 Erle L. Hermanson
 Carl Bruce Herrick
 Carol Wright Herrick
 Nancy L. Jackson
 Jeffrey W. Johnson
 Stephen Joseph Keating
 Christine Erin Kelley
 Donna Elizabeth Kemp
 Ellen J. Keylor
 Peter Knox
 Gary LaCrosse

Cindy Bess Overy
 Kenneth Packard
 Daniel D. Perkins
 Evangeline Pita
 Jeanne Louise Ponte
 Janis A. Query
 Kim Elizabeth Raymond
 Wayne W. Reynolds
 Michael Rogers
 George W. Rowe
 Tina Gazerro Sampson
 William Joseph Simmons
 Barbara Jean Siliop
 Linda Joan Simpson
 Valerie J. Siscoe
 Terri-Ann Soderbom
 Janet Lorraine Sousa
 James R. Spadea
 Thomas L. Staples
 Nancy Ellen Sylvester
 Donna Jeanne Tatttrie
 Alan Edward Thomas
 Jeanne Ellen Thomas
 Richard Ray Standish Thompson
 Johan Anders Gote Tolleson
 Mary J. Tyrrell
 Carole E. Tzvetinovitch
 Burkhard von Heyden
 W. Wayne Weatherby, Jr.
 Leo Walter Wells
 Thomas B. Williams, Jr.
 B. Clay Winfrey

CLASS OFFICERS

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| President | Nancy J. Carbone |
| Vice President | Mary Ellen Nelson |
| Secretary | Linda J. Simpson |
| Treasurer | Donna E. Kemp |

CLASS MOTTO

"I have never let my schooling interfere with my education."

CLASS COLORS

Ligh Blue and Dark Blue

Superintendent of Schools

To the Citizens of West Bridgewater:

I am happy to submit the annual reports of my colleagues and myself.

First, I thank the members of the School Committee who continuously donate their time and energies to set the policies for and interpret the efforts of the pupils and staff members in our five (5) schools. An indication of their dedication is found when one considers the number of meetings; regular monthly, special, budget, and negotiation sessions, which totalled fifty-five (55) in 1974. Other events they faithfully attend, such as, conferences, workshops, area meetings and many school events demand additional time and personal expense, even though they receive no pay for their efforts. Without this unselfish dedication, public schools would never meet, so well, the needs of our ever changing society.

I shall mention only briefly some of the highlights of the past twelve (12) months and refer the reader to the reports of other staff members for more details.

Two major events vied for top place during the fall; the institution of State mandated *Kindergartens* and the *opening of the Howard School*. I'm aware the former has been received with mixed feelings in the community, yet the value of the Kindergarten Program is apparent as one recognizes we're reaching many of the objectives we established in our earlier planning, under the direction of Principal Thomas Peters and his staff.

We appreciate the hospitality extended to us by the Rev. Francis G. Goss and others at St. Ann's Parish. This allowed our grade six pupils to be housed until the Howard School was ready. We encountered some additional expense due to the delayed opening of Howard School. Still when one considers it was ready for occupancy within twelve (12) months from the time refurbishing work started, the construction moved along, except for the time loss due to a strike, very well. The Building Committee and Principal Robert L. Todd deserve a great deal of credit for preparing and putting into service this fine new facility.

Despite our already comprehensive programs for children with various special needs, *Chapter 766, Acts 1972*, effective September 1, 1974, has put additional financial and physical strain on the Town, our staff, and our facilities. Mr. Robert Fantasia, Director of the Special Needs Programs, is providing excellent leadership for the growing staff whose members give skilled help on a full or part-time basis.

The School system's association with other area towns and cities in *Project Contemporary Competitiveness*, the *Regional Educational Assessment and Diagnostic Service*, and the less formal but older cooperative efforts of the three Bridgewaters, Raynham, and Middleboro have enabled many children to be helped at a minimum of expense. Unfortunately, we, like many other school systems, were misled concerning the availability of funds from the Commonwealth to institute the greatly expanded services for young people, ages three (3) through twenty-one (21).

Unless new taxes are imposed, it must be assumed that previous reimbursement funds, such as the *General School Aid—Chapter 70*, will be reduced to satisfy the entitlements due communities under Chapter 766.

The 1974 year has been a very busy but interesting and productive one for most of our staff. Approximately seventy-five (75%) percent of the faculty members have taken one or more *courses in Graduate Study* at the area colleges or in the Boston and Cambridge schools and universities. Study for advanced degrees has increased greatly since Bridgewater State College started granting free vouchers, partly due to my efforts, to those teachers working with the trainees from the College. Also, the school budget pays up to \$175.00 annually for teachers taking approved courses. Added to these outside programs we have sponsored several *courses* locally including one in Economics, two in Behavior Management and a fifteen (15) week series to prepare for classroom implementation of Chapter 766. A series of half day *workshops* have been held on the various disciplines as well as sessions on Career Education in the Elementary grades, Library Usage, and the Lexington Course on individualized instruction. A workshop of several sessions will be given to help the faculty prepare for our Country's change to the *Metric System*.

The addition of a full time elementary *Library Supervisor* and a half time librarian serving the Spring Street and Sunset Avenue Schools has been a great help for the pupils in grades Kindergarten through Six. This is expected not only to stimulate our Reading Programs, but to teach the desired library skills essential in High School and College. We have also been fortunate to have a number of High School students and parent volunteers regularly donate a considerable amount of time in the elementary libraries and classrooms.

Curriculum offerings, under constant review by the Elementary Coordinator, the Principals, and the Department Chairmen have had several additions in the past twelve (12) months. These include Musicianship I. and new courses in the *Business Department*. Next year we should have *Musicianship II*, and several new courses in *Social Studies*; the American Legal System, Sociology, and Anthropology. A program in *Distributive Education* can be added, subject to School Committee approval of a project utilizing federal funds.

The *Athletic, Intra-mural, Music* with its affiliated groups, and other extra-curricular opportunities at the MacDonald, Howard, and High Schools continue to fill important roles in the total educational process. Without these activities many youngsters might never have finished their high school programs or been able to go on to study after High School graduation. I firmly believe that worthwhile and diversified extra-curricular activities have been a major factor in helping our schools avoid some of the problems encountered by many school systems in these days of uncertainties and expanded liberalism. The excellent team records for both boys and girls plus the new band uniforms, purchased with the aid of the Parents and Friends for Music, help keep the students' moral high.

The *budget proposed* by myself, with the help of the other administrators, for 1975-1976 reflects a substantial increase. This is due to a number of factors including, but not limited to; inflationary action on almost all expense items, additional staff members recommended for Chapter 766, and certain costly maintenance projects. Our initial budget, the work on which started in the early spring of 1974, with thirteen (13) pages of figures covering three hundred, seventy-two (372) line items, was given to the members of the School Committee in response to instructions on November 1, 1974. Some twenty-three (23) pages of explanations, covering these items, were distributed to the Committee on the following Monday.

A great deal of *maintenance* work has been carried out by Mr. Leo E. Moroni and his custodians. In addition to their regular summer and other vacation periods' work, they spent many hours at the Howard School preparing it for the students. The proposed budget for 1975-1976 contains several maintenance matters of serious concern to us. Most important of these is the need to rebuild the *sewerage facilities* at the Spring Street School. This work, recommended by Mr. Moroni, Mr. Charles Pickering, and myself, in proposals for the 1974-1975 budget can no longer be deferred. To do the job right and to satisfy the Department of Public Health regulations, it will be necessary to make extensive and expensive changes in the system.

Since we have no major leaks at present, it may be possible to delay replacement of the *roof* on a section of the *Spring Street School*. However, the inflationary trend will add cost for this work which must be done eventually.

The High School has long needed a second Science Room with full laboratory facilities. We have had this recommendation for several years from Principal S. Erick Benson and Mr. Robert Chapman, the Department Chairman. It was also one of the recommendations of the visiting Committee for the School's evaluation. Not having it severely limits the amount of experimental work done by the students in the Science classes. Hopefully, this work will be financed in the 1975-1976 budget.

Lack of adequate *storage facilities* for the schools has meant storing equipment outdoors and taking over work space which in turn cuts down the effectiveness of our maintenance men. Now that we have several additional men available, under the federally funded C.E.T.A. (the Comprehensive Employment Training Act), we need this work space for this helpful and money saving work. A sum has been included in my budget proposal to pay for a free standing building that will help fill these above needs.

The other major maintenance project is the rebuilding of *roof edges* on the High School. Two sections, one near the Kitchen and the other over the Boys' Locker room must be rebuilt. At least one of these should be done this next summer under the 1975-1976 budget.

Ahead of us are the following challenges: the establishing of a *Reading Coordinator* for Grades Kindergarten through Six. This position has been authorized by the School Committee but action on implementing it deferred until July 1, 1975; the filling of the *Adjustment Counselor's* position vacant since Mr. Fantasia was given new responsibilities; the instituting of a project that will help to encourage and stimulate the more able students; the presentation of the new courses proposed for the Business Department (especially *Distributive Education*), in the *Social Studies* (already mentioned), and a second year for students in Musicianship. Our pupils and teachers will be involved in *Bi-centennial Recognition* under the leadership of Principal William M. Jones and Social Studies Department Chairman, Edward Caffrey.

The School Lunch Program under the able direction of Mrs. Beverly Reynolds continues to be well received. Special allowance for free or *reduced price* meals is now available for children from families that have suffered financially from the recession now effecting most of our national economy. Interested persons should contact their child's Principal. Mrs. Reynolds and her staff continue to serve excellent luncheons, twice weekly, to fifty or more of our Senior Citizens. This is a splendid example of Community Service by the schools.

This year our school system, and our community lost the services, through retirement, of one of the most able and dedicated workers I have ever been associated with. I refer to *Mrs. Mae E. Mather* who worked in the School Lunch Program for several years and later as School Committee Secretary and Secretary in the Superintendent's Office for a total of twenty-four (24) years. Despite much personal, physical discomfort, she was a worker of the highest type. We all miss her.

Others who have retired are Mrs. E. Olivia Lawson, who served well and faithfully for twenty-two (22) years as a teacher, dramatics coach, and a Guidance Counselor. Mrs. Geneva Garvey, a first grade teacher, who gave twenty-seven (27) years of excellent service mostly in the first grade. Mrs. Frances Conant, a skilled librarian, who donated a tremendous amount of her own time in addition to her regular hours to setting up our elementary library program. Mr. Myron W. Mather, Mr. Gordon Ross and Mr. Gilbert Anderson will also be missed. They showed by their efforts in the custodial and maintenance departments, a sincere interest in the welfare of the students.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald A. Fisher
Superintendent of Schools

Junior-Senior High School Principal

Dear Mr. Fisher:

I hereby submit the annual report for the West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School. The following is a compilation of facts, ideas and recommendations as submitted by the department chairmen and other professional personnel. A major highlight of the academic year has been the involvement and commitment of the student body in school related activities. The cooperation exhibited by class officers, members of the student council, members of the student advisory council to the School Committee and student body in general has been outstanding. It is with a feeling of pride and accomplishment that I relate to you that the vast majority of the student body has assumed the responsibilities associated with student rights. The students have demonstrated to us that they are proud of their association with West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School

During the earlier part of the year, the English Department Chairman was on sabbatical leave in England, observing the teaching of Language Arts in the United Kingdom. The most salient features of English teaching noted were a) the success and orderliness of "open education" in the primary grades, the informality of instruction and the realistic application of educational philosophy to classroom teaching. b) the comparative lag in quality instruction in the secondary area of state education, due to the traditional leadership of private school interests. The struggle is now on to make state controlled comprehensive education, as we know it in America, a reality in England. How fortunate we are in this country. In the time of financial stringency which we are heading into, we must not let ourselves stint support for quality education, particularly in instructional materials and class size.

Among the fruits of the sabbatical are quantities of slides available for use in literature and humanities instruction.

In the spring of 1974, the seventh and eighth grade teachers made an extensive curriculum review under the guidance of the chairman pro-tem, Mrs. Murphy. This review will be extended to grades nine and ten this year. In grades eleven and twelve the elective course outlines are subject to continuous review.

The need still exists for specialized personnel to conduct a developmental and remedial reading program in the high school grades. While funds, expertise and administrative energy are being concentrated on Special Education Needs, we are still operating without adequate secondary reading instruction for the vast majority of our students. What is needed is a high school reading specialist.

The Business Department continued to receive federal and local support for the school year ending June 30, 1974. We received \$9,490 in federal monies to purchase electronic printing calculators and furniture for the accounting and clerical students. Student enrollment increased 51 per cent necessitating the addition of one staff member. The Co-op Business Education Program provided on-the-job training for 15 students. The school year was culminated when West Bridgewater was chosen to host the Massachusetts Business Education Regional Conference in May. Mr. Myron Krawitz, author of the Lester Hill Simulation, was guest speaker as fifty juniors and seniors demonstrated the simulation concept in Business Education.

Although our Science curriculum presently offers numerous courses on the general and college preparatory level, a definite need does exist for an improvement in the present physical plant. The facilities were no doubt adequate when West Bridgewater High School was first constructed. However during the past fifteen years not only has the number of Science course offerings more than doubled, but the methods and modes in instruction have changed.

This year there has been an increase in the number of students electing Lab Science courses. Also, a new course entitled molecular biology has been added to the curriculum. For the future, we look forward to the offering of courses in applied science and independent study projects.

In order for us to improve our Science program and allow for increasing individualization of instruction, it is necessary either to build an addition to our present facility or make alterations in the existing structure. Since the latter is more feasible economically, proposed changes have been recommended for three rooms in the Science wing. These changes have been submitted as a budgetary item, and it is hoped that they will be implemented this year.

The Social Studies curriculum currently involves approximately one hundred percent of the total student body. The percentage of involvement would be much higher if new courses were added to the curriculum. The new course proposals — American Legal System, Anthropology, and Sociology — would better prepare our students to react to their relationship to the world they live in, to other human beings and to themselves. The Social Studies focus on people and their world and the end result is to graduate students prepared to face up to making the many decisions and adjustments required in the adult world.

Courses in Mathematics offered to the college bound student remain the same. Enrollment in these are still high as colleges have not lessened their requirements.

The Consumer Mathematics course offered to seniors has been well received. Our goal is to have all seniors not enrolled in another Mathematics course be required to take this one. Students are introduced to the mathematics of everyday living in this class.

No formal unit on the metric system has been introduced. Our regular texts provide an adequate unit which is taught in conjunction with the Science classes.

It is becoming more and more apparent that something must be provided for a smoother transition into high school for those students who work with tutorial teachers in the elementary grades. It is impossible for our present staff to provide the individual help desperately needed by these youngsters. The number of these students is increasing each year.

Enthusiasm is still high in the Math Team. Students feel their participation has enriched their mathematical concepts.

The school library has cataloged 586 books and added 45 cassette tapes to its permanent collection. Paperbacks were acquired and 62 periodicals renewed. A typewriter, record player, and tape recorder were also purchased.

The card catalog has been divided (author, title and subject sections) and revamped for a more efficient organization of library materials. Over 400 books were transferred to the new Howard School. It seems well to report that excellent cooperation continues with the Public Library and on many occasions the staff at the public library have provided kind assistance to students and faculty.

It is our hope that the library will continue to find needed support in order to make the best possible use of its facilities and resources and to improve them in the future.

This past year as has been the trend, there was an increasing number of physicals for athletics completed by school physician, Dr. Joseph Calitri, at the West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School.

Pre-physicals which consist of height, weight and blood pressure were given the afternoon prior to the scheduled examination as the school physician does not have to be present for this phase of the examinations.

The faculty received a confidential list on the first day of school, listing all students with handicaps and special needs. This list contains such information as; 1.) medication during school 2.) vision and hearing impairments 3.) specific illnesses, such as diabetes and epilepsy, 4.) physical education restrictions 5.) other information on a student which might help the faculty better understand that specific student.

Vision and hearing screening tests were administered to all students grade 7-12, with re-testing done on those students who failed the test the first time. If they failed again, notices were sent home and referrals to eye and ear specialists suggested. This sometimes took more than one notice unfortunately.

A diphtheria-tetanus clinic was held for grade 10 as recommended by the State Department of Public Health, with an overwhelming number of students taking advantage of this service.

Heaf testing for tuberculosis was not done in grade nine this year, as West Bridgewater is considered a low risk area by the State Department of Public Health.

Drug use involving high school students appears to be declining steadily and hopefully it will continue to do so.

Health counseling is a daily function of the school nurse, either by faculty referrals or the students' own need to discuss a situation or problem with someone.

The school nurse serves as advisor to the Future Nurses Club at the High School.

The purpose of the athletic and intramural programs at West Bridgewater High School is to help develop the students' values, attitudes, skills and a competitive spirit which will help to make them contributing citizens throughout their adult life.

During the 1974 winter season, there were 173 students participating in our athletic and intramural programs. During the spring, we had 207 participating in baseball, track, golf, tennis, softball and weight lifting. The fall season found 183 involved in football, cross country, field hockey and cheerleading. A total of 563 students were part of our programs during 1974.

During the year 1974 the audio-visual department has again directed its efforts towards providing the classroom teacher with goods and services necessary for the enrichment of their teaching programs.

As in the past, equipment acquisition has been minimized, while wider utilization has been stressed.

With the expansion in membership of an involved and dedicated Operators Club, services have widened considerably with more emphasis being directed towards the repair of equipment and the building up of an adequate parts inventory. New projects have been undertaken and completed, such as, the erection of T.V. antennas and the setting up and operation of a public address system at home football games. Such programs and projects could not have been possible without the enthusiasm and ability of the Operators Club.

In the coming year, the audio-visual department will continue its efforts to reduce repair costs of equipment by stocking and operating its own repair shop. Preventive maintenance programs will be encouraged to prolong the utilization of equipment. As in the past, services will be expanded and new projects encouraged, especially towards greater utilization of our photographic darkroom facilities.

The band, majorettes and drill team have enjoyed a very active year performing at football games, in parades, concerts, recitals and majorette tournaments. In addition, band members have participated in the Southeastern Massachusetts School Band Masters Association and the South East District Music Festival and opened its doors to 1,183 visiting junior high school youngsters.

There are at present 111 members of the marching band inclusive of majorettes and drill team. Each member would like to thank the West Bridgewater School Committee, the School Administration and the Parents and Friends of Music, as well as other interested townspeople, for their new band and majorette uniforms.

The instrumental music program provides private after school music instruction by professional instructors.

The Student Council is a very important part of the school. The basic aims of the student council are to encourage and coordinate activities within the school, to promote practices of good citizenship, to provide a forum for student expression and to effectively promote understanding among the student body, faculty and administration.

The council again participated in the annual Christmas Parade and this activity, as well as those listed above, are attempts to foster the growth of productive and responsible citizens.

On behalf of the staff of West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you and your office staff for the patience, understanding and helpfulness that has been offered this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Erick Benson
Principal

Guidance Department

Mr. Fisher:

"The time needed for each of the activities of a guidance program will vary with social, educational, and economic conditions. To allow time for at least one counseling session, and as many more conferences as necessary for each student each year, the professionally recommended school year time ratio is one full-time guidance counselor for each 250 to 300 students."

The above is an excerpt taken from the Guidance Program Handbook published by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Education.

The attendance figures for grades seven through twelve total approximately 800 students. Such a number makes it increasingly difficult for the guidance staff to provide counseling sessions as frequently as recommended.

New regulations pertaining to student records have increased the amount of time necessary to properly maintain and disseminate information contained in them. The amount of time expended must increase when the regulations are fully implemented and a system has been devised for reviewing and destroying outdated information and logging information in order to comply with the directions contained in the law.

In view of the foregoing, it seems logical to predict that unless additional help is retained, traditional guidance functions must be drastically curtailed.

Mrs. E. Olivia Lawson's decision to retire was received with profound regret. She has served the students of West Bridgewater over the years unselfishly and has used her outstanding teaching and counseling ability to enrich the lives of all who have been committed to her professional care.

To measure her contribution to the parents and children of the town is impossible, but it is well known and shall be a cherished memory by all who have been privileged to know her as a friend, associate, or pupil.

The following is the placement report of our 1974 graduates.

WEST BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS GUIDANCE REPORT ON PLACEMENT FOR 1974

Total Continuing Education

1969 - 73%
1970 - 64%
1971 - 67%
1972 - 54%
1973 - 52%
1974 - 51%

**WEST BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS
GUIDANCE REPORT ON PLACEMENT FOR 1974**

| | TOTAL GRADUATES | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|------------------|
| | BOYS | GIRLS | TOTAL | PERCENT OF CLASS |
| Four Year Private Colleges | 9 | 6 | 15 | 14.5 |
| Four Year Public Colleges | 7 | 11 | 18 | 17.5 |
| Two Year Private Colleges | 0 | 5 | 5 | 4.8 |
| Two Year Public Colleges | 5 | 5 | 10 | 9.7 |
| Nurses Training | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1.0 |
| Vocational Training | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1.9 |
| Military | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1.9 |
| Work | 20 | 14 | 34 | 33.0 |
| Marriage | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3.0 |
| Undecided | 6 | 4 | 10 | 9.7 |
| Withdrew | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3.0 |
| TOTALS | 53 | 50 | 103 | 100.0 |

**EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO BE ATTENDED
BY MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1974**

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Blackburn College (Illinois) | Plymouth State College |
| Bridgewater State College | Princeton University |
| Butera School of Art | Quincy Junior College |
| Clark University | Roanoke College |
| Colgate University | Southeastern Massachusetts University |
| College of the Holy Cross | Southeastern Technical Institute |
| Curry College | Stonehill College |
| Hofstra University | University of Massachusetts |
| Lasell Junior College | University of Vermont |
| Massachusetts Maritime Academy | Vesper George School of Art |
| Massasoit Community College | Westfield State College |
| Northeastern University | Worcester State College |

Director of Maintenance and Chief Custodian

Dear Mr. Fisher:

This is my second Annual report.

The most important happening this year, was the opening of the Howard School. The custodians had a great deal of work to get this school ready for the pupils. Furniture had to be moved from storage to the school, cleaned and placed in the rooms. All the walls and floors in the old section were washed. All floors in the school were waxed. The grounds at the school had been neglected during the period the school was not occupied. The Custodial Staff trimmed the hedges and shrubs, also mowed the lawns. The custodians are presently painting some of the exterior doors and the front entrance. As time goes on we will continue to pick up the small jobs remaining to be done at this our fifth school.

The High School was thoroughly cleaned this summer. Walls washed, furniture washed, and where needed, refinished. All floors were waxed. The floors in the Girls' and Boys' locker rooms were painted. The gym floor was refinished. As this report is being prepared we are planning, during the Christmas vacation, to replace counter tops in the Home Economic's room. We are also going to replace sections in the No. 3 Boiler, and during the same period, work on steam traps. The steam trap work will contribute to a saving in fuel. As I write the word fuel, the thought comes to me, we should continue to conserve fuel. The cost of oil, as we all know, is high. We burn a great deal in our schools. We will always keep foremost the health and comfort of the pupils. In order to save fuel, we will drop temperatures some. I urge all parents to have their children dress warmly for winter. I have noticed pupils who complain that rooms are cold, yet they dress as if it were summer.

This summer the State gave the Food Department a 8' +8' +8' walk-in freezer. The custodians dismantled the freezer and set it up at the High School Kitchen.

Spring Street School was cleaned thoroughly and all furniture was washed. Floors were washed and waxed. All exterior wood was painted. We have replaced some exterior doors and will continue this program as the year goes on. The roof will be one of our big problems at this school in the future.

Rose L. MacDonald is a relatively new school. Most of our work is a preventative type. All the furniture was washed. Rugs were shampooed. Floors and walls washed and a coat of sealer put on all floors in the school. A small section of blacktop was added to the Fourth grade entrance. A small section of blacktop was added to the south wall of the Fourth grade wing, to prevent the unit ventilators from picking up dust and blowing it into the rooms.

Sunset School's walls, floors and furniture were all washed. Floors in the toilets were painted and general maintenance jobs completed. The custodians were able to salvage book shelves from the Howard School for use at the Sunset School Library. During the Christmas vacation, new windows will be installed on the Northwest side. Screens will also be added to keep out flying insects.

In closing I would like to thank all the personnel for the cooperation and assistance received during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni
Director of Maintenance
Chief Custodian

Principal Howard School

Dear Mr. Fisher:

It gives me pleasure to submit to you this first annual report of the Howard School, housing grades six and seven in the West Bridgewater Public Schools.

Although the Howard School was late in opening due to circumstances beyond our control, including a plumbers' strike and late arrivals of critical equipment, we have had an opportunity to occupy this building for the past three (3) months. During this time the staff and student body have found this to be an excellent educational facility from a physical point of view. The class rooms are large and well-lighted, and the special areas have proven to be most satisfactory.

The seventeen teaching stations in the Howard School have been utilized by a total of over three hundred and twenty (320) students, thirteen (13) full-time faculty members, and fourteen (14) part-time faculty members. Room utilization is 100%, three (3) periods per day, and 90% to 95% during the remainder of the day.

The basic operational philosophy of the Howard School is that of providing a smooth transition for the student from the elementary to secondary levels of education. With this in mind we have geared schedules, both bell and student, progress reporting, and many other aspects of student body activities to this theme. We have found our efforts well received by the student body.

The curriculum of academic study for this school is one of consistency — that is — one which is consistent with previous elementary preparation and one which is consistent with preparation of the student for his secondary level experiences. For the sixth grade student this involves six major academic subjects and for the seventh grade student five academic offerings plus two periods per week of industrial arts or home economics (including eight weeks of bachelor survival for boys and an equal time span of "tool know-how" for the girls). With the help of the curriculum coordinator, department chairmen and instructional staff the program of academic study has been very successfully implemented and represents a solid base of traditional offerings interrelated with modern methods of presentation and approaches via multi-media and multi-sensory experiences.

The library of the Howard School has become an integral part of the pattern of organization and, under the leadership of a full-time professional librarian, will become a true instructional resources center for the school.

We have built into the schedule of the Howard School an eight period day which allows for the provision of an "activity period". Among the activities offered are Band, five days per week in which some 72 students participate, physical education club activities, five periods per week in which over 150 youngsters participate, and we are currently in the process of organizing a journalism club and photography club to become operational soon.

Among the program of extra-curricula activities, we have been most fortunate to have a very extensive intramural program established four (4) afternoons per week under the leadership of Mr. Richard Pazasis and his Northeastern University interns. In addition, a gymnastics club operates every other Monday and grade seven (7) boys are offered the opportunity to compete in the interscholastic events of the Massasoit League with Mr. Robert Woods as coach.

If I could highlight two basic goals for the next school year they would be 1.) greater provision of adjustment counselling services for the Howard School and 2.) the provision of Home Economics and Industrial Arts instruction for grade six (6) students. Hopefully, with the help of the School Committee, these two goals will be realized next year.

The sixth and seventh grade youngster as he proceeds into adolescence is one who is experiencing the most intense and dynamic period of development—psychologically, emotionally, socially, and physically, that he may ever encounter. It is a time when he requires both firmness in behavior expectations and, at the same time, great understanding and compassion from the adults in his world—including the school staff. We are most fortunate to have a staff at the Howard School which is equal to the challenge.

In closing, I would like to express my appreciation to all students and staff members alike for their cooperation and assistance in the efficient opening and making functional the Howard School. To Mr. Jones and Mr. Peters my deepest thanks and to Mr. Benson who endured one hundred, eighty-five (185) students and an additional principal for eight (8) unanticipated weeks—my heart felt appreciation. Finally, to Mr. Fisher, I would like to say thank you for the support given me, the staff, the students, and the school system through administrative leadership of the highest calibre.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Todd
Principal

Principal Rose L. MacDonald

and Sunset Avenue Schools

Dear Mr. Fisher:

The members of the staff are to be commended for their dedication, enthusiasm, and cooperation in their continuing efforts to make the elementary curriculum responsive to the needs of their youngsters. Faculty members strive constantly to attain relevance in their day to day classroom teaching at the following four levels:

1. Teaching to each child's best learning style.
2. Using materials that are related to the child's knowledge of his physical realm of experience.
3. Using materials and methods that account for the child's feelings.
4. Using teaching content that deals with the concerns of the child. Fundamental concerns like "Who am I?", "How do I fit into the scheme of things?", "Why do I feel the way I do?".

Concerns, wants, interest, fears, anxieties, joys, and other emotions and reactions to the world contain the seeds of "motivation". Dealing with the child's inner concerns constitutes recognition of, and respect for, him.

With the completion of the Howard School overcrowded conditions have been eased. This has allowed most learning areas at the Rose L. MacDonald School to revert back to their intended purpose. However, supply closets, the stage, and planning rooms continue to be used as small-group instructional areas and in many cases specialists are working right in the classroom along with the classroom teacher.

Classes housed at Sunset Avenue School are Grade 2 (3 classes) and Grade 3 (2 classes). The Transitional Unit (3 classes), Grade 3 (1 class), and Grades 4 and 5 are now housed at the Rose L. MacDonald School. Students have been grouped heterogeneously for instructional purposes in all areas except Reading and Arithmetic.

In Grades 2 and 3 students, within each self-contained classroom, are divided into smaller homogeneous groups for Reading and Arithmetic. At the primary level the basal reading system being used is READ, *Reading Experience and Development*. The basal text for Arithmetic at the elementary level is Addison-Wesley.

In Grades 4 and 5 students, within each grade level, have been grouped homogeneously for Reading and Arithmetic. Those children who have difficulty are grouped into smaller classes in order to provide for more individual help. Throughout the school year each child's program is periodically assessed to determine what changes, if any, should be made.

Improved completion of individual child's progress chart in Reading enables that each child's new Reading teacher in the next grade continue on in September in the same Reading series, picking up where the student left off in June. More Teachers are using the Reader's Digest Skill Builders, which specialize in comprehension skills and the Barnell-Loft Reading Skill Builders, which lean heavily on word attack skills.

At the Sunset Avenue School, a small library is in the process of being established in the basement area. Within the elementary libraries records, cassettes, filmstrips, magazines, and books are increased each year with funds being divided proportionately according to enrollment.

Art continues to be an integral part of our elementary curriculum. Students work in various media with a variety of materials. Projects include -- murals, cutting and pasting, wood collages, sponge and string painting, mosaics and pencil drawings.

In our Physical Education program students are offered a range of activities. There is an attempt to emphasize those activities that will increase physical fitness and knowledge in recreational pursuits, both of which are useful and beneficial in adult life. All students are also encouraged to participate in our after school intramural and gymnastics programs.

In the elementary Vocal Music program, Grades 1-5, children develop proper vocal technique and an ability to read music. In Grade 5, all students are encouraged to participate in the chorus -- performing at the Christmas and Spring Concerts.

In Grade 4, a student may begin Instrumental Lessons (one half-hour of group instruction per week) and join the Beginners Band. Graduates then advance to the Intermediate Band which practices each morning and performs at various functions throughout the year.

Further explanation of the elementary curriculum can be found in the Elementary Curriculum Coordinators report.

I would like to make the following recommendations which *I feel are essential* if we are to provide the best possible educational program for our children.

1. IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT A QUALIFIED ADJUSTMENT COUNSELOR BE ASSIGNED TO THE ELEMENTARY GRADES. This position has been in existence for the past two years -- and the successes experienced by many of our young children with the help of the Adjustment Counselor have been overwhelming. However, we do not at this time have a counselor -- this position being vacated when the position of Director of Special Needs Services was created. Yet children who need the help still exist. I am speaking of children presently in our classrooms who, if they do not receive some kind of guidance or counseling to help them with their concerns, anxieties, fears, and/or wants, then the problems that develop may never be solved. The individual and society then pay the penalty.

2. THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE HAS CREATED THE POSITION OF ELEMENTARY READING COORDINATOR. This position should be maintained and as soon as the best qualified individual can be found he/she should be hired. I feel the reading expert in this position will be basically a teacher of teachers. One who can work actively with classroom teachers in developing the best possible reading program for each and every child. In this way Reading instruction, our most important academic task, will be constantly improved.

In closing I would like to take this opportunity to thank all personnel associated with the Sunset Avenue and Rose L. MacDonald Schools for their cooperation and assistance received during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

William M. Jones
Principal

Elementary Curriculum Coordinator and Principal Spring Street School

Dear Mr. Fisher:

This year in compliance with the State Law we began the Kindergarten program with 120 children in six sections. The philosophy proposed by the staff and approved by the School Committee will encourage the development of independence, cooperation with others, self-control, a positive self-realization, and understanding of one's body, growth in large and small motor skills, intellectual curiosity, and individual creativity.

The program will be based upon two facets: *Experience and Readiness*. Through a variety of concrete experiences, including creative art, listening and thinking activities, using and understanding oral language, mathematical concepts of number and shapes, creative music, the sciences, dramatic play and physical activities, we will stimulate the child's interest and provide a foundation for his formal education. Our goals are to develop in the child a desire to learn as he acquires the skills with which to learn.

We believe that constant interaction between parents and teacher is essential to every child's growth and development in the Kindergarten program.

Happily, the parents of the 120 children involved have shown active interest and concern and are encouraging us to provide additional enrichment for our total curriculum.

In the elementary schools, the Science program, *Concepts In Science*, has proven quite successful. More teachers are utilizing the experimental kits which are available and student interest has increased. Also available for Grades 1 through 3 is the behavioral or AAAS program. After the workshop last fall, and the enthusiasm it generated, it was recommended that this program be extended to include the kindergarten classes for the year 1975-76. This behavioral approach to Science does not require a text, yet is able to relate to a child through an awareness for his surroundings.

It is hoped that more extensive Science workshops can be held in the future.

Under the direction of Mr. Parrott, Elementary Library Coordinator, several changes have occurred in the elementary libraries this year which we hope will better enable us to fulfill our role as the learning center for our schools. There is no room for a library at the Spring Street School. In response to this we are taking the library to the classrooms on several roll around book shelves. At Sunset Avenue School we have launched a two pronged approach to library service. In addition to new noncirculating classroom collections there is now a central library with a collection of books that the students may borrow. Mrs. Paula Rubin, in addition to her regular library duties, has completely re-catalogued both of these libraries. Under the direction of Miss Mary Nelson, many new items have been added to the library at the Rose L. MacDonald School. The library Science curriculum has been strengthened and non-print materials, scattered throughout the school, are now being catalogued and housed in the library. The Howard School library is well equipped and has the potential of becoming an outstanding school library in the coming years. During the year the librarians have been encouraged and aided by the Parent-Teacher Organization, faculty, administration, parents, and students. The work of several volunteers has been very valuable.

With the help of Mrs. Kent at the primary level, homogeneous groupings by grade in Mathematics had to be eliminated, due to the fact that some classes were housed in different buildings. However, small groupings are formulated in each class to meet the needs of the pupils.

There are two study groups, one working on the minimum requirements for each grade level from grade 1-7, and the second studying plans for teaching the metric system of measurement.

In conjunction with the latter it is hoped time will be allotted for a workshop in which the faculty will be given the opportunity to discover what is expected of them in the transition to the metric system of measurement.

The elementary Social Science program is being developed to be more than a study of history and facts and figures. Rather than just presenting factual formation, the study of human beings is being expanded. Social Science teachers are exploring the entire spectrum of human knowledge, attitudes, values and actions assisting the students in understanding different cultures and their relationship to the world in which we all live.

The Pre-Band Instrumental program consists of the teaching of tonettes and recorders to the children in the primary grades. The major goals of the program are the development of muscular coordination in the hands and psycho-motor control. One must keep in mind however, that these earliest musical experiences of the child are crucial to his/her later artistic development or lack of such. To minimize frustration, the recorders, larger and more complex than the tonettes, are used exclusively in grade three. This also brings these older children closer to the goal held by many, of playing a band instrument. It is hoped that in the future more may be done in the kindergarten and grade one with simple rhythms and basic ear-training through percussion instruments and listening games in a more systematic manner. This would provide a more solid foundation for their later experiences in the general music class.

The outstanding occurrences in 1974 -- the opening of the Howard School and introduction of a public Kindergarten show great promise instructionally. The Kindergarten follows the soundest thinking in early education. Play experience is being exerted to force reading skills upon children before they are ready for them. The guided experiences in group interaction, exposure to all kinds of oral and visual language opportunities, will certainly result in an easier transition for formal language learning in grade one for those children fortunate to be in the Kindergarten.

Another long needed boost to Language Arts instruction is the services of a librarian in the elementary grades.

It has been most heartening to observe the close cooperation between sixth and seventh grade Language Arts teachers in the new Howard School. The dedication and the professional competence of these teachers is to be complimented, especially during the first month of school, which was a very trying experience in "camping out".

The gravest need at Howard School is a Reading Center. The seventh graders had the advantage of a center in the High School, where training materials and instruments were readily available at all times. While instruction continues at Howard School, the facilities for it are ninety (90%) percent non-existent. Provision for a center is a first priority. It is also desirable that a cooperative program be developed for both grades; this

will require a supervisory function in reading which is not now in existence. Language Arts supervision runs from K-12, including reading from 7-12, but below grade seven, reading is under separate supervision.

Reading is the most important task that each teacher emphasizes in the primary grades.

The results of research and observation continue to indicate that wide differences exist in children's abilities to learn to read. The fact that greater skill in reading is a factor in school success, the emphasis is placed again and again upon ways to achieve better reading skills. Small group instruction is being provided to meet the needs of pupils. **AT THIS POINT I WOULD LIKE TO EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING A READING COORDINATOR.** The selection of which should take place at the earliest possible time in order to obtain the best possible talent.

At the present time, however, our urgent need is the Elementary Counselor to replace Mr. Fantasia's old position in order that the children can be served better.

The elementary Nurse has worked closely with all the teachers, specialists, and parents to provide the proper counseling in all health problems.

Pupils in grades 1-5 are screened for tooth decay. Each child is offered the opportunity to have his/her teeth cleaned and a topical application of fluoride. The Dental Hygienist makes classroom visits and gives instruction on proper dental care to grades 1-5. The West Bridgewater Lions Club and the people of West Bridgewater are to be commended for their continued and enthusiastic support of the dental program.

I express my thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Patricia Kelley and the Parent-Volunteers who have devoted their time and energies in helping the teachers and children at the elementary schools.

Once again, I appreciate the dedication, loyalty, and positive attitudes of *all* my colleagues who have helped make this a successful year.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Peters
Elementary Curriculum Coordinator
Principal

Director of Special Needs Services

Dear Mr. Fisher:

I hereby submit my first annual report as Director of Special Needs Services. The winds of change are gusting across the educational landscape. Landmark Legislation, Chapter 766, is the vanguard of a new direction. Chapter 766, the Massachusetts Comprehensive Special Education Acts of 1972, is an Education Bill of Rights. Essentially, the State Department points to the following features of Chapter 766. Chapter 766 presents a realistic approach to provide for human diversity within a structured system. It is teachers, parents, and students participating in the design and construction of individualized educational plans. Further the goal of Chapter 766 is not to provide special treatment but that each student be treated specially. Chapter 766 calls for an atmosphere of controlled flexibility in which differences among children are welcomed, encouraged, and cared for. The new law mandates that the local school system provides every person ages 3 to 21 with a program appropriate to his/her needs. The program is planned and designed by a Core Evaluation Team, a group of professionals that may include a doctor, nurse, social worker, or counselor, a psychologist, the student's school department. The parent not only has the right to participate but may also bring a professional who is currently working with the child outside the school system.

The needs of each student in the West Bridgewater Public Schools can be met through no less than 26 special needs programs. The educational alternatives are provided within the community, through contractual arrangements with other public schools or agencies and collaboratives.

The following is an overview of some of these programs:

THE CENTER FOR INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT

The Center for Individual Development is a program for the multihandicapped located at the Spring Street School. It is a collaborative program serving the towns of West Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Bridgewater, Middleboro, and Raynham and was established on a grant from the State Department of Education. It serves children who are severely impaired by cerebral palsy or other physical and mental handicaps between the ages of four and ten.

The goal of the program is to enhance the social and educational growth of the handicapped child. Serving initially as a transitional facility for the return of the hospital or home-bound child to the community. The program's main thrust is to follow through prescriptive therapeutic educative planning.

The staff of the Center for Individual Development has designed a prescriptive educational program for each child which includes individualized instruction in basic cognitive skills or beginning reading and math skills. The children also receive daily physical therapy and daily instruction in the development of expressive and receptive language skills. Also the program will soon be adding the services of an occupational therapist. The physical and occupational therapy are being provided as a result of grants received from United Cerebral Palsy and March of Dimes. Many of the children are also on a special feeding program to teach chewing, swallowing, sucking or self feeding skills.

Although most of the children require a substantially separate program, those who are able are integrated into regular classroom programs. Integration is also achieved by joining regular classes for assemblies, movies, recess, and other activities.

A volunteer program has been initiated to provide the necessary individual attention for each child. The volunteers include students from the High School, the Howard School, and Bridgewater State College, as well as parent volunteers.

A parent group is being planned in January to provide an opportunity for social exchange between parents of handicapped children. Future plans include providing a summer recreation class for the multi-handicapped and increasing the number of students served.

LEARNING DISABILITIES

Pre-school registration proved to be a most involved and valuable experience for the Learning Disability staff with the screening of incoming first graders and for the first time, entering Kindergarten youngsters.

During vacation, the summer program was again offered to a limited number of children, who continued their perceptual training in many varied activities.

Much of the fall session has been spent in diagnostic testing of those High Risk children identified through pre-school screening, the screening of late registrants, transfers to our school system and teacher referrals.

Services of the Learning Disability program have broadened to include training within the classroom, as an integral part of the daily program, individual tutoring, diagnostic and consulting services to classroom teachers and a resource center. These varied approaches are provided according to the needs of each child.

Our newest program, the Resource Center, at the newly acquired Howard School, is enjoying positive results in its effort both to train perceptual skills and to encourage a sense of responsibility and independent work habits for sixth and seventh graders.

We look forward to a year of continued growth and learning both for our pupils and ourselves.

RESOURCE CENTER

As in the past the resource center emphasizes the acquisition of practical skills, ranging from developing appropriate behavior in a variety of situations, consumer skills, such as, manipulation of money and developing career awareness. Other services are provided in the effort to integrate students into the mainstream wherever appropriate, as the students' educational plans indicate. Resource Center staff members act as advocates for special needs students, observing them in class and assisting the mainstream teachers in their efforts to make the integration process successful.

The Resource Center goals as described here are being met through the cooperation of many mainstream teachers, as well as administrators, who are sincere in their desire to provide the best and most appropriate services for students with special needs.

However, in order to realize these goals at the Howard School, we hope in the future that a classroom and a full time resource teacher will be provided so that the practical skills and integration programs may be carried through on a full time basis.

SPEECH PROGRAM

Our clinical speech program provides language, speech and hearing services to youngsters in grades K-6. The services are provided by one full time clinician and one part-time clinician, who are professionally trained to alleviate, mitigate, or correct communication problems of an individual.

The school speech clinician works with a variety of problems in the areas of articulation, speech sound production, language-semantics, grammar, syntax, fluency-stuttering, cluttering, and hearing-lip reading, speech reading, auditory training and the proper care of hearing aids.

Procedures utilized are based upon diagnosis and there is no "one technique", there are many and they are used in a discriminating manner so as to afford the greatest opportunities for improvement.

At this time, our strength lies in a very sound clinical speech program. Our weakness, lies in the lack of sufficient personnel to research, record and implement therapeutic programs for all children identified as requiring speech services.

SECONDARY RESOURCE CENTER

The services provided by the Secondary Resource room are totally dependent upon the special needs of the students. This year the majority of referred students have or will receive full core Chapter 766 evaluations that lead to support in mainstream academic programming with some limited remediation intervention. With most of these students integrated in mainstream classrooms, the utilization of optimal individual learning style must be stressed for their success in these classrooms. Methods to bring about implementation of the desired individualized instruction include, in-service training workshops, showing and helping the regular classroom how to best serve the student's needs within her/his classroom.

Very often the disabled learner, after years of failure, is not motivated within the regular high school program. Therefore, alternative education programs, including vocational and career education, should be provided. The lowly-motivated continually failing students, behavior problems or developmentally disabled students are telling us; "We can't do it, we don't understand, or we'll never use it." These students have not been able to fit into the traditional school roles and programs hence their failure. Our purpose is to create roles and programs to meet their special needs. The student needs something he or she is going to use and realistically can accomplish. If we give them this direction, we are preparing them to become contributing and working members of the community.

LEARNING CENTER

The Learning Center is a program for children with moderate behavior and learning problems serving the primary age population in West Bridgewater. It also includes Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, and Raynham on a tuition agreement. This program is located at the Spring Street School in West Bridgewater, housing 8-10 children. It is anticipated all children served will receive a full core evaluation.

SUMMER RECREATIONAL PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN WITH DEFINED ABILITIES

This program includes various activities: games, such as, social games, team games, individual sports, track and field games, gymnastics, callisthenics, playground activities,

arts and crafts, music, hobbies, instruction media, parties, nature interest, and field trips.

In order for a child to be eligible for the summer recreational program, he/she must have been at least six years old and less than twenty-one years old as of January 1st. The child must have had previous school experience and must be completely toilet trained.

Although Special Needs Services in the West Bridgewater Public Schools has progressed, like Thursday's Child, it has far to go. The emphasis of Chapter 766 is placed on early identification and intervention, however, the needs of the adolescent must be met with equal impact. At a time when the job market is tight, occupational vocational training **MUST** be a high priority. To produce a graduate with "marketable skills" is an imperative of practicality. Special services at the secondary level is just dawning. The Resource Center at the West Bridgewater High School cannot be all things to all students. The need for vocational occupational specialist is a salient need.

The elementary program is missing an essential catalyst to successful special needs development -- a counselor. Counseling services during the past two years has proven to be a significant cog in the total growth and educational life of the child. This position has yet to be filled, since my transfer from Adjustment Counselor to the Director of Special Needs Services. Together with a Reading Coordinator at the elementary level, an adjustment counselor is an integral aspect of the delivery network to children.

The magnitude of Chapter 766 is yet to be realized. However, gaps and weaknesses are already apparent. Training and awareness of change are two areas of need. Training of professional staff to meet the requirements of implementation of Chapter 766 is a mammoth task. The role of the teacher is in transition. The teacher during the next decade will become "teacher-clinician"; diagnosing, prescribing and implementing within an academic framework.

Special Needs Services is moving to develop a comprehensive series workshops, training programs, and a professional resource clearing house to improve the clinician and the teaching skills of the total school staff. In conjunction with School of Applied Social Services at Boston University, a grant to resolve the training issue has been presented to the National Institute for Mental Health. As of this writing, indications are favorable that the SNS staff will share the benefits of this \$90,000 proposal. This prospective grant and the funding of the Center for Individual Development are examples of other new directions.

Professional personnel and School Committees must seek innovative and alternative ways to fund needed programs. Chapter 766 makes it the responsibility of the School Committee to provide for the support of mandated educational plans. The citizenry must examine its values and priorities.

Shall we all join together and use, as the measure of our worth as a society, the concern of one generation for the next?

I wish to thank Committee members, Administrators, Faculty members, and all caring people who are supporting special needs services to the West Bridgewater Community.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert A. Fantasia
Director of Special Needs

Food Service Director

Dear Mr. Fisher:

This is my second report for the School Food Service Program.

Despite the astronomical rise in food, labor, and service costs, the School Food Service program is still serving nutritious lunches, meeting the standard established by the Massachusetts Bureau of Nutrition.

This fall, Howard School opened, adding additional expenses without added income. The food is prepared in the central kitchen, but serving and cleaning up is done by a staff of four (4). Between 250 and 325 meals are served in this school daily.

Regardless of added expenses, costs have been kept at a minimum due to a hard working and dedicated staff and, with the help of government commodities, we have managed to keep the price increase for students to five (5) cents. Forty (40) cents per lunch is very reasonable, (for meat, vegetables, dessert and milk) these days.

West Bridgewater Schools have between 75-80% student participation daily, which is a very high percentage according to reports from the State School Lunch Office.

Several staff members, along with myself, attend the many work shops, seminars and food service meetings which prove to be very informative and helpful throughout the year.

Hopefully, there will be no more price increases for school lunches, but this depends on the economy of the nation.

Parents are welcome to visit any of the five schools where lunches are served.

Respectfully submitted,

Beverly A. Reynolds
Food Service Director

Directory of Teachers

TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL

S. Erick Benson, M. Ed.
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 Rancourt LaRosa, M.M.
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 Paul Lucius, Jr., B.A.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

High School Principal
 Ass't. H. S. Principal
 Household Arts
 Social Studies
 Science
 Latin
 Science
 English
 Social Studies
 French
 Librarian
 Physical Education, Girls
 Mathematics

French
 French
 Business
 Physical Education, Girls
 English
 Special Education
 Vocal Music
 Science
 Instrumental Music
 Household Arts
 Mathematics

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Rhode Island College
 University of Massachusetts
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 St Paul's College
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Sorbonne, University of Paris
 Loyola University of Chicago
 State College at Bridgewater
 Newton College of the Sacred
 Heart
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Salem State College
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 Lesley College, Cambridge
 Marywood College
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston Conservatory of Music
 University of Alabama
 State College at Bridgewater

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 Arthur Means
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 Mrs. Patricia A. Murphy, B.S.
 Miss Ronnie Neckes, B.S.
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 Allen Rapp, M. Ed.
 Stanley Reed, M. Ed.
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 Mrs. Sandra A. Reese, B.S.
 Mrs. Marie A. Rosenthal, M. Ed.
 Mrs. Carol A. Russell, B.S.
 Miss Martha Russell, M. Ed.
 Paul Sargent, M. Ed.
 Norman Shaw, C.A.S.
 Miss Ann Spileos, B.A.
 Gerald Swift, B.A.
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 Mrs. Estell F. Wenson, M.S.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

English
 English
 Reading
 Latin
 Industrial Arts
 Science
 Science
 English
 Art
 Industrial Arts
 Speech
 Business
 Social Studies
 Physical Education, Boys
 Biology
 Social Studies
 English
 Social Studies
 Business
 Spanish
 Mathematics
 Mathematics
 Art
 English
 Mathematics
 Mathematics
 Mathematics
 English

PREPARATION

Brandeis University
 Boston University
 Brandeis University
 Boston College

 State College at Bridgewater
 Union College, Schenectady
 University of Massachusetts
 Albion College, Michigan
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 Central Conn. State College
 Boston University
 Boston University
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 University of Illinois
 Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 Wesleyan University, Conn.
 Massachusetts College of Art
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Boston
 State College at Bridgewater
 Wesleyan University, Conn.
 State University of New York
 at Albany

TEACHERS

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GRADE OR SUBJECT

Principal
 English
 Mathematics
 Grade 6
 Grade 6
 Grade 6
 Grade 6
 Language Arts
 Grade 6
 Special Education
 Science
 Science
 Social Studies
 Librarian Coordinator, Elementary
 Music & Art
 English
 Science
 Social Studies

PREPARATION

State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Stonehill College
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Worcester
 Suffolk University
 Salem State College
 Eastern Nazarene College
 Bridgewater State College
 Stanford University, Calif.
 University of Pittsburgh
 State College at Bridgewater
 Mars Hill College, N.C.
 State College at Salem
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 University of Maine

Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater

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| Mrs. Joyce R. Francis, B.A. | Grade 4 | Barrington College |
| Mrs. Barbara A. Gross, B.S. | Grade 4 | University of Washington |
| Arthur T. Hogan, B.M. | Music, Elementary | Boston University |
| Mrs. Anna A. Howe, B.S. | Grade 5 | State College at Bridgewater |
| Mrs. Katherine T. Keough, B.S. | Grade 4 | Worcester Teachers College |
| Mrs. Judith M. Lopes, B.S. | Grade 3 | State College at Worcester |
| Miss Fontaine J. Metta, B.S. | Grade 5 | State College at Bridgewater |
| Miss Mary E. Nelson, B.S. | Reading and Librarian | State College at Bridgewater |
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 Mrs. Paula Rubin, M. Ed.
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 Mrs. Barbara Edson

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GRADE OR SUBJECT

Special Education
 Grade 2
 Grade 3
 Grade 2
 Librarian
 Grade 1
 Music

Head Teacher, Grade 3
 Grade 2
 Grade 3
 Grade 2
 Grade 2
 Grade 3

English
 Mathematics
 Science
 Social Studies
 Business
 Guidance Director
 Guidance Director

PREPARATION

State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Lesley Normal
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater

State College at Bridgewater
 State College at Bridgewater
 Tufts University
 Eastern State Normal
 State College at Bridgewater
 New York State University,
 Brockport

Boston University
 State College at Bridgewater
 University of Vermont
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 State College at Bridgewater
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GRADE OR SUBJECT

Director of Special Needs

Special Education

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Special Education

L.D. Specialist

L.D. Specialist

L.D. Specialist

L.D. Tutor

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Title I

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Library

PREPARATION

Boston State College

Curry College

Boston University

Westfield State College

State College at Bridgewater

Boston College

Boston State College

State College at Bridgewater

State College at Bridgewater

Simmons College

Framingham State College

Keene State College

Boston University

State College at Bridgewater

State College at Bridgewater

State College at Bridgewater

State College at Bridgewater

University of Pittsburgh

State College at Bridgewater

University of Cincinnati

State College at Bridgewater

Treasurer's Report

In every prior year, the Treasurer has had to list the monies the Town has been forced to borrow.

This year we have not had to borrow! In fact, we were able to carefully invest and receive interest on our investments in the amount of \$66,846.06.

Respectfully submitted,

Jóseph F. McCann
Treasurer

TO BE APPROPRIATED FOR JULY 1, 1975 – JUNE 30, 1976 RE-PAYMENT OF BONDS

| DEPARTMENT | BOND PRINCIPAL | BOND INTEREST | TOTAL |
|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| School Bonds | \$140,000.00 | \$ 66,997.50 | \$206,997.50 |
| Water Bonds | 102,000.00 | 38,302.75 | 140,302.75 |
| Various Bonds | <u>15,000.00</u> | <u>305.00</u> | <u>15,305.00</u> |
| TOTALS | <u>\$257,000.00</u> | <u>\$105,605.25</u> | <u>\$362,605.25</u> |

**Annual Report
of the
Town Accountant
of
West Bridgewater
Massachusetts**

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1974

To the Board of Selectmen:

I submit herewith my Annual Report in accordance with Section 61, Chapter 41, General Laws, for the year ending June 30, 1974.

Arthur E. Chaves

Town Accountant

TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER
BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1974

Exhibit A

| ASSETS | | GENERAL FUND | | LIABILITIES AND RESERVES | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|---|----------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Cash - general fund | \$356,245.01 | Unexpended appropriations - Schedule A: | | | |
| School Construction | 373,153.73 | General | \$484,313.05 | | |
| Federal Revenue Sharing | 59,361.57 | Water | 150,411.26 | | |
| Investments - General | 800,000.00 | Revenue Sharing | 1,324.00 | | 636,048.31 |
| Revenue Sharing | 100,000.00 | Reserve for Abatements: | | | |
| Taxes Receivable: | | 1974 | 11,310.02 | | |
| Real Estate - 1974 | 66,732.89 | 1972 | 142.80 | | 11,452.82 |
| Personal Property - 1974 | 967.59 | Reserve Fund - Overlay Surplus | | | 9,888.87 |
| 1973 | 625.00 | Special Tax Revenue | | | 2,537.54 |
| 1972 | 142.80 | Federal Revenue Sharing Funds | | | 49,495.57 |
| Taxes in litigation | | Revenue Reserved Until Collected: | | | |
| Tax Titles | 46,922.24 | Tax Title & Redemptions | | 50,093.00 | |
| Tax Possessions | 3,170.76 | Motor Vehicle Excise | | 82,158.90 | |
| Motor Vehicle Excise: | | Departmental Receivables | | 44,628.24 | |
| 1974 | 58,780.32 | Highway - Chapter 90 | | 22,897.49 | |
| 1973 | 16,825.90 | Water Receivables | | 18,858.64 | 218,636.27 |
| 1972 | 4,803.65 | Overestimates: | | | |
| 1971 | 1,252.91 | Air Pollution | | 55.16 | |
| 1970 | 496.12 | County Tax | | 13,180.48 | |
| Departmental Receivables: | | Parks & Reservations | | 2,537.50 | 15,773.14 |
| Veterans Services | 44,534.74 | Employee Taxes Withheld | | | 75,649.34 |
| Farm Animal Excise | 93.50 | Appropriation Control - 1975 | | | 4,319,990.71 |
| Highway - Chapter 90: | | Surplus Revenue - Exhibit B | | | 456,970.54 |
| State | 15,265.00 | | | | |
| County | 7,632.49 | | | | |
| Water Rates Receivable | | | | | |
| Overlay - Excess over Reserve: | | | | | |
| 1971 | 1,032.12 | | | | |
| 1970 | 28.15 | | | | |
| Underestimates: | | | | | |
| Mosquito Control | 468.00 | | | | |
| County Hospital | 3,253.94 | | | | |
| Legal Overdraft - Fire | | | | | |
| Revenue - 1975: | | | | | |
| General | 3,710,088.31 | | | | |
| Water | 98,970.00 | | | | |
| TOTALS | 3,809,058.31 | TOTALS | \$5,796,443.11 | | \$5,796,443.11 |

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

| | | | |
|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Cash and Securities | \$ 101,860.46 | Stabilization Fund | \$ 32,261.46 |
| | | Library Funds | 44,511.98 |
| | | Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds | 17,169.17 |
| | | W.J. & A.C. Howard | |
| | | Scholarship Fund | 5,192.97 |
| | | Conservation Fund | 2,724.88 |
| TOTAL | <u>\$ 101,860.46</u> | TOTAL | <u>\$ 101,860.46</u> |

DEBT FUND

| | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Net Funded or Fixed Debt | \$2,685,000.00 | School Loans | \$1,725,000.00 |
| | | Water Loans | 930,000.00 |
| | | Highway Construction Loans | 30,000.00 |
| TOTAL | <u>\$2,685,000.00</u> | TOTAL | <u>\$2,685,000.00</u> |

UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS

SCHEDULE A

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------|
| General: | | |
| Highway – Chapter 90 Construction | | \$ 18,901.44 |
| Highway – Arch Street Bridge | | 12,000.00 |
| Highway – Drainage | | 18,928.92 |
| Highway – Sidewalk Construction | | 10,169.00 |
| Highway – Chapter 1140 Section 20 | | 8,226.00 |
| Highway – Traffic Lights | | 24,991.75 |
| School – Hot Lunch | | 2,224.75 |
| School Athletics | | 1,031.32 |
| School – Title I | | 389.62 |
| School Construction – Howard | | 373,153.73 |
| School 92-318 Business 1974 | | 3,861.55 |
| W.J. & A.C. Howard Scholarship Fund | | 334.74 |
| Accrued Interest – Bonds School | | 1,415.56 |
| State Aid To Libraries | | 2,682.00 |
| Library – County Dog Fund | | 23.64 |
| Conservation Fund | | 2,109.02 |
| Conservation Fund Contributions | | 370.00 |
| Historical Commission | | 3,500.00 |
| Total General | | <u>\$ 484,313.05</u> |

| | | |
|-------------------------|--|----------------------|
| Water: | | |
| Mains – Route 28 | | \$ 11,432.17 |
| Standpipe | | 112,923.55 |
| Mains – General | | 11,014.62 |
| Test Wells | | 7,060.69 |
| Mains – Pleasant Street | | 6,980.23 |
| Injection Wells | | 1,000.00 |
| Total Water | | <u>\$ 150,411.26</u> |

| | | |
|--------------------------|--|----------------------|
| Water – Revenue Sharing: | | |
| Injection Wells | | <u>\$ 1,324.00</u> |
| TOTAL | | <u>\$ 636,048.31</u> |

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY – JUNE 30, 1974

EXHIBIT B

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| January 1, 1973 Balance | | | \$ 274,177.92 |
| Add – | | | |
| Tax Title redemptions and sales | \$ 40,189.80 | | |
| State and county aid to highways | 25,000.00 | | |
| Sale of Fixtures | 500.00 | | |
| Water – Surplus Excess Receipts | 6,874.26 | | |
| Unexpended appropriations | 105,111.47 | | |
| Estimated receipts – excess of actual | | | |
| Over estimated – Schedule C | 296,531.12 | | |
| Restore unclaimed checks | <u>249.11</u> | | <u>474,455.76</u> |
| Total | | | <u>748,633.68</u> |
| Deduct – Tax title takings | 57,924.47 | | |
| Taxes in litigation | 205.67 | | |
| Appropriations: | | | |
| Year ended June 30, 1974: | | | |
| Chapter 90 Construction | 28,125.00 | | |
| Stabilization Fund | 10,000.00 | | |
| Historical Commission | 3,500.00 | | |
| Veterans Services | <u>9,000.00</u> | 50,625.00 | |
| Year ended June 30, 1975: | | | |
| Chapter 90 Construction | 20,226.00 | | |
| Stabilization Fund | 10,000.00 | | |
| Reduce tax rate | <u>150,000.00</u> | 180,226.00 | |
| Recapitulation adjustment – library | | <u>2,682.00</u> | <u>291,663.14</u> |
| June 30, 1974 Balance | | | <u>\$ 456,970.54</u> |

SCHEDULE OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS – 1974

| SOURCE | Estimated | Actual | Excess |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Local aid agency funds | 1,108,530.51 | 1,195,338.48 | 86,807.97 |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 153,000.00 | 304,076.78 | 151,076.78 |
| Licenses | 21,900.00 | 29,733.56 | 7,833.56 |
| Fines | 1,900.00 | 5,821.11 | 3,921.11 |
| General Government | 20,000.00 | 20,463.98 | 463.98 |
| School | 14,600.00 | 15,859.72 | 1,259.72 |
| Interest | 15,000.00 | 59,351.56 | 44,351.56 |
| Farm Animal Excise | <u>933.13</u> | <u>1,749.57</u> | <u>816.44</u> |
| Total | <u>1,335,863.64</u> | <u>1,632,394.76</u> | <u>296,531.12</u> |
| Water | <u>133,067.00</u> | <u>139,553.16</u> | <u>6,486.16</u> |

RESERVE FUND

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Selectmen | \$ 2,703.43 |
| Election & Registration | 190.96 |
| Appeals Board | 75.32 |
| Dog Officer | 1,207.00 |
| Fire | 644.43 |
| Tree Warden | 1,726.63 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 209.00 |
| Assessors | 1,366.00 |
| Highway | 25.73 |
| Veterans Services | 15,000.00 |
| Howard School Operations | 2,942.83 |
| Town Reports | 2,975.94 |
| Insurance -- Group | 932.73 |
| Total | <u>\$ 30,000.00</u> |

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

| | |
|---|---------------------|
| Received from U. S. Government | \$245,844.00 |
| Interest earned | 11,255.80 |
| Unexpended appropriations restored to account | <u>4,937.77</u> |
| Total | 262,037.57 |
| Deduct: | |
| Appropriations -- 1974 | \$104,000.00 |
| 1975 | <u>108,542.00</u> |
| | <u>212,542.00</u> |
| Fund balance -- June 30, 1974 | <u>\$ 49,495.57</u> |

*Included in appropriations control -- 1975 on Balance Sheet

SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE:

Taxes:

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| Property | \$ 3,572,673.52 |
| Tax Title redemption | 40,577.90 |
| Farm Animal excise | 1,749.57 |

From the state:

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Vocation education | \$ 30,212.00 |
| Chapter 70 valuation | 769,649.51 |
| Special education 79-71 | 83,131.41 |
| Construction | 65,320.80 |
| Transportation | 70,997.35 |
| Education Occupational 74-5 | 4,592.00 |
| Regional school | 83,405.24 |
| Census | 1,559.25 |
| Highway safety | 975.00 |
| Corporation Local tax | 6,190.39 |
| Lottery | 35,611.74 |
| Highway Chapter 616 | 8,896.00 |
| Highway Chapter 497 | 12,699.60 |
| Beano | 3,011.65 |
| Veterans services | 17,014.54 |

| | | |
|---|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Highway Chapter 1140 | 84,576.00 | |
| Highway Chapter 90 | 18,750.00 | |
| Hot lunch | 74,782.17 | |
| Title III | 1,874.36 | |
| Title II | 4,279.60 | |
| Title I | 10,361.00 | |
| School tuition | 4,625.00 | |
| Title 874 | 10,380.00 | |
| School 90-576 | 3,489.00 | |
| School 92-318 | 23,449.00 | |
| Miscellaneous | <u>700.00</u> | 1,430,532.61 |
| Federal revenue sharing | 187,382.00 | |
| Federal revenue sharing interest | <u>11,255.80</u> | 198,637.80 |
| From the county: | | |
| Dog fund | | 2,593.88 |
| Privileges: | | |
| Motor vehicle excise | 300,185.69 | |
| Trailer excise | <u>9,231.00</u> | 309,416.29 |
| Departmental: | | |
| Selectmen – Permits | 8,287.00 | |
| Treasurer-Collector – Charges and fees | 3,249.00 | |
| Town Clerk – Permits | 21,446.92 | |
| Town Hall – Rental | 959.00 | |
| Police – Fines and permits | 2,610.00 | |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures – Permits | 466.40 | |
| Health – Permits | 1,364.00 | |
| Schools: | | |
| Tuition | 4,625.00 | |
| Hot Lunches | 118,969.65 | |
| Athletics | 3,263.75 | |
| Driver Education | 5,225.74 | |
| Rents | 482.60 | |
| Miscellaneous | 5,526.38 | |
| Libraries – Fines and permits | 654.51 | |
| Public Services: | | |
| Water sales and services | <u>139,624.55</u> | 316,754.50 |
| Interest: | | |
| Investments | | 66,846.06 |
| Taxes and excise | | 9,399.91 |
| Municipal indebtedness: | | |
| Anticipation of revenue loans | | 983,435.65 |
| Sale of school bonds | | 652,034.50 |
| Agency: | | |
| Dog licenses for county | | 5,912.80 |
| Payroll taxes, insurance and retirement | | 864,894.21 |
| EEA | | 55,000.00 |
| Police revolving | | 29,516.74 |
| Refunds | | <u>15,157.79</u> |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS | | <u><u>\$8,555,133.73</u></u> |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

| Account | Unexpended Balance 1-1-73 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue | Unexpended Balance 6-30-74 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Selectmen | - | 12,610.00 | 2,703.43 | - | 15,313.43 | - | - |
| Accountant | - | 7,880.00 | - | - | 7,874.93 | 5.07 | - |
| Treasurer-Collector | - | 43,285.00 | - | - | 42,555.19 | 729.81 | - |
| Assessors | - | 13,800.00 | 1,366.00 | - | 14,876.35 | 289.65 | - |
| Town Clerk | - | 14,250.00 | - | - | 14,171.46 | 78.54 | - |
| Election & Registration | - | 7,169.00 | 190.96 | - | 7,359.96 | - | - |
| Town Hall Expense | - | 16,705.00 | - | - | 16,525.81 | 179.19 | - |
| Finance Committee | - | 600.00 | - | - | 372.79 | 227.21 | - |
| Moderator | - | 105.00 | - | - | 105.00 | - | - |
| Law - Town Counsel | - | 9,000.00 | - | - | 8,118.86 | 881.14 | - |
| Contributory Retirement | - | 59,856.00 | - | - | 59,856.00 | - | - |
| Police | - | 375,843.00 | - | - | 373,384.64 | 2,458.36 | - |
| Police Revolving | - | - | - | 29,516.74 | 29,516.74 | - | - |
| Police Cruisers - Revenue Sharing | - | 6,500.00 | - | - | 6,500.00 | - | - |
| Police Cruisers | - | 100.00 | - | - | - | 100.00 | - |
| Fire | - | 121,335.00 | 644.43 | - | 126,179.62 | - | (4,200.19) |
| Fire - Generator | - | 7,500.00 | - | - | 6,698.00 | 802.00 | - |
| Town Hall - Roof - Revenue Sharing | - | 5,500.00 | - | - | 5,500.00 | - | - |
| Town Hall - Roof | - | 400.00 | - | - | 39.70 | 360.30 | - |
| Tree Warden | - | 64,745.00 | 1,726.63 | - | 66,471.63 | - | - |
| Tree Warden - Truck - Revenue Sharing | - | 39,000.00 | - | - | 3,772.73 | 127.27 | - |
| Tree Warden - Truck | - | 100.00 | - | - | 6.60 | 93.40 | - |
| Appeals Board | - | 750.00 | 75.32 | - | 825.32 | - | - |
| Civil Defense | - | 1,160.00 | - | - | 995.20 | 164.80 | - |
| Exchange | - | - | - | 55,661.37 | 55,661.37 | - | - |
| Inspector of Buildings | - | 13,290.00 | - | - | 12,929.51 | 360.49 | - |
| Dog Officer | - | 3,405.00 | 1,207.00 | - | 4,612.00 | - | - |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS contd.

| Account | Unexpended Balance 1-1-73 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue | Unexpended Balance 6-30-74 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Gas Inspector | — | 1,500.00 | — | — | 930.00 | 570.00 | — |
| Wire Inspector | — | 1,500.00 | — | — | 1,262.35 | 237.65 | — |
| Industrial Development Commission | — | 350.00 | — | — | — | 350.00 | — |
| Engineering Services | — | 1,500.00 | — | — | — | 1,500.00 | — |
| Hydrants | — | 16,400.00 | — | — | 16,400.00 | — | — |
| Planning Board | — | 1,540.00 | — | — | 857.50 | 682.50 | — |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | — | 570.00 | 209.00 | — | 778.00 | 1.00 | — |
| Health | — | 19,936.00 | — | — | 19,314.93 | 621.07 | — |
| Zoning By-Laws | 500.00 | — | — | — | — | 500.00 | — |
| Town Waterways | 800.00 | — | — | — | — | 800.00 | — |
| Highway | — | 278,379.00 | 25.73 | — | 278,404.73 | — | — |
| Highway — Chapter 90 Construction | 2,406.20 | 37,500.00 | — | — | 21,004.76 | — | 18,901.44 |
| Highway — Chapter 90 Maintenance | 6,000.00 | — | — | — | — | 6,000.00 | — |
| Street Lighting — Revenue Sharing | — | 29,000.00 | — | — | 28,236.00 | 764.00 | — |
| Street Lighting | — | 2,945.00 | — | 286.44 | 3,231.44 | — | — |
| Arch Street Bridge | — | 12,000.00 | — | — | — | — | — |
| Drainage | 5,208.93 | 15,000.00 | — | — | 1,280.00 | — | 12,000.00 |
| Sidewalk Construction | 5,000.00 | 10,000.00 | — | — | 4,831.00 | — | 18,928.93 |
| Highway — Chap. 1140 Sec. 20 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 10,169.00 |
| Highway — Chap. 1140 Sec. 22 | — | — | — | 31,716.00 | 23,490.00 | — | 8,226.00 |
| Traffic Lights — Elm Square | 25,000.00 | — | — | 52,860.00 | 52,860.00 | — | — |
| Veterans Services | — | 80,217.00 | — | — | 8.25 | — | 24,991.75 |
| School | — | 2,696,207.00 | 15,000.00 | — | 95,144.68 | 72.32 | — |
| School Hot Lunch | 2,325.92 | — | — | — | 2,695,740.25 | 466.75 | — |
| School Athletics — Revolving | 350.43 | — | — | 193,751.82 | 193,852.99 | — | 2,224.75 |
| School Athletics | — | 32,450.00 | — | 3,263.75 | 2,582.86 | — | 1,031.32 |
| School — Title I | 6,642.31 | — | — | 10,361.00 | 32,450.00 | — | — |
| | | | | | 16,613.69 | — | 389.62 |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS contd.

| Account | Unexpended Balance 1-1-73 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue | Unexpended Balance 6-30-74 |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| School - Title II | 72.30 | - | - | 4,279.60 | 4,351.90 | - | - |
| School - Title III | 1,854.90 | - | - | 1,874.36 | 3,728.36 | 90 | - |
| School Zoning | - | 13,000.00 | - | - | 8,912.50 | 4,087.50 | - |
| School Construction - Elementary | 3,107.36 | - | - | - | 3,107.36 | - | - |
| School Construction - Howard | - | 685,000.00 | - | - | 311,846.27 | - | 373,153.73 |
| Vocational Education | - | 5,170.00 | - | - | 4,002.11 | 1,167.89 | - |
| National Defense Act - 874 | 16,078.00 | - | - | 10,380.00 | 26,458.00 | - | - |
| School - Roof repairs | 2,937.00 | - | - | - | 2,937.00 | - | - |
| Howard School Acquisition | 10,000.00 | - | - | - | 10,000.00 | - | - |
| School Business 92-318 | - | - | - | 23,449.00 | 19,587.45 | - | - |
| Howard School Operations | 6,024.04 | - | - | - | 8,966.87 | - | 3,861.55 |
| Howard School Renovations | 3,548.74 | - | 2,942.83 | - | 3,548.74 | - | - |
| W.J. & A.C. Howard Scholarship | 347.60 | - | - | 400.14 | 413.00 | - | 334.74 |
| Regional School | - | 66,897.00 | - | - | 66,897.00 | - | - |
| School Demolition - Packard | - | 4,500.00 | - | - | 4,500.00 | - | - |
| School Demolition - Drury | - | 6,500.00 | - | - | 6,500.00 | - | - |
| Legal Obligations - 1972 | - | 506.00 | - | - | 506.00 | - | - |
| Police - Medical Bill - Ames | - | 912.64 | - | - | 912.64 | - | - |
| Bond Premium - School | - | - | - | 2,034.50 | 2,034.50 | - | - |
| Accrued Interest - School | - | - | - | 1,415.56 | - | - | 1,415.56 |
| Libraries | - | - | - | - | 49,800.36 | 2.74 | - |
| Library Trust Funds #1 | - | 49,803.10 | - | 2,468.22 | 2,468.22 | - | - |
| Library Trust Funds #2 | - | - | - | 1,508.84 | 1,508.84 | - | - |
| Library Trust Funds #3 | - | - | - | 1,513.19 | 1,513.19 | - | - |
| Library Trust Fund Principal | - | - | - | 2,315.37 | 2,315.37 | - | - |
| State Aid to Libraries | 2,682.00 | - | - | 5,364.00 | 5,364.00 | - | 2,682.00 |
| County Dog Fund | 2,452.10 | - | - | 2,593.88 | 5,022.34 | - | 23.64 |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS contd.

| Account | Unexpended Balance 1-1-73 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue Surplus | Unexpended Balance 6-30-74 |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|----------|------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Bonds & Interest | - | 547,807.50 | - | - | 474,015.60 | 73,791.90 | - |
| Christmas Decorations | - | 650.00 | - | - | 169.61 | 480.39 | - |
| Conservation Commission - Fund | 280.80 | 7,219.00 | - | 1,250.00 | 6,640.78 | - | 2,109.02 |
| Conservation Commission - Expenses | - | 3,400.00 | - | - | 3,400.00 | - | - |
| Conservation - Ford Foundation | - | - | - | 750.00 | 750.00 | - | - |
| Conservation - Land | 1,250.00 | - | - | - | 1,250.00 | - | - |
| Conservation - Contributions | 270.00 | - | - | 100.00 | - | - | - |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | - | - | - | 1,197.60 | 1,197.60 | - | 370.00 |
| Council on Aging | 1,161.86 | 2,700.00 | - | - | 3,835.74 | 26.12 | - |
| Historical Commission | - | 3,500.00 | - | - | - | - | 3,500.00 |
| Insurance - Casualty | - | 55,000.00 | - | - | 52,750.90 | 2,249.10 | - |
| Insurance - Group | - | 58,000.00 | 932.73 | - | 58,932.73 | - | - |
| Memorial & Veterans Days | - | 900.00 | - | - | 265.60 | 634.40 | - |
| Memorial Field | - | 300.00 | - | - | 34.60 | 265.40 | - |
| Legacy - Edna Curtis | - | - | - | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 | - | - |
| Plymouth County Extension | - | 100.00 | - | - | 100.00 | - | - |
| Tennis Courts | - | 300.00 | - | - | 300.00 | - | - |
| Town Reports | - | 5,410.00 | 2,975.94 | - | 8,385.94 | - | - |
| Recreation Commission | - | 4,000.00 | - | - | 3,809.54 | 190.46 | - |
| Stabilization Fund | - | 10,000.00 | - | - | 10,000.00 | - | - |
| Water Expenses | - | 105,067.00 | - | - | 104,563.78 | 503.22 | - |
| Mains - Route 28 | 40,459.63 | - | - | - | 29,027.46 | - | 11,432.17 |
| Standpipe | 159,162.51 | - | - | - | 46,238.96 | - | 112,923.55 |
| Mains | 11,876.33 | - | - | - | 861.71 | - | 11,014.62 |
| Test Wells | 4,812.37 | - | - | - | - | - | 4,812.37 |
| Mains | 15,263.25 | - | - | - | 8,283.02 | - | 6,980.23 |
| Test Wells | - | 5,000.00 | - | - | 2,751.68 | - | 2,248.32 |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS contd.

| Account | Unexpended Balance 1-1-73 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue Surplus | Unexpended Balance 6-30-74 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Painting Standpipes — Revenue Sharing | — | 15,000.00 | — | — | 10,953.50 | 4,046.50 | — |
| Painting Standpipes | — | 6,000.00 | — | — | 2,819.80 | 3,180.20 | — |
| Injection Wells — Revenue Sharing | — | 10,000.00 | — | — | 8,676.00 | — | 1,324.00 |
| Injection Wells | — | 1,000.00 | — | — | — | — | 1,000.00 |
| Injection Wells | 239,670.85 | 841,353.50 | 3,908.67 | 24,061.10 | 863,206.51 | 85,367.69 | 160,419.92 |
| TOTALS | \$337,874.58 | \$5,700,424.24 | \$30,000.00 | \$445,311.38 | \$5,771,712.84 | \$110,049.24 | \$631,848.12 |

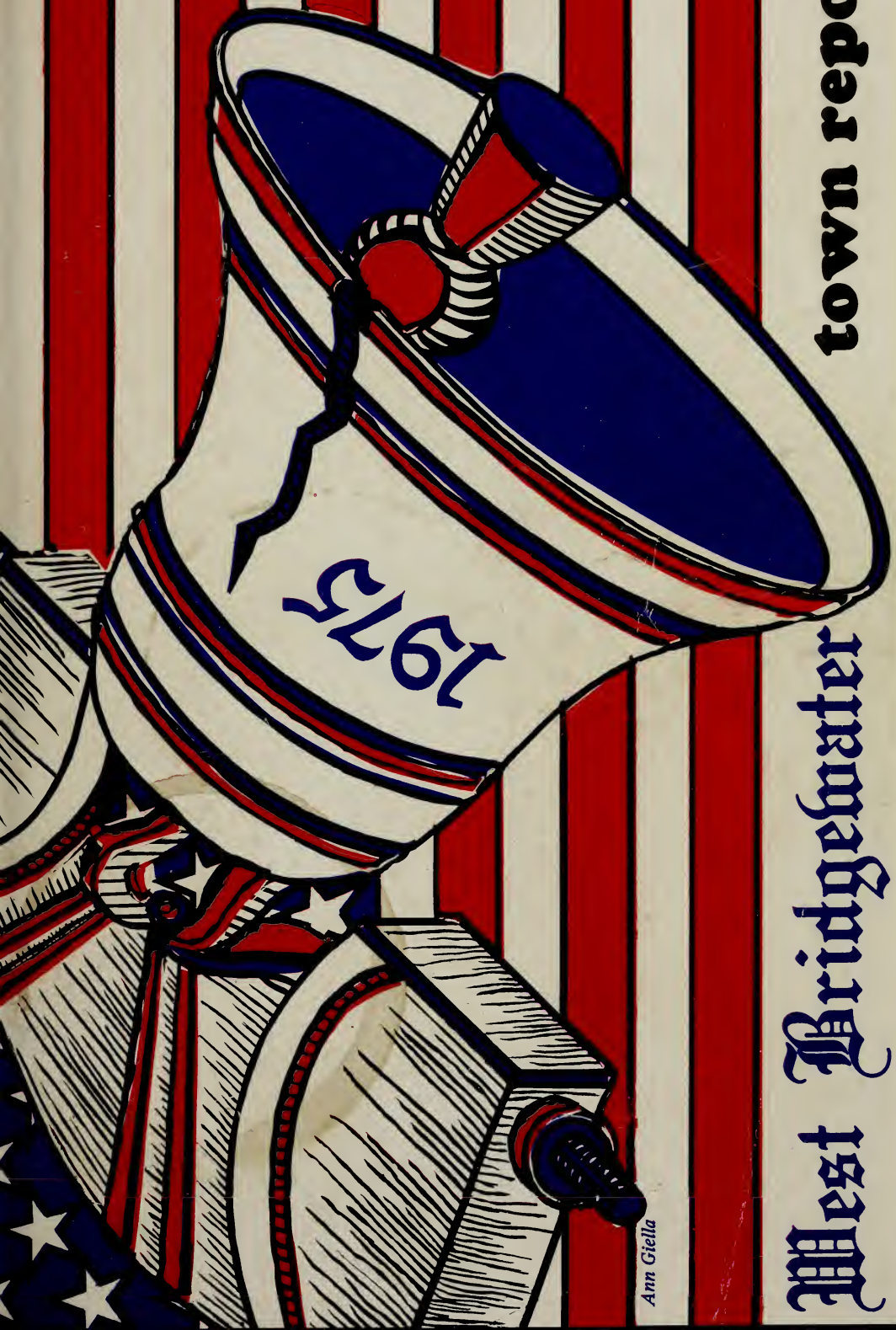
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Office Hours for Town Offices

| | |
|------------------------------|---|
| Assessors | Daily 8:30 – 12:00, 1:00 – 4:30 |
| Board of Health | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Planning Board | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Selectmen | Daily 8:30 – 12:30 Meeting – Monday Eve. 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Tax Collector & Treasurer | Daily 9:00 – 4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Town Clerk | Daily 9 – 12, 1 – 4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. |
| Veterans' Services | Daily 9:00 – 12:00 A.M. |
| Water Department | 1st & 3rd Wednesday Eve. 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |



Ann Giella

West Bridgwater

town report



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THIS ANNUAL REPORT
IS DEDICATED TO:

JOHN C. ELDRIDGE
"Mr. Moderator"

who for many years helped
to make our community a
better place to live

Moderator
1953—1973

School Committee
1953—1958

Also served:
Jr.—Sr. High School Building Committee
Spring Street Elementary School Building Committee
Special Police Officer
Firefighter & Dispatcher

In Memoriam

Francis X. Burke
Captain of Fire Department
Deceased March 20, 1975

Antone Sousa
Fire Chief — 1949-1966
Building Inspector — 1952-1966
Deceased July 4, 1975

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers and Committees
OF THE TOWN OF
WEST BRIDGEWATER



For the Year Ending December 31

1975

STATISTICS

of THE TOWN of WEST BRIDGEWATER

1970 – Federal Census – 7152

1975 – State Census – 6419

Total Registered Voters – 3236

PRECINCT I

Republican 661

Democrat 329

Unenrolled 601

PRECINCT II

Republican 660

Democrat 375

Unenrolled 610

Number of Residences – 1968

Area of Town – 15.75 Square Miles

Miles of Water Mains – 56

Local Road Mileage – 58

COUNCILLOR – FIRST DISTRICT

John Britland

SENATOR – BRISTOL, PLYMOUTH, NORFOLK DISTRICT

Robert McCarthy

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

14th PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Karen Swanson

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

10th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Margaret Heckler

Town Meeting – April 5

1976

Town Election – April 10

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1975

MODERATOR

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Charles L. Hill | 1975 | 1976 |

TOWN CLERK

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|---------------|---------|--------------|
| Anna E. Brown | 1973 | 1976 |

SELECTMEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Richard E. Krugger | 1973 | 1976 |
| Charles H. Johnson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Michael Manugian | 1975 | 1978 |

ASSESSORS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|---------------------|---------|--------------|
| Herbert A. Holmes | 1973 | 1976 |
| Irving Puffer | 1974 | 1977 |
| Sherwood W. Jackson | 1975 | 1978 |

TREASURER-COLLECTOR

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| Joseph F. McCann | 1975 | 1978 |

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|----------------------|---------|--------------|
| Joseph Utka | 1973 | 1976 |
| Ethel T. Fisher | 1973 | 1976 |
| Jessie Anderson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Richard A. Worcester | 1974 | 1977 |
| Priscilla Grippen | 1975 | 1978 |
| Edith Wolfsberg | 1975 | 1978 |

REGIONAL-VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Eugene Kostecki | 1975 | 1978 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-------------------|---------|--------------|
| H. David Raleigh | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald MacIver | 1973 | 1976 |
| Robert White | 1975 | 1976 |
| Charles Barros | 1974 | 1977 |
| Nicholas Palmieri | 1975 | 1978 |
| George Lepine | 1975 | 1978 |

WATER COMMISSIONERS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Edward G. Asack | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald Daveck | 1975 | 1976 |
| John W. Noyes | 1975 | 1978 |

TREE WARDEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1974 | 1977 |

CONSTABLES

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| Edwin T. Gibson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Raymond L. Silva | 1974 | 1977 |

BOARD OF HEALTH

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| Edward F. Cruz | 1974 | 1976 |
| James F. Purpura | 1974 | 1977 |
| Kenneth Turner | 1975 | 1978 |

PLANNING BOARD

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Donald Asack | 1975 | 1976 |
| Ronald P. Snell | 1971 | 1976 |
| Donald Seablom | 1975 | 1977 |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | 1973 | 1978 |
| Merton Ouderkirk | 1975 | 1980 |

HOUSING AUTHORITY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-------------------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Armen Amerigan (Appointed by State) | 1973 | 1976 |
| George A. Miller | 1973 | 1976 |
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1972 | 1977 |
| Richard C. Williams | 1974 | 1979 |
| Kevin Kelley | 1975 | 1980 |

Appointments — Town Meeting

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER, WOOD AND BARK

| | | |
|---------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Robert Holmes | Ira Smith | Harold Anderson |
|---------------|-----------|-----------------|

FIELD DRIVERS

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| George Bibby | Clinton Howard | Frank McLeod |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|

FENCE VIEWERS

| | | |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Barbara Roulstone | Janet Merritt | Robert Douglas |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|

Officers Appointed By Selectmen

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Irving G. Sylvester

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Arthur E. Chaves

CHIEF OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Ervin G. Lothrop

CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Edwin T. Gibson

SUPERINTENDENT OF PEST CONTROL, 3 Yrs.

Thomas B. MacQuinn

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Edwin T. Gibson

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Warren A. Turner

DEPUTY SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Warren E. Turner

DOG OFFICER

Robert Etsell

VETERAN'S BURIAL AGENT

Armen Amerigian

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

Robert W. Anderson

DEPUTY CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

John C. Eldridge

GAS INSPECTOR

Wallace Engstrom

TOWN COUNSEL

Francis J. Lynch II

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Francis J. Bcyd | 1973 | 1976 |
| Edward M. Pingree | 1974 | 1977 |
| Lance R. Ohlson | 1975 | 1978 |

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Albert Greiner

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Antone Sousa | Thomas B. MacQuinn | Richard E. Norris |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

Ernest R. Peterson

MEMORIAL FIELD COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Charles Hill | William R. Brown | Armen Amerigian |
|--------------|------------------|-----------------|

HERRING WARDEN

Philip C. Tuck

DEPUTY HERRING WARDENS

| | |
|--------------------|--------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | Joseph Souza |
|--------------------|--------------|

LOCKUP KEEPER

Walter Thayer

ADMINISTRATOR OF INSURANCE

Joseph F. McCann

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| William E. Turner, Jr. | 1974 | 1976 |
| John H. Hamilton, Jr. | 1973 | 1976 |
| Julian Lucini | 1974 | 1977 |
| H. Kingman Burrill | 1975 | 1978 |
| John D. Pettinelli | 1975 | 1978 |

Associate Members: Henry Podolsky and Ronald S. Alger

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Ronald Brodrick | 1976 |
| Frank Miller | 1977 |
| George Hollertz, Jr. | 1978 |
| Francis LeBarron | 1979 |
| Leon Beaulieu | 1980 |

ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1976 |
| Freeman Bowden | 1977 |
| Robert Bowman | 1978 |
| Henry Bradford | 1979 |
| Charles Higgins | 1980 |

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Richard Burton | 1973 | 1976 |
| Donald E. Surgens | 1973 | 1976 |
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1974 | 1977 |
| J. Layton Hayward | 1974 | 1977 |
| Philip C. Tuck | 1975 | 1978 |
| Joseph Souza | 1975 | 1978 |
| Russell Hart | 1975 | 1978 |

BY-LAW STUDY COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Geraldine Hamilton | 1974 | 1976 |
| Gilbert Baker | 1974 | 1977 |
| Robert White | 1974 | 1978 |
| Lawrence Conant | 1974 | 1978 |
| George V. Hollertz, Jr. | 1974 | 1979 |
| George Merritt | 1974 | 1979 |
| Gary Boyd | 1975 | 1980 |

RECREATION COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Artemis Bucci | 1975 | 1976 |
| Pasquale Grasso, Jr. | 1973 | 1977 |
| Carmella Preston | 1973 | 1978 |
| Ethel Fisher | 1974 | 1979 |
| Eugene Kostecki | 1975 | 1980 |

COUNCIL ON AGING

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Virginia Michael | 1975 | 1976 |
| Virginia Antonangelli | 1973 | 1976 |
| Beth Burgess | 1975 | 1976 |
| Clifford Carlson | 1975 | 1976 |
| Evelyn Thayer | 1973 | 1976 |
| Susan D. Puffer | 1974 | 1977 |
| Lloyd A. Sears | 1974 | 1977 |
| John C. Eldridge | 1974 | 1977 |
| Dorothy Amerigian | 1975 | 1978 |
| Lucille North | 1975 | 1978 |
| Marjorie E. MacDonald | 1975 | 1978 |

DATA PROCESSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Lawrence D. Conant

Everett B. Tufts

William R. Brown, Jr.

BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Charles Pickering

Wallace Johnson

Grace Keenan

Charles S. Millet

Robert D. Bevis

Lloyd A. Sears

Marie Murray

Dorothy Seabloom

Jessie Anderson

Marjorie MacDonald

Albert B. Cook

Lucille North

George Merritt

Eugene Kostecki

Ethel T. Fisher

Richard K. Manderville

William R. Brown

Paul C. Murray

Hillary A. Murray

Florence M. Keeler

Frank Sanborn

MULTI SERVICE HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE

Margaret C. Tuck

REPRESENTATIVE TO SELF-HELP INC.

Matthew A. Chauncey

ECOMOMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE FOR OCPC

Samuel Read, Jr.

OLD COLONY PLANNING COUNCIL TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Erland W. Thayer

AMBULANCE COMMITTEE

Michael Manugian

Richard Krugger

Charles Johnson

Ervin G. Lothrop

Edwin Gibson

Joseph F. Calitri

James F. Purpura

Eldon Moreira

**Appointments By
Board of Health**

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Leo F. Moroni

BOARD OF HEALTH PHYSICIAN

Dr. Joseph F. Calitri

BURIAL AGENT

Anna E. Brown

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING
Wallace Engstrom

ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING
William L. Pike

Appointments By Chief of Fire Department

DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF
William E. Gibson

DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

Francis J. Crowley
William E. Gibson
Clinton Howard

Edward G. Asack
Thomas B. MacQuinn
Irving Sylvester

Appointments By Moderator

COMMITTEE TO APPOINT A FINANCE COMMITTEE

Warren E. Turner
William E. Turner, Jr.

Edward Asack
Henry Bishop

Howard G. Miles

STREET LIGHTING COMMITTEE

John B. Sillars
Angelo E. Mattie

Raymond L. Silva
John Daly

Donald A. Seablom

WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

Thomas MacQuinn
Philip C. Tuck
Donald E. Surgens

Merton H. Ouderkirk
Richard E. Krugger
James F. Purpura

FINANCE COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| John B. Baker | 1973 | 1976 |
| Eldon Moreira | 1973 | 1976 |
| Robert Oakem | 1973 | 1976 |
| Wayne Asker | 1974 | 1977 |
| Robert L. Smith | 1974 | 1977 |
| William Ledin | 1975 | 1977 |
| Barbara Ginn | 1975 | 1978 |
| John Simpson, Jr. | 1975 | 1978 |
| Lawrence D. Conant | 1975 | 1978 |

POLICE BUILDING COMMITTEE

Charles M. Roussel
Joseph L. McMorrow

Richard C. Williams
Leonard P. Buccia

George V. Hollertz, Jr.

Appointments

March 24 — Elizabeth L. Zamaitis appointed Assistant Town Treasurer upon recommendation of Joseph F. McCann, Collector-Treasurer.

March 31 — Warren E. Turner appointed Deputy Sealer of Weights & Measures.

April 14 — Philip C. Tuck appointed Herring Warden, Thomas B. MacQuinn and Joseph Souza, Deputy Herring Wardens.

April 14 — Eugene Kostecki appointed member of the Recreation Committee for unexpired term left by resignation of Jessie Anderson.

May 12 — Donald Davock appointed as member of the Water Commission. Term to expire in March.

May 12 — Beth Burgess, Clifford Carlson and Virginia Michael appointed to the Council on Aging. Virginia Antonangelli, Honorary Member; Margaret Ryan, Associate Member.

May 12 — Artemis Bucci appointed to the Recreation Committee.

May 27 — Robert A. White, appointed member of the School Committee until next annual Town Election.

June 11 — William Ledin appointed member of the Finance Committee for unexpired term of Donald Davock.

June 16 — Donald G. Asack appointed member of the Planning Board until next Annual Town Election.

June 31 — Margaret Tuck appointed member of the Multi-Health Service Agency.

July 14 — Matthew A. Chauncey appointed W. Bridgewater's Representative to Self Help, Inc.

July 17 — Ronald P. Snell appointed alternate member for three years to Old Colony Planning Council.

August 21 — Bernice Breer appointed Crosswalk Guard.

September 17 — Donald Seablom appointed Citizens Advisory Committee for the Water Quality Study.

October 1 — Raymond Doten appointed to Solid Waste Disposal Committee representing W. Bridgewater.

October 2 — William Stoddard appointed Permanent Police Officer.

November 10 — Shirley Almquist appointed Special Police Officer.

November 18 — Bruce Holmquist appointed Permanent Police Officer effective December 1, 1975.

November 18 — Gloria Langdon, E. Bridgewater—appointed Special Police Officer and Matron for Town of West Bridgewater.

Resignations

March 26 — Resignation received from John Sillars as member of the Recreation Committee.

March 26 — Resignation received from Virginia Antonangelli from Council on Aging.

April 4 — Resignation received from Jessie Anderson as member of the Recreation Committee.

April 25 — Paul Lamoureux resigned as member of the Water Commissioners.

April 28 — Stanley O. Carlson resigned as member of the School Committee.

May 13 — Donald N. Davock resigned as member of the Finance Committee.

May 22 — William E. Lucier resigned as Fence Viewer.

May 22 — H. David Raleigh resigned from Memorial Day Committee.

May 22 — Philip C. Tuck resigned as member of the Planning Board.

June 4 — E. Myrtle Howard as member of Multi-Service Health Committee.

July 2 — Dorothy Amerigian as member of the Council on Aging.

August 6 — Mary Petrie resigned as alternate member to Brockton Multi-Service Center Citizen Advisory Board.

October 24 — Margaret Ryan as Associate member of the Council on Aging.

TOWN CLERK

Annual Town Meeting

March 10, 1975

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in election were duly warned, was called to order by the Town Clerk, at 8:20 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium. Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown, called for nomination for a Moderator, pro tem. John C. Eldridge was nominated and elected upon vote.

Mr. Eldridge brought greetings from the Moderator, Mr. Hill and a round of applause was given to the news that he was well on the road to recovery. Rev. Richard Burton gave the invocation. Warrant was read by the Town Clerk. Board of Registrars noted that 372 voters had been checked in. Counters for the evening were: John Silars, Warren Turner, John Hamilton, Edward Cruz, Kenneth Turner, Nick Palmeiri, Joseph McMorro, George Lepine, Joan Johnson, James Wolfsberg, Gary Boyd.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Voted: to elect the following offices for the ensuing year not elected on the official ballot.

Surveyors of Lumber Wood and Bark:

Robert Holmes, Ira Smith, Harold Anderson. So voted.

Field Drivers:

George Bibby, Clinton Howard, Frank McLeod. So voted.

Fence Viewers:

William Luccier, Janet Merritt, Robert Douglas. So voted.

Article 2. Voted: the reports of the Town Offices and Committees be accepted as printed in the Town Report for 1974.

Article 3. Moved: The Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the Revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1975, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Upon unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 4. Moved: the sum of \$87,253.00 be appropriated for expenditure for the purpose of reconstruction, maintenance and repair of public highways and bridges and of the enforcement of traffic laws as provided by MGL Chap. 825, Acts of 1974 (Public Works—Highway and Transit Development—Financial Assistance to Cities and Towns) and of said sum \$26,476.00 be transferred from the Excess and Deficiency Fund, \$8,226.00 from the Chap 1140 Sec. 20C account, \$41,997.00 from the Chap. 825 Sec. 1 Account and \$10,554.00 from the Chap. 90 account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Moved: the Board of Selectmen be authorized to enter into a contract or contracts with the Department of Public Works and County Commissioners for the construction and maintenance of public highways for the fiscal year July 1, 1975 — June 30, 1976.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 6. Moved: That the salary of the following elected Town Officials to be as follows for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 — June 30, 1976. Motion made that each Office be taken up separately. So voted.

Moderator—Motion made the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the salary. Amended to read \$60.00. (Reconsidered at the Adjourned Town Meeting, March 12, 1975 to the sum of \$100.00.)

Selectmen—Moved the sum of \$3,155.00 be appropriated to be paid: *Chairman*—1,215.00, *Clerk and 3rd member*—\$970.00. Motion amended. The sum of \$3,005.00 be appropriated to be paid: *Chairman*—1,155.00, *Clerk and 3rd member*—925.00. Upon vote amendment carried. Reconsidered at the adjourned Town Meeting, March 12 by majority vote the sum of \$3,155.00 be appropriated to be paid as original motion.

Town Clerk—Moved the sum of \$8,010.00 be appropriated for Town Clerk's salary. Motion amended the sum of \$7,625.00. Upon counted vote of yes—213, No—125, amendment lost and original motion of \$8,010.00 carried.

Tree Warden—Moved the sum of \$12,780.00 be appropriated for the Tree Warden's Salary. Motion amended, the sum of \$12,170.00 be appropriated.

Treasurer-Collector: Moved the sum of \$11,692.00 be appropriated for the Salary of the Treasurer-Collector. Motion amended to the sum of \$11,135.00. Upon vote original motion carried.

Assessors—Moved the sum of \$5,260.00 be appropriated for the salaries of the Assessors to be paid: *Chairman*—1,754.00 *Clerk and 3rd member* 1,753.00. Motion amended to the sum of \$5,010.00 to be paid: *Chairman*—1,670.00 *Clerk and 3rd member* 1,670.00. Upon vote Yes—148, No—176 original motion lost and amendment carried. Reconsidered at the adjourned Town Meeting March 12 to the original sum of \$5,260.00.

Water Commissioners—Moved the salaries of the Water Commissioners be as follows: *Chairman*—\$815.00, *Clerk*—\$662.00, *Third Member*—\$583.00. Motion amended the sum of \$1,960.00 with the *Chairman* receiving \$770.00, *Clerk*—\$630.00, *Third Member*—\$550.00. Upon vote original motion carried.

Board of Health—Motion made the sum of \$770.00 be appropriated for the salaries of the Board of Health to be paid: *Chairman* \$258.00; other members \$256.00. Sum amended to \$735.00. Upon counted vote of Yes—160, No—150, original motion carried.

The following Committees to serve without pay: Library Trustees, School Committee, Planning Board.

Article 7. To raise such monies as may be necessary to defray town charges for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 — June 30, 1976 and to make appropriations for the same.

The following appropriations were voted:

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Moderator | 100.00 |
| Finance Committee | 500.00 |
| Selectmen | 12,395.00 |
| Town Accountant | 6,020.00 |
| Treasurer—Collector | 38,632.00 |
| Assessors | 13,445.00 |
| Law | 8,000.00 |
| Town Clerk | 12,555.00 |
| Elections & Registrations | 6,365.00 |
| Town Office | 16,050.00 |
| Police Department | 359,970.00 |
| Fire Dept. & Station | 125,385.00 |
| Hydrants Maintenance | 11,186.00 |
| Tree Warden & Parks | 50,960.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 490.00 |
| Inspector of Wires | 950.00 |
| Inspector of Buildings | 10,625.00 |
| Inspector of Gas | 1,400.00 |
| Dog Officer | 7,260.00 |
| Civil Defense | 880.00 |

Of the above amounts the following special motions were made:

The sum of \$12,555.00 for the Town Clerk including \$100.00 for Out of State Travel. So voted.

The sum of \$38,632.00 for the Treasurer-Collector including \$175.00 for Out of State Travel. So voted.

The sum of \$359,970.00 for Police Department Budget including \$200.00 for Out of State Travel. So voted.

The sum of \$125,385.00 for Fire Dept. & Station including \$200.00 for Out of State Travel. So voted.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until 7:30 P.M. on Tuesday, March 11, 1975 in the High School Auditorium. So voted. Meeting adjourned at 11 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

March 11, 1975

Meeting called to order at 7:45 P.M. by the Moderator John C. Eldridge. Board of Registrars noted that 339 voters were checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Planning Board | 1,175.00 |
| Board of Appeals | 950.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 5,700.00 |
| Board of Health | 57,400.00 |
| Highway Department | 189,612.00 |
| Veteran's Agent | 93,400.00 |
| Town Schools | 2,400,000.00 |

Of the above amounts the following motions were made:

Moved: the sum of \$60,825.00 be appropriated for the Board of Health Budget. Upon vote of Yes—113, No—185, motion lost.

After a five minute suspension of the meeting it was

Moved: the Highway Budget be taken up. Motion made and seconded the sum of \$233,022.00 be appropriated for the Highway Department. Motion to amend the sum to \$189,612.00. Upon counted vote of Yes—133, No—160 the original motion lost and amendment carried.

Motion to reconsider Item 24—Board of Health Budget was voted. It was Moved the sum of \$9,184.00 be appropriated for the landfill attendant under the Board of Health budget, making the total budget for the Board of Health the sum of \$57,400.00. Upon vote motion carried.

Motion to amend the School budget to the sum of \$2,596,072.00 upon vote was lost.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until Wednesday, March 12 at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Auditorium. So voted. Meeting adjourned at 11:15 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

March 12, 1975

Meeting called to order by the Moderator, John C. Eldridge, at 7:35 P.M. 303 Voters present.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 7 — Item 28 of the budget.

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| Southeastern Regional Vocational School | 80,244.00 |
| Library: | |
| Salaries | 28,355.00 |
| Expenses | 16,554.36 |
| Industrial Development | 350.00 |
| By-Law Committee | 200.00 |
| Water Department, From Water Rev. | 104,750.00 |
| Recreation Committee | 4,185.00 |
| Council on Aging | 8,920.00 |
| Street Lights | 33,000.00 |
| Contributory Retirement | 63,383.00 |
| Town Reports | 5,100.00 |
| Memorial & Veterans Day | 575.00 |
| Christmas Decorations | 350.00 |
| Reserve fund | 25,000.00 |
| Insurance Casualty | 44,300.00 |
| Insurance Group | 50,000.00 |
| Engineering Service | 1,500.00 |
| Memorial Field | 300.00 |
| Tennis Courts | 300.00 |
| Bonds & Interest | 362,605.25 |

Special motions made of the above amounts.

Moved: The sum of \$27,885.00 be appropriated for the salaries of the Library. Motion amended sum of \$28,355.00 be appropriated. Upon counted vote of Yes—148, No—116, amendment carried.

Moved: the sum of \$16,554.00 be appropriated with o/s travel of \$150.00. So voted.

Voted: the sum of \$104,750.00 be appropriated for the Water Department to be taken from water revenue.

Moved: the sum of \$4,185.00 be appropriated for the Recreation Commission. Amendment made to the sum of \$5,650.00 be appropriated. Upon counted vote of Yes—88, No—48, amendment lost and original sum of \$4,185.00 carried.

Voted: the sum of \$33,000.00 for Street lights, \$32,000.00 from Revenue Sharing and \$1,000.00 from taxation.

Voted: the sum of \$25,000.00 for the Reserve fund, \$9,888.87 be taken from Overlay Surplus and \$15,111.13 taken from taxation.

Voted: the sum of \$44,300.00 for Insurance Casualty, the sum of \$42,000.00 taken from Revenue Sharing and the sum of \$2,300.00 from taxation.

Moved: the sum of \$300.00 be appropriated for Tennis Courts. Amount amended, the sum of \$3,450.00 be appropriated. Upon vote original sum of \$300.00 was carried.

Upon Motion it was voted to reconsider Article 7—Item I, III, VI. Counted vote of Yes—210; No—48 motion carried.

Voted sum of \$100.00 for the Moderator's salary.

Voted: sum of \$12,245.00 for the Selectmen's budget, allowing for the 5% increase in Selectmen's Salaries.

Voted: the sum of \$13,445.00 for the Assessor's budget, allowing for the 5% increase in the Assessor's salaries.

Article 8. Moved: The town voted to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee of five to bring to the next Annual Town Meeting or Special Town Meeting, cost estimates for construction of a Town Swimming Pool.

Motion to amend to include cost of maintenance, construction, operation of swimming pool. Upon vote motion and amendment lost.

Article 9. Moved: The town vote to accept the provisions of G. L. Chap. 48, Section 58D.

Upon vote motion not carried.

Article 10. Moved to pass this article without action. So voted.

Article 11. Moved: the Town vote to amend the By-Laws by adding thereto Article XXXIV, or such next consecutive number as shall be appropriate, as follows:

Article XXXIV

Section 1. No dog shall be upon the lands or ways of the Town unless such dog be secured by a suitable leash or lead, one end of which shall be fastened in a secure manner so as to restrain the animal, the other end of which shall be held by the owner or keeper of such dog or such other person as may be authorized thereby; nor shall any owner or keeper of a dog permit such dog to be upon the land of anyone other than such owner or keeper unless such dog be restrained as hereinbefore described, except by the express permission of the owner or person in possession of such land.

Section 2. Any dog upon any land or way of the Town, or upon such private land except under the conditions provided in Section 1 shall be subject to apprehension and confinement by the Town dog officer.

Section 3. Such dogs as may be confined under the provisions of Section 2 of this article shall be returned to the owner or keeper thereof upon payment to the dog officer of an allowance of two dollars per day for the care of such dog. The dog officer, upon taking such dog into custody shall, as soon as practicable thereafter, identify the owner or keeper thereof and, if practical, advise such owner or keeper by telephone communication of the whereabouts of the dog and the provisions for return of such dog.

Notwithstanding such telephone notice the dog officer shall within twentyfour hours of identification, notify the owner or keeper of such dog, by prepaid postal card, of the whereabouts of such dog and the provisions for return of such dog to such owner or keeper.

Section 4. Should the dog officer be unable after reasonable investigation to determine the identity of such owner or keeper within seven days of apprehension, or if the owner or keeper of such dog shall fail to claim such dog and pay such charges as may be due for care of such dog within five days of the mailing of the required notice, Sundays and holidays excluded, such dog shall be disposed of by the dog officer in such manner as provided by MGL Chapter 140, Section 151A.

Section 5. Any owner or keeper of a dog found guilty of a violation of Section 1 of this Article shall be liable to a fine offive dollars for the first violation, ten dollars for the second violation and twenty-five dollars for the third and each subsequent violation. This article shall be enforceable by any police officer, constable or dog officer sworn to duty in the Town."

1st Amendment: Moved to amend Section 5, so it would read: Any owner or keeper of a dog found guilty of a violation of Section 1 of this Article shall be liable to a fine according to Chapter 140, Section 173A of the G. L. This article shall be enforceable by any police officer, constable or dog officer sworn to duty in the Town." Upon vote of Yes—116, No—76 Amendment carried.

2nd Amendment: Moved to amend Section 3 by changing the allowance of two dollars to three dollars per day for the care of such dog. Upon vote motion carried, Yes—100, No—85.

Upon Counted vote on Motion, as amended of Yes—108 and N0—101, was carried.

Moved to reconsider the article on the Dog Leash Law, was not carried.

Moved to adjourn the meeting until Saturday, March 15, 1975 at 9 A.M. for the election of Town Officers by Official Ballot and March 18 at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Auditorium. So voted.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING March 18, 1975

Meeting called to order by the Moderator, John C. Eldridge, at 7:42 P.M. 276 Voters checked in at the door.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Motion made to take up Article 38. Motion not carried.

Article 12. Moved: the town vote to appropriate the sum of \$11,400.00 to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase two station wagon type cruisers for the Police Department and the transfer of equipment to such new cruisers, and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$11,400.00 be taken from tax levy for the fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1975.

Upon Unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 13. Moved: the town vote to appropriate the sum of \$4,300.00 to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase and equip a sedan type automobile for the Police Department and trade in 1972 Sedan towards the payment of the price of such new sedan, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$4,300.00 be taken from tax levy for the fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1975.

Upon a counted vote of Yes—150, No—91 motion carried.

Article 14. Moved to pass this article without action. So voted.

Article 15. Moved: the Town vote to accept the provisions of G.L. (Ter Ed) Chapter 41, Section 100 A.

Upon a counted vote of Yes—121, No—108, motion carried.

Article 16. Moved: the town vote to accept the provisions of G. L. (Ter Ed) Chapter 41, Section 100B.

Upon vote motion not carried.

Article 17. Moved to pass without action. So voted.

Article 18. Moved to pass without action. So voted.

Article 19. Moved: the town vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town of West Bridgewater by adding a new section 11 to article XVIII as follows:

"No person or business entity shall break up, dig, alter or open in any respect upon a public road way or highway within the Town of West Bridgewater so as to obstruct or impede traffic or to endanger the public without making provision for the paid services of a duly appointed police officer of the said Town to maintain and insure the public safety in the area affected thereby."

Motion to amend by inserting after the word public — without the approval of the Board of Selectmen making provisions, or unless waived by the Board of Selectmen for paid services, etc.

2nd Amendment: to insert after the word shall: work upon, break up, dig, etc.

Upon vote, 2nd amendment, lost.

Upon vote, 1st amendment carried.

Upon vote, motion as amended was carried.

Article 20. Moved: the sum of \$2,500.00 be appropriated to be allocated towards

the purchase of Mobile and Portable Radio with Federal funds under Plymouth County Police Radio, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen, and the sum of \$2,500.00 be taken from tax levy of the fiscal year.

So voted.

Article 21. Moved: the town vote to authorize the Moderator and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of five, to select an architect and bring in preliminary plans for constructing and equipping a Police Station and to appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to be used by the committee.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 22. Moved: the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to make application in general under the provisions of the Community Development Act of 1974 and to also make specific application thereunder, hereby authorizing the Selectmen to expend such funds as may be granted for the purpose(s) that such grant or appropriation be made.

Upon unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 23. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$20,000.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to the Stabilization Fund.

Motion to amend the figure to \$10,000.00.

Upon counted vote on the sum of \$20,000.00 of Yes—58, No—93, motion as amended the sum of \$10,000.00 was carried.

Moved: the meeting be adjourned until Tuesday, March 20th at the High School Auditorium at 7:30 P.M. So voted.

Meeting adjourned 11:15 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING March 19, 1975

Meeting called to order at 7:40 P.M. by the Moderator, John C. Eldridge. 211 voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 24. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to a Special Account to be expended by the Board of Selectmen, subject to the approval of a majority of the Finance Committee, for materials and renovations under the CETA and PSE programs.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 25. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate \$3,500.00 to be expended by the Board of Selectmen for engineering services for the South Street bridge.

Upon vote motion carried unanimously.

Article 26. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$51,000.00 from the Revenue Sharing account to be expended by the highway department at the direction of the Board of Selectmen for drainage installations.

Motion carried unanimously

Article 27. Moved: the sum of \$7,800.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Highway Department, at the direction of the Board of Selectmen, to construct a sidewalk on Pleasant Street.

Moved to amend motion the sum of \$1,800.00 be appropriated and the balance from unexpended sidewalk account. Upon vote, amendment lost.

Upon counted vote on original motion of Yes—70, No—113, motion lost.

Article 28. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate \$5,000.00 to be expended by the highway department at the direction of the Board of Selectmen to surface Wendell Avenue.

Upon unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 29. Moved: the sum of \$1,100.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Highway Department, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, to construct, drain and surface Bonnie Ave.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 30. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$90,000.00 for laying and relaying water mains of not less than six (6) inches, but less than sixteen (16) inches in diameter, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$90,000.00 be transferred from the Water Standpipe Account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to take up Article 38, ambulance, as members of the committee from Bridgewater and E. Bridgewater also study committee were present at this time.

Motion upon vote carried.

Article 38. Moved: the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into a contract with the towns of East Bridgewater and Bridgewater to provide continuous emergency ambulance service to the tri-town community, and to authorize the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Selectman to serve on the Board of Directors, and/or such advisory board of such non-profit corporation as may be established to operate such service.

Upon a voice vote after much discussion, motion not carried.

Motion made to adjourn the Town Meeting until 7:30 P.M. at the High School

Auditorium, on March 25th. So voted.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING March 25, 1975

Meeting called to order by Moderator, John C. Eldridge at 7:30 P.M. Non-voters were asked to stand. Special guest of the meeting was Representative Karen Swanson. A moment of silence was observed for Francis X. Burque, Deputy Fire Chief.

289 Voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 31. Moved: the sum of \$5,000.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Water Commissioners, to purchase and initially equip a new truck for the Water Department, and empower the Water Commissioners to trade in the old Water Department truck, and to apply the trade-in value of such old truck toward the payment of the price for such new truck.

Upon vote, motion carried unanimously.

Article 32. Moved: the sum of \$110,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of developing an additional well field at the Cyr Street pumping Station and the acquisition of land or any interest in land necessary in connection therewith, and for constructing and laying water mains not less than six (6) inches in diameter but less than sixteen (16) inches in diameter and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$11,432.17 be transferred from the water Main, Rte. 28 Account; the sum of \$11,014.62 be transferred from the Water Main Account authorized by the Special Town Meeting of Oct. 19, 1971; the sum of \$17,553.21 be transferred from the Water Standpipe Account and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen be authorized to borrow the sum of \$70,000.00 in Bonds or notes of the Town under Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 15 years from the date of issue of 1st note.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 33. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$2,500.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended by the Selectmen in settlement of a claim by Garith and Joan B. Grinnell for damages to their property at 31 Crescent Street and hereby are, in compliance with the provisions of By-Law VII, section 2, authorized to make such settlement.

Upon a counted vote of Yes—99, No—112, motion not carried.

Article 34. Moved: the sum of \$580.00 be appropriated to install new street lights, relocate and increase size of present lights as recommended by the Street Lighting Committee.

Upon a unanimous vote, motion carried.

Article 35. Moved: the sum of \$23.64 available from the County Dog Fund and the sum of \$2,682.00 available under Chapter 672 of the Acts of 1963 be transferred to the Library Expense Account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 36. Moved: the Town authorize the School Committee to maintain a State aided Vocational Program in accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws and Acts Amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and to appropriate the sum of \$3,525.00 to conduct such a program.

Upon a unanimous vote, motion carried.

Article 37. Moved: the sum of \$22,770.00 be appropriated for Physical Education, Athletics, Sports, and Equipment.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 38. Taken up at a previous meeting.

Article 39. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate \$40,000.00 to be expended by a committee comprised of the three selectmen, a member of the Board of Health to be appointed by the chairperson thereof, a member of the Finance Committee to be appointed by the chairperson thereof, the Town Physician, the Chief of the Police Department and the Chief of the Fire Department, for the purposes of:

Purchasing such ambulance as shall meet the Class I requirements of MGL Chapter 111C

Equipping such ambulance as required by said chapter;

housing said ambulance;

meeting the costs of training such personnel as shall be necessary to operate such ambulance.

Moderator declared that this motion was not in the four squares of the Article, he referred to the decision of the Town Counsel for a ruling. The Town Counsel ruled that if the matter is referred to in a general way the matter may be considered and the motion was in order.

Upon a counted vote of Yes—168, No—64, motion carried.

Article 40. Moved: the sum of \$11,325.00 be appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Selectmen, to purchase a Bombardier sidewalk plow for the Highway Department, and to trade in the nine year old sidewalk plow towards the payment of the new plow.

Motion to amend by striking out the word Bombardier. Upon vote amendment not carried.

Upon vote, original motion carried.

Moved: While there was still a quorum present to take up Article 44, Rezoning. Motion carried.

Article 44. Moved: the Town vote to amend Section 3, Subsection C of By-Law XXVI entitled "Protective (Zoning) By-Law for the Town of West Bridgewater, Mass." by adding at the end of said Section 3, Subsection C, the following: "and that portion of land located on the Southerly side of West Street and the Northerly side of Crescent Street containing approximately 18.5 acres of land, bounded on the West by other industrially zoned land 750 feet, more or less; on the South 200 feet, more or less; on the Southwest 950 feet, more or less; on the Southeast by Crescent Street, 200 feet, more or less; on the East 1000 feet, more or less; on the North 700 feet, more or less; on the Northeast 500 feet, more or less; on the North 200 feet more or less."

Report of the Planning Board was given, they were in favor of acceptance by a majority vote.

Upon a counted vote of Yes—157, No—75, motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until, Wednesday, March 26th at the High School Auditorium at 7:30 P.M. So voted.

Meeting adjourned at 11:30 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING March 26, 1975

Meeting called to order by Moderator John C. Eldridge at 7:30 P.M. 171 Voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Motion was made to reconsider Article 44, Rezoning, carried at the preceeding meeting.

By unanimous vote motion not carried.

Article 41. Moved: the sum of \$4,500.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Board of Selectmen, to purchase a tractor, complete with roadside mower for the Highway Department.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 42. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$2,300.00 to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to connect the town hall sprinkler system alarm to the fire station.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 43. Moved: the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to convey to Arthur C. and Nando A. Pagani, 3 parcels of land on Stoney Road containing 4.58 acres more or less and shown as Lot No. 10 on Page D6 of the West Bridgewater Assessor's Plans bounded and described as follows:

"A certain parcel of land lying in West Bridgewater, Mass. containing four acres more or less and bounded westerly by the highway; southerly by land of Francis W. Wood; easterly by land now or formerly of James Copeland; northerly by land formerly of Japhet Packard and separated therefrom by a stone wall.

Also another lot of land adjoining the above and bounded; Beginning at the northeast corner of the land now or formerly of Clinton P. Howard which was formerly a part of the late James Ames estate; thence North 45° by a wall eight rods to a stake at a corner of David Bartlett's land by a wall; thence westerly by said wall and Bartlett's land to one Packard's land; thence by said Packard's land to land of Clinton P. Howard.

Also a certain parcel of land situated on the westerly side of Stoney Road in said W. Bridgewater bounded as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the within described parcel at the northwest corner of land of F. W. Wood; thence easterly by land of said Wood to a stone wall; thence northerly by the wall to a stake; thence westerly by a line parallel to the first named course to the said Stoney Road; thence southerly by said road to the point of beginning."

Being the same land described in a deed to the Town of West Bridgewater and recorded in the Plymouth Registry of Deeds in Book 4035, Page 176.

and to accept as a consideration therefore the conveyance of a parcel consisting of 9.31 acres more or less located westerly of Stoney Road and adjacent to the east bank of the Mill Pond and shown as a portion of Lot No. 3 on Page D6 of the West Bridgewater Assessor's Plans and now belonging to Arthur C. and Nando A. Pagani, Trustees of Pagani Realty Trust, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a drill hole in the stone wall, 514.35 ft. northwesterly of the northwest corner of land of Alton S. and Florence Eaton; Thence N $30^{\circ} 05' 33''$ W 495.66 ft. along a stone wall and by land of the Town of West Bridgewater to an iron bar;

Thence N $59^{\circ} 46' 54''$ W a distance of 198.93 ft. to a drill hole;

Thence N $89^{\circ} 44' 05''$ W a distance of 182.12 ft. to an iron bar;

Thence S $83^{\circ} 55' 58''$ W a distance of 125.29 ft. to a fence post and land now or formerly of Wesley Howard;

Thence N $22^{\circ} 51' 11''$ W a distance of 202.62 ft. to West Meadow Brook;

Thence continuing by West Meadow Brook and land of Wesley Howard in two courses, N $73^{\circ} 40' 40''$ W. a distance of 364.76 ft. and N $21^{\circ} 16' 47''$ a distance of 54.40 ft. to land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts;

Thence N $79^{\circ} 57' 55''$ E a distance of 1008.68 ft. by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and a woods Road to a drill hole;

Thence S $10^{\circ} 02' 05''$ E a distance of 1046.58 ft. to a drill hole and the point of beginning;

Meaning and intending to describe a parcel of land shown as Parcel B on "Plan of Land to be conveyed to West Bridgewater Conservation Commission by C. A. Pickering Assoc., Inc. dated January 24, 1975, scale: 1"=100 ft."

all parcels to be free and clear of all encumbrances; said portion of Lot No. 3 as previously described above to be used for conservation purposes and to be administered by the Conservation Commission under the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 8C.

Upon counted vote of Yes—78; No—70, motion not carried.

Article 45. Moved: the Town vote to amend Section 1, of By-Law XXVIII, entitled "Trailer Regulation," by deleting the last sentence which reads: "No permit shall be issued for a period of more than one year from and after the date of such hearing."

Planning Board reported — Majority of the Planning Board's approval.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 46. Moved: the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Building Code Board of Appeals for the purpose of hearing appeals pertaining to a Building Inspector's actions in accord with the provisions contained in the State Building Code, Section 126.8 which became effective January 1, 1975, said Board to consist of five (5) members, one member to be appointed for five years, one member for four years, one member for three years, one member for two years, and one member to serve for one year, and thereafter, each new member is to serve for five years or until his successor has been appointed, said appointments to meet the professional personnel requirements of the Code.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 47. Moved: that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to convey all right, title, and interest, the Town may have, if any, in a certain parcel of land located west of Pleasant Street and shown as Lot No. 57 on page C11 of the West Bridgewater Assessor's Plans and further described as:

"a certain lot of land situated in said West Bridgewater bounded: beginning at the southwest corner of the lot at a stake and stones a corner bound of the town farm; thence northerly by the New Jerusalem Road about fifty-nine rods to land now or formerly of Lewis G. Howard; thence North 78° East in said Howard's line about sixty-seven rods and four links to land now or formerly of Samuel H. Howard; thence south 9° 30' east sixty-six rods and twelve links to the line of the town farm; thence south 83° 45' west by the line of said farm seventy-four rods and ten links to the bound and corner first mentioned; containing twenty-seven acres, three quarters, and thirty one rods, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to Barnabas Dunbar and Albert L. Alger by deed signed by Horatio Howard, Dulcina Howard, Samuel N. Howard, Mary A. Howard, Cyrus Porter, Eliza J. Porrer, Jabez Gould, Lucretia Gould, and Arvilla L. Dunbar, dated Jan. 12, 1867, and recorded with Plymouth Deeds, Book 340, pages 235 and 236; our interest in said premises being an undivided portion."

to Mason W. and Richard T. Alger of Homestead, Florida and/or the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Division of Fisheries and Game, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Mass.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 48. Moved: the Town vote to appropriate \$100.00 to be paid to the County for the purposes of the County Cooperative Extension Service.

Upon vote motion carried, by unanimous vote.

Article 49. Moved: that the Town vote to appropriate \$3,500.00 to provide for the survey, engineering design and preparation of plans for the layout of about 2300 linear feet of Forest Street to Clinton Road, and preliminary construction plans for the replacement and improvement of the Forest Street Bridge, which now spans the town river.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 50. Moved: the sum of \$200,000.00 be transferred from Surplus Revenue to be used for the purpose of reducing the tax rate for the fiscal year, July 1, 1975 — June 30, 1976.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 51. Moved: the Town vote to discharge the Howard School Building Committee, with thanks, from any further responsibility with respect to the Howard School as of July 1, 1975.

So voted.

Mr. Krugger, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen complemented John C. Eldridge, Moderator, pro tem, for a job well done with the longest Meeting in the history, and a difficult one. Mr. Eldridge was given a standing ovation.

Appreciation was also extended to the Students of the Southeastern Regional-Vocational Tech High School electronics program for the set up and operation of the sound system used through-out the Meeting. The following Seniors were in charge: Roger Altieri, Jay Cheromcha, Robert Miller, Vic Palmeri, Tony Barrows, Peter Turner, under the direction of the Electronics instructor, Warren E. Turner.

A vote of thanks was given to the Finance Committee for their many hours of meetings.

A vote of thanks was also given to the High School band for the concert the first night of the meeting.

Motion made to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 9:15 P. M.

A true copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

March 15, 1975

The Annual Town Election was held at the Spring Street Elementary School on Saturday, March 15, 1974. Warrant issued by the Selectmen was posted by the Constable, Edwin T. Gibson, on February 28, 1975, in accordance with the provisions of the Town By-Laws.

Specimen ballots, cards of instructions and abstracts of the laws, imposing penalties upon voters, were posted as required by the Laws of the Commonwealth.

The polls were opened at 9 A.M. The Ballot boxes in both precincts were inspected and the registers set at 0000. 1400 Ballots were given to each Warden and receipt given to the Town Clerk for same.

At the close of the polls at 8 p.m. the ballot box registers showed the following results:

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| Precinct 1 | 695 |
| Precinct 2 | <u>727</u> |
| Total | 1422 |

The following Election workers were sworn in:

Precinct 1. Catherine Chaves, Eutropya Sinkevich, Marie Murray, Helen Souza, Audrey Johnson, Alice Richardson — Counters and Observers. Total Tallies — Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock.

Precinct 2. Karolyn K. Boyd, Dena Giovanani, Elizabeth Lindskog, Alma Phillips, Katherine Bird, Adeline Isenberg, Counters and Observers. Total Tallies — Ann Long, William R. Brown, Jr.

The results were declared as follows:

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|------------------|------------|------------|-------|
| MODERATOR, 1 Yr. | | | |
| Charles L. Hill | 610 | 642 | 1252 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 84 | 85 | 169 |

Charles L. Hill declared elected.

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| SELECTMAN, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Michael Manugian | 436 | 448 | 884 |
| Edward F. Cruz | 239 | 267 | 506 |
| Scattered | 2 | | 2 |
| Blanks | 18 | 12 | 30 |

Michael Manugian declared elected.

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| TREASURER—COLLECTOR, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Joseph F. McCann | 596 | 639 | 1235 |
| Blanks | 99 | 88 | 187 |

Joseph F. McCann declared elected.

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| ASSESSOR, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Sherwood Jackson | 544 | 563 | 1107 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 150 | 164 | 314 |

Sherwood Jackson declared elected.

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| TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, 3 yrs. | | | |
| Priscilla Grippen | 466 | 491 | 957 |
| Edith Wolfsberg | 408 | 413 | 821 |
| Patricia Cronin | 278 | 323 | 601 |
| Blanks | 238 | 229 | 465 |

Priscilla Grippen & Edith Wolfsberg declared elected.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 3 yrs.

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Joan K. Johnson | 291 | 319 | 610 |
| George Lepine | 404 | 402 | 806 |
| Joseph McMorrow | 230 | 219 | 449 |
| Nicholas Palmieri | 286 | 343 | 629 |
| Scattered | 2 | 4 | 6 |
| Blanks | 177 | 167 | 344 |

George Lepine and Nicholas Palmieri declared elected.

WATER COMMISSIONER, 3 yrs.

| | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|------|
| John Noyes | 590 | 633 | 1223 |
| Blanks | 105 | 94 | 199 |

John Noyes declared elected.

BOARD OF HEALTH, 3 yrs.

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Madelyn Burke | 277 | 283 | 560 |
| Kenneth A. Turner | 369 | 407 | 776 |
| Blanks | 49 | 37 | 86 |

Kenneth A. Turner declared elected.

PLANNING BOARD, 5 yrs.

| | | | |
|---------------------|-----|-----|------|
| Merton H. Ouderkirk | 553 | 582 | 1135 |
| Blanks | 142 | 145 | 287 |

Merton H. Ouderkirk declared elected.

PLANNING BOARD, 2 yrs.

| | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|
| Donald Seablom | 572 | 605 | 1177 |
| Blanks | 123 | 122 | 245 |

Donald Seablom declared elected.

HOUSING AUTHORITY, 5 yrs.

| | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|------|
| Kevin Kelley | 567 | 587 | 1154 |
| Blanks | 128 | 240 | 268 |

Kevin Kelley declared elected.

REG-VOC. TECH. SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 3 yrs.

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|
| Eugene Kostecki | 560 | 610 | 1170 |
| Blanks | 135 | 117 | 252 |

Eugene Kostecki declared elected.

QUESTION # 1-BEANO

| | | | |
|--------|-----|-----|------|
| Yes | 515 | 548 | 1063 |
| No | 148 | 151 | 299 |
| Blanks | 32 | 28 | 60 |

A true copy.

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

RECOUNT FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

March 24, 1975

A recount of votes cast for School Committee was held in the Town Hall by the Board of Registrars. Representatives were present for Joan Johnson, Nicholas Palmieri, George Lepine. Counters and Observers were Catherine Chaves, Audrey Johnson, Helen Souza, Marie Murray, Katherine Bird, Adeline Isenberg, — Total tallies, William R. Brown, Jr. and Claire Davock.

The following results were announced:

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|-------------------|------------|------------|-------|
| Joan Johnson | 318 | 291 | 609 |
| George Lepine | 403 | 405 | 808 |
| Joseph McMorrow | 216 | 230 | 446 |
| Nicholas Palmieri | 344 | 286 | 630 |
| Scattered | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| Blanks | 169 | 175 | 344 |

A true copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

September 9, 1975

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in Election were duly warned, was called to order at 7:40 P.M. at the High School Auditorium by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill. A standing ovation was given to Moderator Charles Hill after his return from serious illness.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown. Registrars checked 198 voters present.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Moved: the Town vote to amend Article 43 of the 1971 Town Meeting Warrant by striking from the first sentence the word "nine" and substituting therefor the word "Twelve" and to implement such amendment the Board of Selectmen be authorized to appoint three new members, one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years and the third for a term of three years, the successors thereof to be appointed for terms of three years as provided by said article.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 2. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$4,480.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended by the Selectmen as West Bridgewater's share of the cost of maintaining a Multi-Service Health Satellite Center.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 3. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$5,237.21 from the Surplus Revenue Account to pay obligations incurred by the Town prior to the close of the 1975 fiscal year as follows:

| | | |
|-------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|
| Brockton Edison | \$ 102.36, | Electrical power |
| C. & F. Service, Inc. | 610.42, | service of vehicles, fuel and oil |
| Alfred Gamboa & Son | 48.59, | vehicle repair |
| Dyar Sales | 111.72, | traffic control signs |
| Almeida Office Supplies | 6.60, | Office supplies |
| N.E. Telephone | 108.75 | |
| Cholerton Agency | 1,599.00, | earned premiums |
| Campello Keith Oil, Co. | 1,987.27, | bituminous concrete |
| Simeone, Inc. | 1,662.00 | |

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 4. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$5,000.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended by the Bi-Centennial Commission for observance of the National Bicentennial.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$2,399.00 from the Surplus Revenue account to be expended in satisfaction of the obligations incurred by the Town in the fiscal years 1974-1975 for curbstones and bituminous concrete in constructing Bonnie Drive.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 6. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$3,000.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended for counsel fees and expenses for the Planning Board in the case of Paradise Land Development and Investment Corporation, Plaintiff vs. Merton Ouderkirk, et al, Defendant, Plymouth Superior Court.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 7. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$394.48 from the Surplus Revenue Account to satisfy the settlement of a claim by Philip Rittenburg, Inc. for police protection at the Elm Square Traffic Signal project in fiscal 1975.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 8. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$5,493.73 from the Surplus Revenue Account to satisfy the Town's obligations to certin Town Police Officers for career incentive pay program in accord with MGL C41 Sec. 108L as amended.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 9. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$9,197.45 from the Public Law 874 and Title III Accounts; \$82,837.55 from the Surplus Revenue Account, all to be expended by the School Committee for current operating expenses.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 10. Moved: the Town vote to transfer \$54,189.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended by the School Committee for lunch program Salaries.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 11. Moved: that the Town vote to transfer the sum of \$16,500.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended to pave the town parking lot with bituminous concrete.

Upon counted vote of Yes—89, No—104 motion not carried.

Article 12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

BE IT RESOLVED: THAT this meeting officially recognize the projects accomplished by CETA personnel at War Memorial Park in reconstructing a Summerhouse, clearing waterways and rebuilding stonewalls which line the diverted streams, (used for Mill and Industrial waterpower in Colonial days), replacing rustic bridges, edging paths and pruning shrubbery.

Also to highly commend Ronald Snell for providing a backhoe to lift large stones which had fallen into the waterways, in order to rebuild the walls and bridge abutment; and to Earl Bissonnette who waded in the water and maneuvered the heavy boulders into the “bucket.”

War Memorial Park, designed in the mid-30's by Mrs. Eveline Johnson, is mother of the present chairman of the Board of Selectmen, Charles H. Johnson. CETA coordinator for West Bridgewater is Richard E. Krugger, Selectman.

Motion for adjournment was made at 8:30 P.M. So voted.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown, *Town Clerk*

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

November 18, 1975

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in election were duly warned, was called to order at 7:56 P.M. at the High School Auditorium, by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown. Board of Registrars noted that 134 registered voters had been checked in.

The Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Moved: The sum of \$100,000.00 be transferred from the Surplus Revenue Account to be expended by the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of developing a Sewer Master Plan as required under Public Law 92-500 (EPA) S 201.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 2. Moved: The sum of \$5,370.34 be transferred from the Standpipe Account and \$14,629.66 from the South Easton Regional School Account to be expended by the Water Department for the installation of water mains not less than six inches but less than sixteen inches in diameter.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 3. Moved: The Street Lighting Committee be authorized to install new street lights on Tiffany Circle, said lights to consist of nine four-thousand lumen Mercury Vapor lights.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 8:48 P.M.

A true copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown, *Town Clerk*

Vital Statistics

Births Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1975

| Date | Name | Parents |
|----------|-----------------------------|--|
| January | | |
| 7 | Jason Howard Albert | Charles John, Jr. & Edna Lorraine Howard |
| 14 | Thomas Michael Bates | William James & Carol Anne Hansen |
| 26 | Shawn Edward Berger | Joseph Wilhelm & Avis May Fenn |
| February | | |
| 18 | Shannon Deborah Keating | Robert Louis & Connie Gail Manugian |
| 19 | Shawn Raymond Chaplic | Stephen Parker & Paula Ann Hatch |
| 21 | Damon Ryan Hamblly | Warren Elbert & Nancy Louise Fletcher |
| 24 | Edward Howard Hurley | Hugh Ramsay & Joan Diane Getty |
| March | | |
| 6 | David Scott Vinton | Kenneth Franklin & Carolyn Louise Washburn |
| 17 | Renee DiLiegro | Anthony James & Virginia Marie Sheppard |
| 12 | Brian Loring Soderholm | Bruce Cameron & Janice Louise Wright |
| April | | |
| 1 | Daniel David Perry | Reginald Lee & Pok Sun Chu |
| 3 | Kristen Anne Masefield | Kerry Richard & Maureen Ann D'Arpino |
| 23 | Ryan Jon Byrnes | Ronald John & Dorothy Jean Anderson |
| May | | |
| 6 | Jessica Svea Elfrieda Smith | Michael Arnold & Carol G. Crawford |
| 8 | John Joseph Arnold, Jr. | John Joseph & Patricia A. Auger |
| 10 | Michael Paul Booth | Frederick W. & Joyce D. Wilbur |

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| 11 | Jeremy David Fox | Timothy David & Ruth E. Crouse |
| 13 | Anthony Michael Florio | Anthony Frank & Mary Ann Charland |
| 20 | Richard Arthur Campanini, Jr. | Richard Arthur & Debra Lee Veronosi |
| 21 | Heather Ann Morrison | John Ambrose, Jr. & Nancy Jane Finch |
| 26 | Jason Adam McMann | William James & Jacqueline L. Doten |
| 31 | Laura Jean Sutherland | Paul Gardiner & Ellen L. Ellis |
| June | | |
| 4 | Joy Marie Walsh | Charles Albert & Maureen C. Holland |
| 6 | Douglas Walter Salvador | Paul Joseph & Lynne F. Nickerson |
| 26 | Jesse Krawiec | Robert Francis & Ruth S. Connors |
| 27 | Kirstin Dowd | Edward & Bettie B. Bowman |
| July | | |
| 5 | Colleen Ann Woodlock | Gerard & Bernice Adele Broughall |
| 8 | Daniel Paul Slater | Robert Bruce & Barbara Ann Florio |
| 15 | Jason Nathaniel Gaffney | Charles Patrick & Jacqueline Helen Gillman |
| 22 | Laura Stephanie Grasso | Pasquale Frank & Kathleen Ann Morrissey |
| 24 | Carla Adrienne Hunt | Harold John & Sandra Jean Bradshaw |
| 24 | Damian James Tsika | James Richard & Ann Marie Sullivan |
| August | | |
| 1 | Matthew Gregory Burke | Francis Leo, Jr. & Debra Ann Tibnam |
| 1 | Lisa Marie Morse | Robert Ernest & Susan Jean Duquette |
| 11 | Karen Lynn Murch | Keneth Charles & Rita Ann Leroux |
| 19 | Cheryl Ann Leggat | John Kenneth & Judith Ann Queenan |
| 27 | Jesse Paul Corcoran | Paul Edward & Marsha Anne Hunt |
| 27 | Kara Gray O'Brien | Daniel Francis, Jr. & Carol Marie Gray |
| September | | |
| 14 | Calvin Christopher King | Calvin Thomas & Cheryl Lee DeCosta |

| | | |
|----------|--------------------------------|---|
| 15 | Joy-Marie Howland | Jay & Ingrid Ritchie |
| 15 | William Thomas Holmes | William Herbert & Patricia Denise Hallinan |
| 19 | Stafford Earl Cumberledge, Jr. | Stafford Earl, Sr. & Linda Louise Monsini |
| 22 | Angel Marie Burr | Peter James & Brenda Louise Sargo |
| October | | |
| 3 | Michael Joseph McAvoy | Kevin Joseph & Kathleen Marie Perry |
| 4 | Bradley Allen Mitchell | George Hall & Beverly Ann Pedini |
| 9 | Brian Edward Peters | Joseph Edward, Jr. & Katherine Frances Hurley |
| 15 | Scott John Martin | John Louis & Arleen Claudia Hintlian |
| 16 | Darren Ross Hart | Russell Denis & Karen Jean McCulloch |
| 21 | Tristan Klok | Donald Joe & Marianne Margaret Girdvainis |
| 30 | Richard William Lincoln | Robert William & Joanne Hunnewell |
| November | | |
| 9 | Lance Clair Gill | Richard Allen & Linda P. Hall |
| 14 | Amie Marie Durgin | Kevin Francis & Valerie L. Broman |
| 19 | Kerry Anne MacCurtain | William Patrick & Denise Marie Ahern |
| 21 | Kevin Bryce Kelley | George K. & Joanne M. Semeter |
| December | | |
| 1 | David Francis Whelan | Lawrence Joseph Jr., & Laurie Louise Ahlborg |
| 9 | Kenneth Michael Holmes | Paul Edward & Donna Marie Lindquist |
| 9 | Heather Lyn Kenrick | Robert Huntington & Linda Ann Bonitatibus |
| 15 | Traci Evelyn Chamberlain | Joseph Warren & Debbie Ruth Preston |
| 15 | Shawn Eileen Broderick | John Michael & Dawn Elizabeth Finerfrock |
| 19 | Jodi Elizabeth Kincade | Mark Robert & Marilyn Shaw |
| 26 | William Keene Mandeville | Richard Keene & Janet Louise Horton |
| 26 | Robert Willis Mandeville | Richard Keene & Janet Louise Horton |
| 29 | Kelly Anne Newiman | Ronald Bruce & Jeanne Bosquet |

Marriages Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1975

January

- 18 Harry A. Backstrom of West Bridgewater and Isabella G. Carpentier of Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 24 Steven Holman of East Bridgewater and Jeanne E. Thomas of West Bridgewater at Brockton, Mass.

February

- 8 David L. Camarra of Brockton and Shirley Marie Baker of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Richard K. Burke of West Bridgewater and Susan M. Tufts of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 16 Paul Edward Holmes of West Bridgewater and Donna Marie Lindquist of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 23 Peter W. Stacilauskas of Hanson and Linda J. Brophy of Hanson at West Bridgewater.

March

- 7 Daniel P. Currie of West Bridgewater and Kathleen Crowley of Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 8 Paul D. Tisdale of Brockton and Deborah F. Lindberg of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 22 John L. Churchill of Brockton and Beth N. Pezzano of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 29 Mark E. Owen of Brockton and Cindy J. Thompson of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.

April

- 5 Robert E. Eddy of Brockton and Joan M. Gannon (Armstrong) of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 12 Frank W. Machado of Brockton and Mary J. Dias of West Bridgewater at Brockton.
- 18 Luis M. Cavacas of West Bridgewater and Cheryl A. Davis of East Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 19 Christopher B. Slater of West Bridgewater and Amelia P. Sardinha of New Bedford at New Bedford.
- 20 Ralph W. Johnson of West Bridgewater and Claudia Worsham of Halifax at Halifax.
- 26 Peter B. Hamilton, Jr. of East Bridgewater and Jacqueline M. Kemp of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 29 Scot W. Bradley of Attleboro and Elaine C. Madden of West Bridgewater at Attleboro.

May

- 11 Thomas McCaffrey of West Bridgewater and Susan Lee Stetson of East Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.
- 17 Robert Bruce Hayward, Jr. of Portsmouth, N.H. and Kim Marie Brown of Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

- 19 Roger Gregory Noonan of Brockton and Irene Amanda Papillon of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 22 Scott Patterson of West Bridgewater and Christine Kelley of West Bridgewater at Abington.
- 23 Michael Reuben Brandon of Weymouth and Frances Adrienne Zangala of Weymouth at West Bridgewater.
- 24 Bruce D. Schaffer of West Lebanon, N.H. and Cynthia Crowell of West Lebanon at Brockton.
- 31 Douglas Scott Eames of Easton and Sayan Hiemharn of Easton in West Bridgewater.
- June
- 3 Robert Clifton Bennett, Jr. of Brockton and Dyane Lee (Bartholomew) Grigon of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 7 Richard D. Riha of Plymouth and Judith L. Carrigan of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 7 John Wesley Noyes, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Joan Rita Babb of Brockton at Brockton.
- 14 George Hanson of South Easton and Lynne Gummow of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 14 Earl Joseph Bordeaux of West Bridgewater and Gayle Marie LaBelle of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 27 Robert James Bryant of Brockton and Alys Anne (Petravicz) Thomas of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 28 James Dudley Pratt of Kingston and Carol Ann Koski (Feinberg) of Middleboro at West Bridgewater.
- 30 John Francis Rapoza of Brockton and Christine Pettigrew of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- July
- 3 Vincent Loyami Wedge of Brockton and Helen (Despotopoulos) Harris of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 4 Ronald James Yurkievich of Brockton and Victoria Mary (Fortin) Ramoska of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 5 Gary D. LaCrosse of West Bridgewater and Leona Jollymore of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 5 Kenneth Francis Rynn of Millbury Ma. and Ann Thersa Costa of Bridgewater at Bridgewater.
- 6 Michael J. Faria of Bridgewater and Kathleen Anne Boyd of Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 12 Steven Francis Mahoney of Sharon and Cynthia Ann Fairburn of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 19 Asa Eugene Keefer of West Bridgewater and Diane Christine Denzer of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 23 Quintino A. Perry of West Bridgewater and Ruth Tucker (Hammond) of Sarasota, Florida at West Bridgewater.
- 25 Stephen Landreville of West Bridgewater and Cindy Reed of Weymouth at Abington.
- 26 James Thomas Woolf of Weymouth and Jean Marie (Olsen) Taber of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

August

- 1 Carroll K. Rickert of Quincy and Marie G. Trottier of Manchester, New Hampshire at West Bridgewater.
- 1 Bruce Anderson of West Bridgewater and Suzanne L. Hunt of Brockton at East Bridgewater.
- 7 Ralph H. McDougal of Stoughton and Theresa (Deeg) Brueggeman of Stoughton at West Bridgewater.
- 9 Robert Martin Thacker of Collegeville, Pa. and Barbara Joyce Surgens of West Bridgewater at Brockton, Ma.
- 9 David B. Coelho of West Bridgewater and Donna E. Lund of Pembroke at Barnstable.
- 9 Alan Hess of W. Bridgewater and Susan M. Nash of Plympton at Brockton.
- 16 John George Wojciechowski of West Bridgewater and Brenda Jean Brennan of South Weymouth at Barnstable.
- 16 Thomas E. Goodale of Brockton and Cheryl Ann Wright of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 16 Neal E. Nicholson of Bridgewater and Christine A. (Landry) Bullerwell of Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 16 Gerald Sterling Kidling of West Bridgewater and Barbara A. Chase (Fleming) of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 17 Edward George Trachtenberg of Brockton and Dorothy Heler. (Kushner) Bloom of Boston at West Bridgewater.
- 23 David Dunham Raynard of Brockton and Kathleen Iris (Pitts) Spengler of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 23 James Alan Barta of Brockton and Janice Ellen Fogg of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 24 James Bruce Urquahart of Brockton and Janet Elizabeth Rufrano of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 30 James Gallerani of Cambridge and Joan E. Daley of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 31 Joseph Willett Cucinotta of Weymouth and Ruth Claire Bright of Weymouth at West Bridgewater.

September

- 5 William Robert Perry of Brockton and Cynthia G. Donadio of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 6 John D. Herbert of Brockton and Linda DeStefano of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 6 Peter H. Krushas of E. Bridgewater and Nancy E. Sigren of West Bridgewater at Brockton, Mass.
- 6 Robert E. Coffey, Jr. of Brockton and Janine T. Lefebvre of Boston at West Bridgewater.
- 7 Stephen A. Picher of Stoughton and Laura L. McAnough of Brockton at West Bridgewater.
- 13 Lee Schwartz of Stoughton and Deborah Gauthier of West Bridgewater at Raynham, Mass.
- 13 Calvin L.C. Lane of East Bridgewater and Cynthia D. Holton of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.
- 20 Thomas A. Garrison of Dayton Ohio and Dorothy J. Minard of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

21 William S. Kameese, Jr. of Brockton and Cheryl L. Macomber of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

27 Max G. Seyfert of West Bridgewater and Amelia M. Bordeaux (Cannon) of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

October

5 Timothy B. Pouliot of Attleborough and Diane M. Chaves of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

18 John T. Coyle of Braintree and Cathleen A. Carey of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

19 Charles F. Doiron of West Bridgewater and Janice Hinglebine of Brockton at Brockton.

25 Michael Centrella of West Bridgewater and Susan Flaherty of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

November

8 George J. Gentile of Cambridge, Ma. and Margaret A. Mahoney of Watertown, Ma. at West Bridgewater.

15 Richard Leo Koslowsky of East Bridgewater and Deborah Ann (Wyatt) Shurtleff of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

15 Richard L. Murphy, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Virginia F. O'Brien of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

22 Edgar Samuel Abbot, Jr. of East Bridgewater and Frances Margaret (Anderson) Yakavonis of East Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

29 Frederick M. Fisher of P.E.I. and Catherine A. Parr of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

29 William C. Previti of Easton and Mary (Mallard) Sheridan of Easton at West Bridgewater.

29 Edward J. Carlton of West Bridgewater and Jeannine D. Brown (Boucher) of West Bridgewater at East Bridgewater.

December

5 Alan Mitchell Vieu of Brockton and Kathleen Faith Thompson of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

5 John Charles Smolinsky of Brockton and Sharon P. (Tibbetts) Waters of Brockton at West Bridgewater.

8 Ronald B. Bernard of Brockton and Laura L. T. Boose of Brockton at West Bridgewater.

12 John Wallace of West Bridgewater and Maureen Perry (Butler) of Brockton at East Bridgewater.

22 Paul Chilauskas of West Bridgewater and Lou Anne Johnson of West Bridgewater at West Bridgewater.

24 Paul L. Siskin of Brockton and Paula Jeanne Greene of Brockton at West Bridgewater.

28 Ralph S. Wilsack of Easton and Susan Martel of Easton at West Bridgewater.

Deaths Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1975

| Date | Name | Cause |
|----------|---------------------------------|---|
| 1974 | | |
| November | | |
| 17 | Clara Gambao | Metastatic Adenocarcinoma |
| 1975 | | |
| January | | |
| 6 | Marjorie (Still) Alden | Ruptured Thoracic Aneurysm |
| 6 | John Edward Lally, Sr. | Myocardial Infraction, Coronary Heart Disease |
| 11 | Oscar A. Engstrom | Arterio Sclerotic Heart Disease |
| 28 | Carl H. Johnson | Heart Disease, Presumably Coronary Occlusion |
| 28 | Anna (Jacobson) Anderson | Chronic Interstitial Pneumonia |
| February | | |
| 2 | Thomas Michael Leo Madden | Acute Myocardial Infraction |
| 19 | Foster Piver, Jr. | Blast Injury-Accidental |
| 20 | Karl W. Farrar | Myocardial Infraction |
| 21 | Ruth G. Nickerson (Keene) | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease |
| 26 | Edward A. Smith | Respiratory Failure |
| March | | |
| 4 | Henry J. Pomeroy | Myocardial Infraction |
| 20 | Francis X. Burque | Coronary Occlusion |
| 20 | Hjalmar Sigren | Metastatic Carcinoma |
| 26 | Ruth Robinson Wells (Mills) | Pneumonia |
| April | | |
| 1 | Bernice O. McFadden (Stewart) | Arteriosclerosis |
| 9 | Irving L.E. Steffen | Acute Myocardial Infraction |
| 23 | Georgia Christensen (MacDonald) | Pneumonia |
| May | | |
| 2 | Bernice Purpura (Abate) | Acute Leukemia |
| 7 | Earl G. Clement | Acute Bronchopneumonia |
| 10 | Margaret M. Curley (Scannell) | Acute Myocardial Infraction |
| 20 | Everett C. Clark | Cardiac Arrest |
| June | | |
| 23 | Lawrence E. Kerr | Asphyxiation, Due to Drowning |
| 28 | Malcolm Stephen Dalton | Peritonitis |

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|-----------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| July | | |
| 4 | Antone Sousa | Cerebral Hemorrhage |
| 6 | James Harrison | Acute Congestive Heart Failure |
| 9 | Robert C. Mortimer | Arterio Sclerotic Heart Disease |
| 15 | Fred L. Wright, Jr. | Metastatic Malignant Melanoma |
| 24 | Florence E. Coyle (Gwynn) | Desquamative Interstitial Pneumonitis |
| 26 | Magnus Joel Pearson | Complete Heart Block |
| August | | |
| 30 | Nahum Packard Gillespie | Acute Myocardial Infraction |
| 30 | Frank Edmond Copeland | Intestinal Haemorrhage |
| September | | |
| 2 | Chester A. Krachukoski | Asphyxiation |
| 6 | Norris I. MacNevin | Acute Myocardial Infraction |
| 12 | Gloria (Webb) Picchione | Metastatic Breast Cancer |
| 13 | Harry Richardson | Demyelinating Disease |
| 26 | Alma Lindquist | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease |
| 26 | Francis Aikens | Heart Disease |
| October | | |
| 26 | Alberta Hardenbrook | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease |
| 27 | Gladys (Moore) Owens | Pneumonia |
| 31 | Eleanor J. (Swanson) Olson | Idiopathic Cardiomyopathy |
| November | | |
| 22 | George F. Wylie | Accident, Fractured Skull |
| 30 | Francelina Perry (Barboza) | Pneumonia |
| December | | |
| 23 | Bela H. Alden | Ependyma Abdominal Aortic Artery |
| 23 | Harry G. Pierson | Acute Myocardial Infraction |
| 31 | Robina (Crossan) Merrey | Cardiac Arrest |

DOG LICENSES ISSUED in 1975

| | | | | |
|-------------------|----------|---|--------|---------------|
| Male | 552 | @ | \$3.00 | \$1,656.00 |
| Female | 139 | @ | 6.00 | 834.00 |
| Spayed Female | 397 | @ | 3.00 | 1,191.00 |
| Kennel | 20 | @ | 10.00 | 200.00 |
| Kennel | 1 | @ | 25.00 | 25.00 |
| Kennel | <u>3</u> | @ | 50.00 | <u>150.00</u> |
| | 1112 | | | \$4,056.00 |
| Less Clerk's fees | 1112 | @ | .35 | <u>389.20</u> |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | | \$3,666.80 |

A true copy

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

FISH and GAME LICENSES ISSUED in 1975

| | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|---|---------|---------------|
| Res. Citizen Fishing Lic. | 309 | @ | \$ 8.25 | \$2,549.25 |
| Res. Citizen Hunting Lic. | 122 | @ | 8.25 | 1,006.50 |
| Res. Citizen Sporting Lic. | 168 | @ | 13.50 | 2,268.00 |
| Res. Citizen Minor Fishing Lic. | 32 | @ | 6.25 | 200.00 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping Lic. | 4 | @ | 11.50 | 46.00 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping Minor Lic. | 3 | @ | 6.25 | 18.75 |
| Res. Alien Fishing Lic. | 1 | @ | 11.25 | 11.25 |
| Non Res. Cit./Alien Fishing Lic. | 3 | @ | 14.25 | 42.75 |
| Non Res. 7 Day Lic. | 2 | @ | 8.25 | 16.50 |
| Waterfowl Stamps | <u>107</u> | @ | 1.25 | <u>133.75</u> |
| | 751 | | | \$6,292.75 |
| Less Clerk's fees | 751 | @ | .25 | <u>187.75</u> |
| | | | | \$6,105.00 |
| Archery Deer Stamps | 10 | @ | 5.10 | <u>51.00</u> |
| | | | | 6,156.00 |
| Less Clerk's fees | 10 | @ | .10 | <u>1.00</u> |
| | | | | 6,155.00 |
| Duplicates | 4 | @ | 1.00 | <u>4.00</u> |
| | | | | 6,159.00 |
| Number Issued and Amount | | | | |
| Paid to Div. Fisheries & Game | <u>765</u> | | | \$6,159.00 |

Free Licenses

| | |
|--|----|
| Res. Citizen Sporting Lic. (over 70) | 28 |
| Res. Citizen Fishing— Paraplegic or Blind | 1 |

A true copy

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

Miscellaneous Receipts — 1975

| | | | | |
|---|------|---|---------|-------------|
| Appeals | 14 | @ | \$25.00 | \$ 350.00 |
| Building Codes | 23 | @ | 1.00 | 23.00 |
| Building Permits | 130 | | | 4,201.00 |
| Maps | 46 | @ | .25 | 11.50 |
| Zoning Maps | 17 | @ | 1.50 | 25.50 |
| Photocopies | | | | 79.50 |
| Street Lists | 28 | @ | 2.00 | 56.00 |
| Raffle & Bazaar Permits | 4 | @ | 10.00 | 40.00 |
| Pole Petitions for 1975 | | | | 25.75 |
| Gas Renewals | 38 | @ | 12.50 | 478.00 |
| Subdivision Regulations | 2 | @ | .50 | 1.00 |
| Uniform Commercial Codes | 99 | @ | 5.00 | 495.00 |
| Uniform Commercial Codes | 1 | @ | 3.00 | 3.00 |
| Termination Commercial Codes | 19 | @ | 2.00 | 38.00 |
| Termination Commercial Codes | 1 | @ | 3.00 | 3.00 |
| Certified Copies Births, Death, and Marriages: | 173 | @ | 1.00 | 173.00 |
| | 54 | @ | .50 | 27.00 |
| | 33 | @ | 2.00 | 66.00 |
| Marriage Certificates | 48 | @ | 4.00 | 192.00 |
| Marriage Certificates | 3 | @ | 8.00 | 24.00 |
| Business Certificates | 15 | @ | 1.00 | 15.00 |
| I. D. Liquor Cards | 21 | @ | 2.00 | 42.00 |
| Dump Stickers | 348 | @ | .50 | 174.00 |
| Dump Permits (Special) | 3 | @ | 10.00 | 30.00 |
| Dog Licenses Fees | 1192 | @ | .35 | 392.00 |
| Fish & Game Fee | 828 | @ | .25 | 207.00 |
| Archery Stamp Fees | 10 | @ | .10 | 1.00 |
| Occupancy Permits | 23 | | | 435.00 |
| Sewerage Permits—New | 30 | @ | 25.00 | 750.00 |
| Sewerage Permits—Repairs | 29 | @ | 15.00 | 435.00 |
| Electrical Permits | 126 | | | 546.00 |
| Plumbing Permits | 83 | | | 544.00 |
| Gas Permits | 41 | | | 547.00 |
| Sign Permits | 12 | | | 189.60 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | 4.75 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | | \$10,624.60 |

List of Jurors

WEST BRIDGEWATER, MA.
JULY 1, 1975-JUNE 30, 1976

| Name | Residence | Business or Occupation & Address of Employer or Business |
|--------------------------|----------------|---|
| Albert, Edna L. | 28 N. Main | Manager, Cumberland Farms Store, 777 Dedham St., Canton, Ma. |
| Alexander, Paul | 10 Charles | Husband, Truck Driver, Waco Equip., 41 Water Street, Holbrook, Ma. |
| Baker, Gilbert D., Jr. | 388 S. Elm | Retired School Custodian - Wife, Housewife |
| Berry, William E. | 392 S. Elm | Second Vice Pres., Personnel, Plymouth Home Nat. Bank, 34 School St., Brockton, Ma. Wife, Housewife |
| Boardman, Joseph W. | 42 Matfield | Construction Supt. A. P. Whitaker & Sons, 652 W. Center St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Bowden, Priscilla | 600 W. Center | Wife, Housewife |
| Brown, William R., Jr. | 482 N. Elm | Insurance Cashier, Reliance Ins., 3 Center Plaza, Boston, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| Burke, Patrice M. | 855 N. Main | Housewife |
| Burrill, H. Kingman | 451 Matfield | Husband - Builder, President Bowden Homes, Inc., 75 Foundry St., S. Easton, Ma. Accounting Systems & Procedures Analyst, State St. Bank & Trust, 225 Franklin St., Boston. Wife, Housewife |
| Cadigan, Joseph D. | 24 Milebrook | Housewife & Mother |
| Cain, William | 327 East | Husband, Computer Operator, Schmid Bros., 55 Pacella Park, Randolph, Ma. |
| Carlson, Stanley O. | 295 South | Tour Boss, Bird & Son, East Walpole, Ma. Wife, Nurse, Supervisor, Goddard Hospital, Stoughton, Ma. |
| Carrozza, Dorothy E. | 19 Norman | Banker, Collection Supervisor, First Nat. Bank of Boston, 100 Federal St., Boston, Ma. Wife, Secretary |
| Cheyunski, Lillian J. | 755 W. Center | Service Foreman, N.E.T. & T.Co., 2680 N. Main St., Fall River, Ma. - Wife, Reg. Nurse |
| Chaves, Katherine M. | 6 Shagbark Rd. | Senior Material Cont. Coordinator, Gen. Dynamics, E. Howard St., Quincy, Ma. Wife, Secretary |
| Conant, Lawrence D. | 45 S. Elm | Waitress, Capeway Manor, Main St., Brockton, Ma. - Husband, Presser |
| Costello, Joseph P., Jr. | 56 Hartshorn | Housewife - Husband, Service Sta. Att., Midway Mobil, 575 W. Center St., W. Bridgewater Housewife - Husband, C.P.A., Self-Employed, 9 N. Main St., West Bridgewater, Ma. Research & Development Eng. Process Equip. Manuf., Bird Machine, Walpole, Ma. Title Mechanical Designer Power Piping Design/Engineer, Nuclear Power Plants, Stone and Webster Eng. Corp., 245 Summer St., Boston, Ma. - Wife, Stat. Clerk |

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| Crowell, Betty C. | 144 West | Abstractor, Land Title Search, 144 West St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. Husband, General Building Contractor, T.F. Crowell Sons, 970 Montello St., Brockton, Ma. |
| D'Ambrosio, Ruth E. | 30 Belmont | Hostess, LePage Steak House, Easton, Ma. |
| Devine, Thomas J. | 34 Brewster Rd. | Husband, Meat Cutter, Brockton Beef & Prod. Co., Crescent St., Brockton, Mass. |
| Eng, James | 28 Milebrook | Materials Tester (MBTA), 170 Freeport St., Dorchester, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| Forest Gerard | 301 W. Center | Research Elect. Tech. AF, Cambridge Research Lab., Bedford, Ma. |
| Gatt, Robert C. | 2 Aldrich Rd. | Wife, Restaurant Manager |
| Haesey, Robert T. | 466 Matfield | Retired - Wife, Presser |
| Haight, Doris G. | 2 Crescent | Restaurant Chef, Jimmy's Restaurant, Main St., Brockton, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| Higgins, Lorraine | 79 River | Systems Work & Administration, Prudential Ins. Co., Brockton, Ma. |
| Holmgren, John L. | 485 Matfield | Wife, Registered Nurse |
| Hoyt, Jack R. | 51 Pinecrest | Housewife - Husband, Attorney, Self-Employed, 480 Adams St., E. Milton, Ma. |
| Jensen, Doris L. | 30 Norman Av. | Clerk - Husband, Route Salesman, H. P. Hood, E. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Johnson, Robert E. | 82 Belmont | Regional Rep. Mutual Funds, Eaton & Howard, Inc., 24 Federal St., Boston, Ma. |
| Jones, John L. | 185 Scotland | Wife, Housewife |
| Kent, John J. | 161 S. Main | Estimate Assigner, N. E. Tel., 65 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| Krebs, Edith M. | 855 N. Main | Housewife - Husband, Shoe Pattern Maker, Dumber Pattern Co., Brockton, Ma. |
| Leach, David T. | 1 Milebrook | Research Engineer, Boxboro Co., Boxboro, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| Lindskog, Elizabeth A. | 69 Belmont | Specifications Engineer, Raytheon Co., Waltham, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| Long, Ann M. | 10 Brooks Pl. | Shipper, Component Mfg. Co., W. Bridgewater, Ma. - Wife, Teacher |
| Long, Michael F. | 10 Brooks Pl. | Ward Clerk, Cardinal Cushing Gen. Hospital, 235 N. Pearl St., Brockton, Mas. |
| MacHardy, Francis X. | 470 Matfield | Assoc. Dir. of Admissions, Boston, University, Boston, Ma. - Wife, Guidance Counselor |
| MacMullen, Donald G. | 42 Brooks Pl. | Housewife |
| Magee, Frederic L. Jr. | 148 Turnpike | Husband, Truck Driver, Intercity, Trans., 600 Turnpike St., S. Easton, Ma. |
| | | Housewife |
| | | Husband, Conduit Work Inspector, N.E.T. Co., 1690 Main St., Brockton, Ma. |
| | | Conduit Work Inspector, N.E.T. Co., 1690 Main St., Brockton, Ma. - Wife, Housewife |
| | | Chief Inspector, Q. C. Mngr., Mutron Corp., 646 Summer St., Brockton, Ma. |
| | | Wife, Telephone Clerk |
| | | Supt. Service Dept., Bay State Gas Co., 995 Belmont St., Brockton, Ma. |
| | | Wife, Housewife-Clerk |
| | | Building Maintenance, Magee's Bee Supply, 148 Turnpike St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| | | Wife, Housewife |

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| Mann, John L., Jr. | 45 Brewster | Truck Disp., Boston Edison, 1165 Mass. Ave., Roxbury, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| Martin, Mildred M. | 855 N. Main | Price Checker, Brockton Public Mkt., Laurel St., E. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Meal, James D. | 65 Pleasant | Husband, Retired Mfg. Engineer, Honeywell Inc., Old Conn. Path, Framingham, Ma. Wife, Housewife |
| Murphy, Donald E. | 417 Matfield | Super. D.E.S., Chas. Hurley Bldg., Boston, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| North, Lucille | 67 Ash | Housewife — Husband, Laborer, Henry Perkins Co., Bridgewater, Ma. |
| North, Wilfred | 67 Ash | Laborer, Henry Perkins Co., Bridgewater, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| O'Connell, Robert F. | 44 Matfield | Foreman, Ward Machine Co., 966 Main St., Brockton, Mass. |
| Patterson, Ralph | 86 Matfield | Dist. Mgr. News Delivery, Brockton Enterprise, 60 Main St., Brockton, Ma. Wife, Assembler |
| Peloquin, M. Jeannette | 855 N. Main | Office Cashier, Stop & Shop, 715 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Perkins, Barbara | 96 Howard | Husband, Meat Cutter |
| Podolsky, Henry | 18 Brewster | Sub. Librarian—Clerk, School Dept., W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Polley, Janette | 46 N. Main | Husband, Vice-Pres., Henry Perkins Co., Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Raymond, Edith | 34 Norman | Salesman, Hardware Agents, 116 Foundry St., Wakefield, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| Read, Samuel A. | 67 Plain | Area Rep., Child Evangelism, Rev. LaVerne Weber, 93 Hartwell Rd., Bedford, Ma. |
| Richardson, George E. | 487 East | Asst. Bookkeeper, Connors Wayside Furn., 2239 Washington St., Canton, Ma. Husband, Union Painter, Local 296, Brockton, Ma. |
| Richardson, John D. | 16 Scotland | Energy Consulting Engr., Brockton, Ma., 36 Main St. — Wife, Housewife |
| Roffinoli, Robert J. | 462 Matfield | Stationary Engineer, Cen. Cont. Oper., Boston Edison, 800 Boylston St., Boston, Ma. Wife, Housewife |
| Roscoe, Jeanne C. | 80 Columbus Av. | Electronic Tech., Eastern Utilities Associates, Summer St., Boston, Ma. Wife, Housewife |
| Roulstone, Barbara M. | 17 Spring | Design Control Panels, CDI Corp., 197 First Ave., Needham, Ma. |
| Roussel, Charles M. | 89 Columbus | Teacher, West Bridgewater School Dept. — Husband, Q. C. Engineer |
| Savino, Carol A. | 855 N. Main | Housewife — Husband, Program News Dir., WOKW, 288 Linwood St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Scranton, Alice D. | 255 Pleasant | Sales Mgr., N.E.T.&T., 1690 Main St., Brockton, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| Seabloom, Dorothy E. | 29 Spring | Order Girl, Plymouth Rubber Co., Revere St., Canton, Ma. Housewife — Husband, Teacher, Plymouth, Ma. Substitute Teacher, West Bridgewater |

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| Spencer, William E. Jr. | 340 S. Elm | Lineman, N.E.T., 1043 Pearl St., Brockton, Ma. — Wife, Reg. Nurse |
| Surgens, Donald E. | 413 Spring | Bldg. Maintenance Foreman, N.E.T. Co., 4 S. Main St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Tanner, David J. | 10 Norman Av. | Wife, Homemaker |
| Thayer, Evelyn D. | 16 Union | Dir. Job Training CETA Program, Brockton, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| Trucchi, William Jr. | 63 E. Center | Retired, Secretary-Nursing Service, Brockton V. A. Hosp. |
| Tsiasas, Costas | 378 Matfield | Husband, Retired Purchasing Agent |
| Tuck, Margaret | 192 Spring | Executive Trainee for Wholesale-Retail Groceries, R. F. Owens Co. dba Trucchi's Supermarkets — Wife, Housewife |
| Ward, Lois C. | 32 Merritt | Manager, EZ Market — Wife, Housewife |
| York, Murtion A. | 413 Crescent | Councillor, W. Bridgewater School System |
| Zamaitis, Elizabeth | 18 Central Sq. | Husband, Conservation Administrator, Town of Framingham, Ma. |
| | | Clerk, N.E.T. & T. Co., 65 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma. |
| | | Shop Superintendent, Emanon, 480 Neponset St., Canton, Ma. — Wife, Housewife |
| | | Clerk, Tax Collector's Office, Town Hall, W. Bridgewater, Ma. — Husband, Technician |

JURORS DRAWN IN 1975

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|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| Shirley Almquist | Civil Session | David Leach | Criminal Session |
| Conrad J. Anderson, Jr. | Civil Session | Frederic L. Magee, Jr. | Criminal Session |
| H. Louise Anderson | Special Criminal | Ellen L. Murphy | Criminal Session |
| Joan P. Asker | Criminal Session | Robert F. O'Connell | Civil Session |
| Francis J. Beary | Civil Session | Carlton D. Pratt | Grand Juror |
| Harriet E. Bettencourt | Special Criminal | Hilda Seabloom | Criminal Session |
| Leona E. Bissonnette | Criminal Session | Richard E. Swann | Civil Session |
| George K. Black | Civil Session | Ronald Swanson | Special Criminal |
| Patricia A. Cudmore | Criminal Session | Evelyn D. Thayer | Criminal Session |
| Walter Emerson, Jr. | Criminal Session | Elizabeth Zamaitis | Criminal Session |
| Wallace E. Johnson | Civil Session | | |

Board of Selectmen

The 144th Annual Report of the Board of Selectmen is herewith presented in accordance with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter No. 40, Section No. 49.

The Board has held regularly scheduled meetings during the year. Members of this Board have met with all other town committees and departments whenever necessary.

The Highway Department has had a very busy year. Spring Street (from Crescent to Howard), High Street, Friend Street and a section of East Street from East Center to the Bridgewater town line were blacktopped. Bonnie Avenue, which was taken over from the sub-divider by our Planning Board, was completed. Wendall Avenue was surfaced and has been layed out by the Board of Selectmen. The Highway Department has recently received the new mowing tractor and sidewalk plow approved at the 1974 Annual Town Meeting.

The Crescent Street sidewalk was completed during the year. We are very much aware of the need for a definite program for sidewalk construction in many areas of our community. This Board, in cooperation with the Highway Department, will set up a definite schedule in the coming year.

The Board of Selectmen reviewed license and permit fees established by the licensing authority and some changes were made to update them. Most notable was the fifty percent increase in all our alcoholic beverage licenses. This is the first time in many years these fees were increased.

| | OLD | NEW | MAXIMUM |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| All-Alcoholic (Restaurant) | \$500.00 | \$750.00 | \$2500.00 |
| All-Alcoholic Package Store | 300.00 | 450.00 | 1500.00 |
| Wine and Malt Package Store | 150.00 | 225.00 | 1000.00 |

In conjunction with your Board of Health a new Common Victuallers license has been established for business establishments serving food on the premises. The fee is set at \$25.00 per year. This license will give the Board of Health a new avenue for supervision and control.

The Board of Selectmen wishes to commend Mr. Ernest Peterson, Building Inspector, for the many hours of extra service and the expert manner with which he supervised the workers for the CETA program. Through this program, Mr. Peterson, along with Mr. MacQuinn, Park Superintendent, were able to restore the War Memorial Park to a place the community will have pride in exhibiting to our friends and neighbors.

The CETA program, with funds made available by Town Meeting action for materials, has done a considerable amount of work for the School Department at all the various buildings except the Howard School. The collapse of the ceiling over the offices of the School Department in the un-renovated portion of the Town Hall made emergency repairs and subsequent refinishing of the School Department offices necessary.

A new elevator to provide access to town offices for handicapped persons was installed with CETA personnel and Town funds for material. This special access is required by statute.

With personnel assigned by the Federal government under the Defense Employment Redevelopment Program, all old Town records have been checked and catalogued. They will be placed in new storage facilities provided by CETA workers.

In the ensuing year further improvements in your Town offices and Highway Department facilities are being planned and will be completed through the efforts of CETA.

The entire CETA Program has been ably administered by your Selectman Richard E. Krugger and we wish to commend him for an excellent job in his accomplishment of both promoting the needs of the community and acting as a counselor for all CETA personnel.

The Board of Selectmen, under authorization by the November 18th Special Town Meeting, will move ahead to secure a sewer master plan that will be utilized by future Boards to develop a sewer system if and when it becomes necessary.

We are aware of the ever-present problems of drainage in the Town and, although no major single job is contemplated this coming year, there are many isolated areas which need immediate attention. Consequently, there will be an article for these needs on the coming Town Meeting Warrant.

The Board of Selectmen wishes to express appreciation to all individuals, committees, Boards and Departments who have worked with us in the past year and without whose devotion it would be impossible for your municipal government to function.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Johnson, *Chairman*
Michael Manugian
Richard E. Krugger

Perambulation of Town Lines

This is to certify that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 42, Sections 2 to 4, the Town boundary lines were perambulated by the Boards of Selectmen or representatives thereof on the following dates:

| | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| May 24, 1975 | East Bridgewater |
| November 22, 1975 | Bridgewater |
| December 11, 1975 | Raynham |
| December 11, 1975 | Easton |
| December 29, 1975 | Brockton |

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Charles H. Johnson, *Chairman*
Michael Manugian, *Clerk*
Richard E. Krugger

Board of Assessors

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|---|----------------------|----------------|
| Total appropriations for 12 month Fiscal Year | | |
| since 1974-1975 Tax Rate was fixed. | \$4,697,459.42 | |
| School Lunch Program | 12,236.40 | |
| Free Public Library | 2,682.00 | |
| Final Court Judgement | 2,075.85 | |
| County Tax | 130,191.65 | |
| County Hospital Assessment | 2,879.19 | |
| Ret. Munic. Teachers | 5,325.64 | |
| State Recreation Areas | 26,654.36 | |
| State Audit Municipal Accounts | 190.77 | |
| Mosquito Control Projects | 5,067.56 | |
| Elderly Lunch Program | 3,068.00 | |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills | 502.20 | |
| Air Pollution Control District | 537.53 | |
| Old Colony Planning Council | 1,430.40 | |
| Special Education | 6,172.00 | |
| Overlay Current Year | <u>97,930.32</u> | |
| Gross Amount to be Raised | | \$4,994,403.29 |
| | | |
| 1976 Fiscal Year Receipts as Certified | | |
| by the Commissioner on Cherry Sheet | 981,054.37 | |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 263,427.58 | |
| Licenses | 19,413.27 | |
| Fines | 6,644.00 | |
| General Government | 24,086.12 | |
| School (Local Receipts of School Committee) | 5,175.76 | |
| Trailer Park Fees | 5,580.00 | |
| Interest on Deposit | 78,953.19 | |
| Farm Animal, Machinery and Equipment Excise | 1,308.89 | |
| Prior Year Overestimates (Column 3 of Cherry Sheet) | 14,190.87 | |
| Available Funds | 491,821.68 | |
| Available Funds to reduce Tax Rate | 200,000.00 | |
| Veterans' Benefits | <u>24,105.77</u> | |
| Total Estimated Receipts | | 2,115,761.50 |
| NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY | | 2,878,641.79 |
| | | |
| Value of Assessed Real Estate | | |
| Land | 23,230,132.00 | |
| Buildings | <u>39,605,095.00</u> | |
| Total Real Estate | | 62,835,227.00 |
| | | |
| Value of Personal Property | | |
| Stock in Trade | 87,750.00 | |
| Machinery | 66,950.00 | |
| Misc. | 9,500.00 | |
| All Other Taxable Personal Property | <u>2,424,250.00</u> | |
| Total Personal Property | | 2,588,450.00 |
| TOTAL VALUE OF ALL ASSESSED PROPERTY | | 65,423,677.00 |

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|-----------|------------------------|
| Valuation | |
| School | 66% or \$29.04 |
| General | 34% or \$14.96 |
| | <u>100% 44.00</u> |

Tax Rate Per Thousand

44.00

School Expenses

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Salaries and General Expenses | \$2,182,100.33 |
| Southeastern Regional | 67,869.00 |
| State Aid Vocational | 3,320.87 |
| Athletic Fund Article 19 | 16,240.46 |
| Bonds and Interest | 213,025.00 |
| Overlay | 56,582.54 |
| Insurance, Buildings, etc. | 33,226.00 |
| Group Insurance | 33,501.00 |
| Retirement Fund (Plymouth County) | 12,148.29 |
| Construction | 392,658.33 |
| CETA | <u>2,149.49</u> |

Total Expenses

\$3,012,821.31

Receipts

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Transportation | 71,800.14 |
| Construction | 53,471.38 |
| Vocational Education 74 9-10 | 29,720.00 |
| Chapter 70 | 519,027.03 |
| Special Education Program 69-71 | 222,195.96 |
| Miscellaneous | <u>1,868.61</u> |

Total Receipts

898,083.12

NET SCHOOL TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION

\$2,114,738.19

EXEMPT PROPERTY

Real Estate

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Old Bridgewater Historical Society | \$ 78,690.00 |
| Church Societies | 1,198,000.00 |
| Berwick Boys' Foundation | 59,800.00 |
| Town Hall Offices and Forestry Garage | 209,300.00 |
| Highway Garage and Lot | 208,000.00 |
| Fire and Police Station | 234,000.00 |
| Water Department | 1,102,905.00 |
| Park Department | 35,414.00 |
| Cemeteries, Town-owned | 10,800.00 |
| Cemeteries, Privately-owned | 208,555.00 |
| Sanitary Landfill | 90,570.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 126,300.00 |
| All Other Town-Owned Land | 65,250.00 |
| School Department | 8,750,335.00 |
| West Bridgewater Housing Authority | 696,150.00 |
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts | <u>390,645.00</u> |

Total

\$13,464,714.00

Exempt Personal Property

Total

800,000.00

The year 1975 was an extremely busy year for your Board of Assessors. Many meetings were attended by the Board to help clarify the changes in assessing laws that seem to become more complicated every year. The Assessors also attended seminars conducted by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to further improve their ability to administer the duties of this office.

One of our most satisfying accomplishments in 1975 was the revaluing of all properties in the Town. This was done entirely by your Board with no extra expense to the Town. This was necessitated by the 1974 "Sudbury Decision", rendered by the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court that ruled that all cities and towns in our State assess at full and fair cash value. It was necessary for the Board to do a broad sales analysis and submit a plan for such a revaluation project to the Department of Corporation and Taxation for approval, which was granted. It was decided to implement that plan as of January 1, 1975 to be reflected in the tax bills for the fiscal year 1975-1976. Other cities and towns have done the same thing at costs ranging from \$30,000 to several hundred thousand dollars.

The Agricultural-Horticultural law passed in 1974 has had great effect upon our town. We have well over 100 parcels of land placed in this category. Percentagewise, this is a far higher number than anywhere else in the State. As a comparison, the entire County of Worcester, has only 30 parcels of land in the program. The administration of this Act is complex. However, your Board feels that it is an effective tool for helping to preserve the country-like character of our town so valued by its people.

The rate of construction of new properties slowed somewhat in 1975. It is not possible to advise just how much new construction will add to the total assessed value of the town. It may surprise some of the residents to learn that their town is a corporation currently valued at some \$64,000,000. This is another reason why your Board has to constantly improve their knowledge and professionalism in the administration of their duties.

We were fortunate in 1975 to have a full time CETA employee to help our secretary in her continually increasing duties. We will not have that help in 1976. With the State and County demanding more and more statistical reports from our office every month, it becomes obvious that we will eventually need more clerical help.

Finally, the Board wishes to thank the townspeople as well as other elected officials, for their continued understanding and cooperation in helping this Board to conduct their duties more efficiently.

We again remind the townspeople that we are always ready to meet with them to discuss their problems and answer their questions at any time.

Respectfully submitted,

Herbert A. Holmes, *Chairman*
Irving W. Puffer, *Clerk*
Sherwood W. Jackson

Board of Appeals

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Appeals for the year 1975.

Six meetings were held by the Board at various times during the year. A total of ten appeals were heard, all were granted. One meeting was cancelled when the petitioner withdrew the appeal.

At three of the meetings a review was made of variances granted for mobile homes. The purpose of which was to see if conditions under which the appeals were granted still existed. Twelve were reviewed and the findings were referred to the Board of Selectmen.

The Board wishes to thank the Town Counsel, the Town Clerk, Building Inspector and other town offices which gave the Board assistance during the year.

The membership of the Board remained the same as in 1974 and are as follows:

Julian E. Lucini, *Chairman*
H. Kingman Burrill, *Clerk*
John H. Hamilton, Jr.
William E Turner, Jr.
John D. Pettinelli

Alternates
Ronald S. Alger
Henry Podolsky

Council on Aging

To the Board of Selectmen:

The West Bridgewater Council on Aging increased its services to the elderly of the town this past year by providing a year-round "Meals-on-Wheels program". Under this program hot meals were delivered twice a week to those senior citizens physically unable to attend the regular hot lunch program. Approximately 24 meals were delivered each week.

The winter hot lunch program at the Rose L. MacDonald School continued this year averaging 100 servings per week. During the summer nutritional program at the First Congregational Unitarian Church, approximately 120 meals were served each week, including those delivered as part of the meals-on-wheels program. Social games followed these luncheons.

Again this year monthly health conferences were conducted at the L. Louis D'Arpino Community Village by the Bridgewater Visiting Nurse Association. The free flu clinic was repeated. Fifty-seven shots were administered by a doctor from the Brockton Medical Group and the Visiting Nurses Association.

Several bus trips were provided for the senior citizens. Most notable was the shopping trip to Dartmouth Mall.

In January of 1976 the Council joined the Brockton Area Home Care Center, Inc. Many new free services will now be available to the Town senior citizens (60 years and over): planning, preparing and serving meals; purchasing food and household supplies; housekeeping, cleaning and laundry; mending and ironing; heavy housekeeping; and minor repairs.

The Home Care Center will also provide transportation to medical appointments, to the hot lunch programs, to senior citizens community centers and to shopping centers during the hours of 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Legal referral service is also available. It is hoped that these new increased home-care services will help preserve the elderly person's independence: that it will help keep senior citizens in their own home and community, near their friends and neighbors, and out of an institution.

At this time the Council would like to thank the town officials and residents who have contributed to the success of the various programs offered during the year. It would especially like to thank Mr. Donald A. Fisher, Superintendent of Schools, and Mrs. Beverly Reynolds, Food Service Director, for the emergency services provided the Meals-on-Wheels program. Through such combined efforts the town can provide for its senior citizens the many services needed to meet their special needs and to enrich their lives.

Respectfully submitted,

Lloyd A. Sears, *Chairman*
Susan D. Puffer, *Vice-Chairman*
Evelyn Thayer, *Secretary*
Lucille C. North, *Treasurer*
Beth Burgess
Clifford Carlson
John Eldridge
Marjorie MacDonald
Virginia Michael

Ambulance Committee Report

Several meetings have been held by your Ambulance Committee. Many constructive suggestions were submitted by the entire group. Town residents are very fortunate in having members from all walks of life serving on this committee. Consequently, we had input from a doctor's point of view, police, fire, pharmaceutical, Board of Selectmen and last but certainly not least of all, your overseer of the disbursement of funds, a representative from the Finance Committee.

In addition to two members of the Police Department who have completed their EMT schooling (Emergency Medical Training), we now have three members each from the Police and Fire Departments, respectively, receiving 81 hours of training required by statute. This will give us a nucleus of eight qualified personnel.

Your Ambulance Committee is presently drawing up specifications for the purchase of a Modular Vehicle which will conform to the requirements of Federal and State regulations. The ambulance which will be second to none in the country should be in service before long.

It should be reassuring to the residents of West Bridgewater to know that you will continue to have at your beck and call, the finest emergency service available anywhere in these continental United States.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Manugian, *Chairman*

Charles Johnson, *Selectman*

Richard Krugger, *Selectman*

Doctor Joseph F. Calitri

Erwin G. Lothrop, *Chief, Police Dept.*

Edwin T. Gibson, *Chief, Fire Dept.*

Eldon T. Moreira, *Finance Committee*

James Purpura, *Board of Health*

By-Law Study Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The By-Law Study Committee respectfully submits its annual report for 1975.

The By-Law Study Committee elected the following officers for 1975: *Chairman*, George O. Merritt, *Vice Chairman*, George V. Hollertz, and *Secretary*, Geraldine Hamilton.

Numerous meetings were held in 1975 with topics such as land-fill, Town Meeting and quorum changes, third party signs, auto-dealer licenses, zoning, Town Meeting article change, offensive odors in Industrial Districts, etc. discussed.

Many co-operative meetings have been held with the Board of Selectmen, Town Clerk, and Building Inspector.

This Committee conducts open meetings in the West Bridgewater Town Hall Conference Room on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. As in the past, all meetings are open to all interested citizens of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

George O. Merritt, *Chairman*

George V. Hollertz, *Vice Chairman*

Geraldine Hamilton, *Secretary*

Gary A. Boyd

Lawrence Conant

Gilbert D. Baker, Jr.

Robert A. White

Board of Health

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen,
and the Citizens of West Bridgewater

We herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Health for the year 1975.

This year has been a active year for the Board of Health as the Sanitary Landfill Site has become the responsibility of the Board as of July 1, 1975. Hours at the Landfill Site were changed in order to operate the Site on a forty hour per week schedule as was the wishes of the voters at the March Town Meeting. Some problems have occurred but, for the most part, due to the cooperation of the people using the facility and the Superintendent of the Highway Dept., the change in hours has worked well.

Some of the land originally filled at the Landfill Site was reclaimed this year. This dirt and fill which was dug up will be used to cover new rubbish. This will allow the Board to operate the Site more economically as less new fill will have to be purchased. Also, the life expectancy of the Site will be extended.

A new service was initiated this year through the cooperation of the Board and the Bridgewater Visiting Nurses Association. On the first and third Tuesday of each month from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. the Board is conducting a Health Clinic at the Board of Health Office in the Town Hall. Services offered free of charge to Town residents are: T.B. Testing, Lead Poison Testing, and General Health Counseling. For a charge of \$1.00 Diabetes Testing is performed. A nurse is on duty at each clinic—residents should feel free to avail themselves of this program. The Board would like to extend its appreciation to Mrs. Jeanne Irving, R.N. and the Bridgewater Visiting Nurses Association for making this program possible.

Other services offered through our agreement with the Bridgewater Visiting Nurses Association were continued throughout the year. These include: Assisting with School Clinics for school children, conducting monthly clinics at the Housing for the Elderly, giving skilled nursing care in the home, providing convalescent care, assisting in health promotion activities and programs, and cooperating with the Board in any other areas in order to assure good public health.

Inspections of School Cafeterias, food markets, food service establishments, and other public facilities were continued on a regular basis this year. Also, inspection of percolation tests and installations and repairs of sewerage systems was continued. Nuisance complaints were all investigated and abated in cases where danger to public health existed. We are grateful to Raymond Doten, R.S., our health agent, for his hard work in this area.

The Board would like to extend its thanks to Mrs. Anna Brown, Town Clerk; Mr. Leo Moroni, Animal Inspector; Mr. Wallace Engstrom, Inspector of Plumbing; Mr. Ernest Peterson, Building Inspector; the Police Dept.; and the Board of Selectmen for their assistance to the Board and its agent.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward F. Cruz, *Chairman*
Kenneth A. Turner, *Clerk*
James F. Purpura, *Member*

Civil Defense Director

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report as Civil Defense Director for the Town of West Bridgewater for the year of 1975.

Civil preparedness — protection for the population — is an important element of our Nation's strategy of balance and deterrence. The basic objective of this preparedness is to save lives in time of an emergency. Emphasis today is on natural disasters, hurricanes, tornadoes, floods, snow storms, etc., however nuclear attacks or accidents still have to be prepared for. During the month of December we participated in a natural disaster exercise called "Snostorm 75". This was held on December 4th, 1975. The objective of this exercise was to evaluate the current readiness and Civil Defense capability of each community to mitigate the effects on population and property of a severe snowstorm with abrupt changes in temperature.

Radiological Measuring Instruments were checked for accuracy during the year. A complete set of these instruments is kept in the Fire Department's Emergency Wagon. Other instruments are kept in the Emergency Operating Center at the High School and at other strategic locations in Town.

This past year, 1975, a complete new set of papers had to be prepared by this office. In the past they were known as Program Papers and Progress Reports. Under the new standards they are now called Program Evaluation Summary Papers. These papers were prepared and approved. These papers are the key instrument for determining whether a State or political subdivision will be granted Federal matching funds or other Federal assistance.

Once again we participated in drills involving the National Warning System. These drills are held at different times of the day and on different days of the month. These are unannounced drills and determine if a Town has the proper communication facilities to receive the warnings contained in the drills. We participated in all of the drills during 1975.

The Town is eligible to participate in the Surplus Material Program. Visits can be made to the Surplus Warehouse in Taunton by any Department in the Town. Articles are offered at a much reduced price, however most of it has seen a lot of use or is obsolete. However many valuable articles are purchased by Cities and Towns at a great savings.

Monthly meetings are held by the Sector 2B Headquarters. These meetings include discussions of programs and problems of the communities involved in this sector.

My sincere thanks to the Board of Selectmen, Town Accountant, Deputy Civil Defense Director John C. Eldridge, Police Chief Lothrop, Fire Chief Gibson and all other members of the Town Government who have cooperated with and assisted me during the year of 1975.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert W. Anderson
Civil Defense Director

Conservation Commission

The year 1975 was slow for the Commission largely due to the lack of construction activity. There were eleven regular monthly meetings, four field trips, and two public hearings held. Orders of condition were issued to William and Ruth Couite to fill wetlands on North Main Street and to Cape Dory, Inc. to fill wetland off Crescent Street. Both were subject to conditions. An extension of Orders of Conditions for one year were issued to Albert Calef for fill off East Center Street and to the West Bridgewater Conservation Commission for filling off Ash Street.

Two Determinations were made as to the applicability of the Wetlands Protection Act and one Cease and Desist Order issued during the year.

There were no land acquisitions made during 1975, but some maintenance and improvement work was carried out on Commission land. The Ash Street Conservation property was cleared of most of the stumps and debris from land clearing and operations by the previous owner through use of CETA personnel, the Forest and Park Dept. and the Highway Dept. A twelve inch concrete culvert was installed for a distance of 100 feet across the frontage of the lot to equalize standing water conditions on either side. The Board of Selectmen assisted the Commission while the work was performed by the Highway Dept. which also installed a fence of utility poles across the front to prevent vehicular access until a final determination is made on the use of the area.

A maintenance man was hired to work one day per month on cleaning up the ever-increasing accumulations of trash in conservation areas and to make general repairs and improvements.

In cooperation with the Selectmen the regulations for the taking of herring were posted at the herring run. The Selectmen appointed Philip Tuck as Herring Warden and Thomas MacQuinn and Joseph Souza as Deputy Herring Wardens to enforce the regulations.

After a period of several months of trying to meet with a representative of Cumberland Farms to no avail, the Commission voted to file suit to force their compliance with provisions of the Wetland Protection Act to correct certain conditions along the Town River off Scotland Street that the Commission feels they are responsible for. The Commission does not object to the dyke and drainage works, only the poor job done of it and the resulting siltation of the river. At this writing, Town Counsel is preparing the suit.

The Commission wishes to express their appreciation to the following for their assistance during the year: Charles Pickering, Atty. Joseph Linehan, Atty. Francis Lynch, The Board of Selectmen, Town Clerk Anna Brown, Tom MacQuinn and the Forest and Park Dept., and Irving Sylvester and the Highway Dept.

Philip C. Tuck, *Chairman*
Russell D. Hart, *Secretary*
Thomas B. MacQuinn
Donald E. Surgens
J. Layton Hayward
Rev. Richard W. Burton
Joseph Souza

Collector of Taxes

I am submitting my report as Tax Collector.

It has been a pleasure to serve the people of West Bridgewater and I wish to express my appreciation for the cooperation received from the other Departments and the Citizens of West Bridgewater.

| | Outstanding 1/1/75 | Committed 1975 | Abated 1975 | Refunds 1975 | Collected 1975 | Tax Title | Balance 12/31/75 |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| 1970 Motor Vehicle | 496.12 | | 406.18 | | | | 89.94 |
| 1971 Motor Vehicle | 1,229.26 | 10.45 | 165.00 | | 422.83 | | 651.88 |
| 1972 Motor Vehicle | 4,197.75 | 176.90 | 815.19 | | 1,024.47 | | 2,534.99 |
| 1972 Personal Property | 142.80 | | 142.80 | | | | --- |
| 1973 Motor Vehicle | 20,780.10 | 11,336.23 | 4,981.05 | 286.56 | 19,666.87 | | 7,754.97 |
| 1973 Personal Property | 625.00 | | 150.00 | | 225.00 | | 250.00 |
| 1973 Farm | 68.50 | | 68.50 | | | | --- |
| 1974 Motor Vehicle | 38,105.30 | 83,105.34 | 16,101.99 | 1,536.47 | 94,948.04 | | 11,697.08 |
| 1974 Personal Property | 652.33 | | | | 206.13 | | 446.20 |
| 1975 Water | 11,968.95 | 97,221.99 | 182.50 | | 82,099.03 | 13,083.06 | 13,826.35 |
| 1975 Personal Property | 58,891.25 | | | | 57,721.25 | | 1,170.00 |
| 1975 Farm | 495.18 | | 556.43 | 61.25 | | | --- |
| 1975 Real Estate | 1,229,134.04 | | 7,068.50 | 10,900.51 | 1,175,188.99 | 22,644.56 | 35,132.50 |
| 1975 Water Lien | 2,000.25 | | | | 1,683.55 | 238.50 | 78.20 |
| 1976 Personal Property | | 113,891.80 | 600.00 | | 55,665.80 | | 57,626.00 |
| 1976 Farm | | 1,032.58 | | | 928.58 | | 104.00 |
| 1976 Real Estate | | 2,764,749.99 | 142,336.82 | 12,274.30 | 1,264,252.91 | | 1,370,434.56 |
| 1976 Water Lien | | 13,083.06 | | 157.40 | 11,134.58 | | 2,105.88 |
| | | | | | <u>\$2,765,168.03</u> | | <u>\$1,503,902.55</u> |

Trailer Park Excise

Interest Collected

Charges Collected

6,372.00
6,416.03
1,394.00
\$2,779,350.06

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph F. McCann,
Collector

Fire Department

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report, as Chief of the Fire Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, for the year 1975.

PERSONNEL

The Personnel of the Department remains substantially the same as last year; Chief Deputy Chief, Captain, two (2) Lieutenants, twenty-eight (28) Firefighters, seven (7) of which are full time.

Deputy Chief Francis X. Burque died on March 20, 1975.

William E. Gibson was promoted to Deputy Chief on July 1, 1975 and Francis J. Crowley was promoted to Captain on the same date.

Lt. Stuart Keith resigned from the Department on July 1, 1975.

APPARATUS

All Apparatus remains as listed in the previous Annual Report with the exception of the "Chief's Car" which is a 1974 Ford with 49,000 miles on it.

STATISTICAL REPORT

In the presentation of this Statistical Report of the Fire Department. I would first indicate that the Department responded to a total of three hundred and thirty nine (339) calls; of these 339 calls, two hundred and forty-five (245) were classified as "stills." Still calls are usually handled by the "on duty" men.

FIRE CALLS

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------|----|
| Auto | 57 | Short Circuit | 15 |
| Industrial | 7 | Dump | 4 |
| Oil Burner | 3 | Heaters | 1 |
| Sprinkler | 1 | Washing Machine | 1 |
| Grass | 10 | House | 15 |
| Overheated Stove | 2 | Shed | 4 |
| Rubbish | 5 | Woods | 10 |
| Brush | 10 | Barn | 1 |
| Truck | 8 | Chimney | 3 |
| Garage | 0 | False | 9 |
| Bomb Scare | 3 | Aid to Police | 16 |
| Misc. | 54 | Aid to West Bridgewater | 54 |
| Aid to Out of Town | 29 | Church | 2 |
| Schools | 6 | Restaurants | 1 |
| Dumpster | 1 | Clothes Dryer | 3 |
| Gasoline Wash Down | 13 | Mobile Home | 1 |
| Lock Out | 17 | TV Set | 2 |
| Auto Accidents | 5 | | |
| Gas Heaters | 6 | | |
| Permits Issued | 265 | | |
| Investigations | 29 | | |
| Oil Burner Inspections | 29 | | |
| Propane Tank Inspections | 12 | | |

In the performance of these duties the following information applies:

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|-------------------------|--------|
| Apparatus Mileage | 11,341 |
| Pump Hours | 166 |
| Hose Laid 2½" | 19,850 |
| 1½" | 9,525 |
| 1 1/8" | 14,680 |
| Booster Hose | 1,925 |
| Ladders Raised | 1,075 |

INSPECTIONS

Inspections, as required by Law of Schools, Public Buildings and specified business establishments were regularly made. Fire Drills were staged at all schools.

1975 FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING PROGRAM

Lt. John D. Richardson, Drillmaster

During 1975 we held thirty-five (35) regular Training Sessions for permanent and call firemen. The permanent men are continuing their daily "in-service" drill program. Drill sessions were held at the Bridgewater Fire Department on Tank Truck Fires and the proper suppression. A drill session on the proper handling of Electrical Wires and Services at accident scenes was held at the East Bridgewater Fire Department.

Presently some of the permanent men are enrolled in the Emergency Medical Training Sessions, when all permanent men have been trained in this course the call men will also be enrolled.

FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

Deputy Chief William E. Gibson, Jr.

As the business and industrial community in the town has increased in size and diversity, so too has the work and activity of the Fire Prevention Bureau increased. This growth, coupled with an increased dependence of the Office of the State Fire Marshall on local Fire Inspectors, has served to materially increase the work and activity of the Bureau.

Periodic inspections of all places of business and other establishments to which the public has right of access have been made by Chief Edwin T. Gibson, Deputy Chief William E. Gibson, Capt. Francis J. Crowley and all permanent members of the Department.

Inspections of Town-owned buildings have also been made. Recommendations were made to responsible persons to correct undesirable conditions noted as a result of these inspections.

In cooperation with a number of Teachers, pupils in Grades 1-6 in the Elementary Schools were provided with Fire Prevention materials and programs. The continued support and assistance of these young people in taking the Fire Prevention message to their homes, and the care and concern to reduce the incidence of fire in their respective homes and neighborhood is much appreciated.

Together with the West Bridgewater Jaycees a program of identifying location of childrens' bedrooms was instituted. Any family wishing such identification is requested to contact the station and decal identification will be affixed by a Firefighter.

A total of forty seven (47) trucks and tank vehicles were inspected as transporters of Class A and B fuels and reports were filed with the State Fire Marshall.

In cooperation with the Town Building Inspector, Chief Gibson and members of the Fire Prevention Bureau have consulted on adequate and proper compliance with the requirements of the new Home Fire Alarm law. Also, the annual inspections for renewal of Licenses of liquor establishments were made together with the Building Inspector.

A word of **WARNING** to all persons who may be using auxiliary heating devices, to exercise great caution with respect to proper and fire-safe installation and operation. Wood burning stoves and other heating units should be installed and operated with due regard for spacing away from combustible surfaces and materials and vented in chimneys that have been carefully maintained.

"FIRE PREVENTION MEANS JUST THAT — A LITTLE CARE MAKES FIRE RARE"

REQUESTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

I have submitted in my budget for 1976-1977 requests for:

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| 1. Five (5) Tone Radios @ \$198. each | \$1000.00 |
| 2. One (1) Portable Radio, two (2) Frequencies | 725.00 |
| 3. One (1) Water Vack Salvage Master | 400.00 |
| 4. Two (2) Scot Air Tanks @ \$105. each | 210.00 |
| 5. One (1) Air Hammer Safety Rescue Kit | <u>200.00</u> |
| | \$2535.00 |

An article in the Warrant of the Annual Town Meeting, to purchase and equip a new Pumping Engine, for the Fire Department. This is to replace Engine No. 1 (1952) Sea-grave. It is expected delivery will not be effected for about two (2) years. Purchase at this time should accomplish a saving of at least Five Thousand Dollars, (\$5,000.). If delayed the purchase will be required in 1977 in order for the Town to maintain its present Insurance Rates.

In concluding this report may I express my thanks and appreciation to my Officers and men, to all associates in Town Government and the townspeople generally for their co-operation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Edwin T. Gibson, *Chief*
West Bridgewater Fire Department

Forestry and Parks Department

To The Residents of West Bridgewater:

The Forestry and Parks activities for the year 1975 have been generally along the order of previous years. Tree removal stands out as foremost in our operations, there having been upwards of 105 trees removed including Dutch Elm diseased trees. The majority of these removals were topped out by hired equipment, such as aerial crane and hydraulic bucket. This was necessary because of the proximity of utility wires or of being over private property and in some cases we were assisted with aid from the Edison and Telephone Companies.

The amount of emergency work has increased at an alarming rate. While we endeavor to head off this type of work by concentrating on what appears to be dangerous, it is my observation that approximately three-fourths of the trees involved are over-age trees and while they may appear in good health, they are physically on the decline. Many street trees have been weakened by factors related to their site—such as too much asphalt, trunk injuries, cut roots from excavations and narrow tree belts. Another factor which has weakened our roadside trees here in the Northeast, especially the maple species, is the increasing use of salt in ice removal programs on our highways. All stumps from removed trees were machine-cut below ground level for safety to eliminate any hazards.

The Poison Ivy eradication program, started in 1952 by this department, has eliminated this nuisance from our roadsides and the list of calls to spray for it on private property is getting smaller each season. From this, we know we have licked this problem and can see the end in sight.

Again I remind all residents that if they suspect they have Poison Ivy on their property, contact the Tree Warden and we will gladly spray for this.

Tree planting is done each spring and fall but not at the rate I anticipated. Here again labor is needed in too many places at once to devote a proper concentration on any one phase of the work. During the spring and fall planting seasons of 1975, 112 new trees of various species were planted, staked and mulched. Many of these were dug from the Town Nursery, supplemented by purchased stock.

Throughout the years the list of insect pests, diseases and nuisances under the control of this department has grown by leaps and bounds. Methods and thinking also change as the years go by — one thing remains constant — the threat of our forests and shade trees by insects and disease. In terms of valuation, all public buildings, schools, facilities and equipment of all town departments combined do not begin to equal the total valuation of our public shade trees placed under the charge of the Tree Warden.

All street trees received one foliar spray and in some cases two sprays during the growing season. The constant wet summer made it extremely hard to find favorable spraying conditions. Many hours were expended fogging and mist blowing to relieve the adult mosquito problem. Three aerial applications of 1000 acres each were applied by helicopter for adult mosquito control in conjunction with the Board of Health. The tree department will spray private property for mosquito control at an outdoor function if we receive a two week notice. Also, hornet and wasp nests will be eliminated as part of our service if they are found outside residences or buildings.

War Memorial Park, 13 town greens and 6 town-owned cemeteries were regularly fertilized, mowed and trimmed during the growing season.

Legion Memorial baseball field was also fertilized and mowed by this department. During the holiday season, the monument at Central Square was decorated.

At the annual town meeting of 1976, I am requesting the trade-in of our 1966 truck for a new dump platform truck. This vehicle is and will continue to be the work-horse of all our other equipment and has also been used ten years in snow removal work. Now the repair bills and frequent break-downs show that it is incapable to operate efficiently. All other vehicles and equipment of the department are in excellent mechanical order.

In closing, I would like to state that good public relations becomes one of our largest

jobs. Each resident, at one time or another, will eventually become our client for service because of our varied list of activities. We are always willing to be of any assistance to all citizens or any department of the town.

It is only through the loyalty of my workmen and their pride in their work, the splendid support of the townspeople in my efforts, and the fine cooperations of our many department heads and officials who are also leaders in their respective fields, that we have progressed.

The town with fine shade trees is the town beautiful!

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Tree Warden

Highway Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my report for the Highway Department for the year 1975.

RESURFACING TYPE I-1

During the past year, the Highway Department resurfaced Spring Street from Howard Street to Crescent Street, High Street from Beacon Street to Crescent Street, and also Friend Street.

NEW CONSTRUCTION

New construction consisted of Bonnie Drive and Wendell Avenue.

Bonnie Drive consisted of excavation and gravelling, installation of drainage, and installation of granite curbing, including asphalt sidewalks on Bonnie Drive and Hartshorn Street for a distance of eighteen hundred (1800) feet.

Wendell Avenue was excavated, gravelled, and black-topped with a 2½ inch layer of binder and a 2 inch layer of top material.

The Highway Department also installed a complete drainage system on Matfield Street from North Main Street to East Street—a distance of twenty seven hundred (2700) feet.

MAINTENANCE

Other work accomplished by this department consisted of cleaning intersections and streets of sand, mowing the grass on roadsides, picking up trash on roadsides, cleaning catch basins, culverts, and waterways, and cleaning the streams throughout the town. We repaired and replaced street and traffic signs where needed throughout the town. As pot holes appeared, they were patched by the department, and we have also continued sealing the cracks in town roads.

SNOW

The department has continued to serve the people of the town by keeping the roads as safe as possible by sanding and plowing during the winter months. I would like to thank the people of the town for the many compliments received during the last major snowstorm.

I would like to take this time to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Police Department, the Water Department, the Fire Department, and the Tree Department for the cooperation and support received from them for this department. I would also like to commend the men of the Highway Department for the excellent job they have so willingly done.

Respectfully submitted.

Irving G. Sylvester
Highway Superintendent

Report of the Town Counsel

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The legal aspects of municipal government continue to become more demanding and complicated annually.

The scope of administrative remedies in place of judicial recourse becomes progressively broader.

Each department or division of town government is beset by additional rules, regulations, directives and statutes from the federal, state and county levels which must be complied with. These require more frequent reference to town counsel for clarification and opinion.

The following is a report of services performed in 1975.

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|--|-----|
| Sessions of court attended | 10 |
| Appearances at administrative hearings | 7 |
| Opinions rendered | 91 |
| Meetings attended | 53 |
| Contracts reviewed or revised | 4 |
| Notices, pleadings and instruments drafted | 53 |
| Conferences | 257 |
| Trial days | 12 |

The following litigation is active as of December 31, 1975:

Superior court — 3
American Arbitration Association — 2
Appellate Tax Board — 2
Probate court — 2

All other litigation previously pending has been resolved.

Very truly yours,

Francis J. Lynch, J.D.
Town Counsel

Housing Authority

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We hereby submit the annual report of the Housing Authority for the year 1975.

The year has brought very few changes in D'Arpino Village. Our residents are settled in after over three years of occupancy, and have become interested and active members of our community.

The Housing Board is active, holding meetings the second Wednesday of each month in the office of the Community Building. Tenants are urged to attend if they have any problems, and an excellent rapport has been established between tenant and landlord.

Also, our tenants have been most cooperative in regard to the energy crisis and should be commended.

The blood pressure clinic for all senior citizens of West Bridgewater is held monthly in the Robert E. McFadden building and a visit by the West Bridgewater Library is made bi-monthly. These services are greatly appreciated by both tenants and the Housing Board and appreciation is also expressed to the Police Department, Fire Department, Water Department, Highway Department, and Town Clerk Anna Brown and all Town officials for their concern and interest and assistance in any problems which have arisen over the past three years.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl R. Bystrom, *Chairman*
Richard C. Williams, *Vice-Chairman*
George A. Miller, *Treasurer*
Kevin K. Kelley, *Asst. Treasurer*
Armen A. Amerigian, *State-appointed Member*

Town Forest Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Forestry and Parks Department manage the Town Forest and has sprayed for Poison Ivy, trimmed deadwood from the trees and opened fire lanes. It has also provided shelter for wildlife there.

For citizens that are unaware of exactly where the Town Forest is — it is located due east of the Legion Memorial baseball field and consists of 10 acres. This committee welcomes the use of the Forest for recreational and educational uses. It offers much in educational work in conservation, wildlife, timber management and agriculture. This committee is most anxious to help out in any organization along these lines.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Richard E. Morris
Town Forest Committee

Industrial Development Commission

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The year 1975 in the economic growth of West Bridgewater was better than the year 1974 if the measure of the value of permits issued is used.

1975 saw permits issued in the amount of \$181,000.00, approximately \$60,000.00 more than 1974. This \$181,000.00 figure is for commercial and industrial new construction and alterations.

The past year saw the completion of the Westbridge Veterinary Hospital at the corner of Manley St. and West Center St., the construction of the new facility for the United Salvage Co. on Turnpike St. In the latter part of the year, construction was started on the new store for the West Bridgewater Pharmacy in the square on South Main St.

1975 was a difficult economic year due to recession and inflation. Hopefully 1976 will see an improvement in which this Commission will take an active part in convincing potential clients that West Bridgewater is a good place to be.

Respectfully submitted,

Advisory Commission

Freeman W. Bowden

Robert W. Bowman

Henry C. Bradford

Carl R. Bystrom

Charles K. Higgins

Industrial Development Commission

Leon F. Beaulieu

Ronald F. Brodrick

George V. Hollertz, Jr.

Francis LeBaron, Jr.

Frank S. Miller

Dog Officer

To: The Honorable Board of Selectman
and Citizens of West Bridgewater

I respectfully submit the report of the Dog Officer.

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----|
| Dogs reported missing | 121 |
| Cases requiring attention | 528 |
| Animals or fowl killed | 13 |
| Strays picked up given new homes | 163 |
| Injured or killed on highways | 6 |
| Reported dog bites | 4 |

At this time I would like to express my appreciation to the citizens of West Bridgewater for their cooperation and assistance, and especially the cooperation of the Police Department.

To assist in locating and returning lost dogs it would be appreciated if all dog owners would insure that dog license be securely attached at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Etsell
Dog Officer

Inspector of Gas

To the Board of Selectmen
Town of West Bridgewater, Mass.

I hereby respectfully submit my annual report for the year 1975.

There were 35 gas applications filed for gasfitting permits for the year.

There were 45 gasfitting inspections made in the following types of buildings:

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|---------------|----|
| New dwellings | 1 |
| Old dwellings | 16 |
| Commercial | 16 |
| Trailers | 2 |

There were 54 gas appliances installed.

There were 14 propane gas installations.

At this time I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen and the people of the Town for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted

Wallace Engstrom
Inspector of Gasfitting

Inspector of Animals

I respectfully submit my annual report of the Inspector of Animals for the year 1975:

| | |
|--|-----|
| Number of Dairy cows over two years | 351 |
| Number of dairy heifer one to two years | 84 |
| Number of dairy heifer calves under one year | 27 |
| Number of dairy bulls | 12 |
| Number of dairy herds | 9 |
| Number of beef cattle | 9 |
| Number of beef herds | 6 |
| Number of donkeys | 1 |
| Number of horses | 90 |
| Number of Ponies | 24 |
| Number of goats | 8 |
| Number of sheep | 19 |
| Number of swine | 133 |
| Number of swine herds | 6 |
| Number of dog bites reported to Animal Inspector | 36 |

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni
Inspector of Animals

Building Inspector

I hereby submit my annual report of the Building Inspection permits of West Bridgewater. Permits were issued and inspections for construction as requested. There was an increase in Residential and Industrial Buildings over those in 1974.

| | No. Permits | Estimated Cost |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Residential Homes | 21 | \$ 618,000.00 |
| Mobil Homes | 1 | 7,900.00 |
| Alterations & Additions | 35 | 86,934.00 |
| Garages & Additions | 6 | 14,950.00 |
| Misc. — Sheds — etc. | 17 | 5,386.00 |
| Swimming Pools | 23 | 64,119.00 |
| Business Buildings | 4 | 90,500.00 |
| Business Additions | 6 | 26,650.00 |
| Industrial Buildings & Additions | 7 | 90,500.00 |
| Garages etc. demolished | 2 | |
| Homes demolished | 5 | |
| Sons of Italy-Pavilion | 1 | |
| Siding | 6 | |
| | <u>132</u> | <u>\$1,004,939.00</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

Ernest R. Peterson,
Building Inspector

The Inspector Of Plumbing

I hereby respectfully submit my annual report as Inslector of Plumbing for the year 1975.

There were 80 plumbing applications filed for plumbing permits for the year.

There were 118 plumbing inspections made in the following types of buildings.

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| New dwellings | 22 |
| Commercial buildings | 17 |
| Remodeling work in old dwellings | 41 |

There were 55 water heater installations.

The Massachusetts State Plumbing Code is used as a basis for all plumbing installations.

At this time I would like to thank the Board of Health and the people of the town for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

Wallace Engstrom
Inspector of Plumbing

Inspector of Wires

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of West Bridgewater, Mass.

I hereby submit my annual report for the year of 1975.

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| Edison Permits | 104 |
| Services and Changes | 48 |
| Rough Wires | 35 |
| Construction Services | 3 |
| Electric Dryers | 10 |
| Electric Ranges | 27 |
| Electric Water Heaters | 8 |
| Oil Burners | 12 |
| Not Accepted | 2 |
| Fire Calls | 2 |
| Trailers | 2 |
| Pools | 17 |
| Miscellaneous | 19 |
| Fire Alarms | 12 |
| Finals | 20 |
| Meters | 11 |
| Add Outlets | 6 |
| Locked Premises | 3 |

All inspections were made on the latest edition of the Massachusetts State Electrical Code, with no special rules applied.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, Town Clerks Office, and the Townspeople for the cooperation they afforded this office.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert M. Greiner
Inspector of Wires

Trustees of the Public Library

The Trustees of the Public Library submit their annual report.

The year 1975 has been a busy and fruitful one for the Public Library. Continually striving to meet the ever increasing needs of the community and preparing for the Bicentennial year has meant many extra hours of thought and work on the part of the Trustees.

The Parent-Teacher Organization was the recipient of the outdated and discarded books from the Public Library with the understanding that the monies received from their sale would be used to supplement the school libraries' book lists.

Shortage of space is rapidly becoming the most serious problem in the Library.

The Library Staff, excluding the Head Librarian, have chosen to join the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO. The Board of Selectmen have been and are negotiating with them concerning wages and working conditions.

The Interior of the Library has been painted under the C.E.T.A. program, a Federal project.

It is with pleasure we welcome the new organization, Friends of the Library. They are in the process of incorporating and are drawing up their by-laws. They will function as a supportive group for our Library.

Throughout the Bicentennial year the Library will present monthly programs. These programs will be coordinated with the Bicentennial Commission, various organizations and schools.

Our many thanks to the Jaycee-ettes who have offered to landscape the library as a gift from their organization.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessie M. Anderson, *Secretary*

Board Members:

Ethel Fisher, *Chairman*

Priscilla Grippen

Edith Wolfsberg

Joseph Utko

Richard Worcester

Jessie M. Anderson

West Bridgewater Public Library Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of the Public Library:

STATISTICS:

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| Circulation | 40,477 | |
| New Cards Issued | 719 | |
| Collection | 39,353 | Books |
| | 615 | Records |
| | 97 | Magazine Subscriptions |

More than ever before, people are taking advantage of services offered by the Public Library. Our rate of circulation is exceptionally high and we acquired 719 new patrons in 1975. There were 1,948 new books and 100 new records added to the collection. The Library is open for service 46 hours each week.

New equipment this year included a typewriter, a calculator, and a small stereo which is used during Story Hour.

We continue to offer special programs. Mrs. Dorothy Alexander makes bi-monthly book deliveries to the D'Arpino Housing for the Elderly. We will deliver reading and listening materials to anyone who is homebound. Miss Kathleen Fenstermaker and Mrs. Rita Giovanoni present a pre-school Story Hour each Thursday morning at ten o'clock. We offer a summer reading program for elementary school students. Also, there are many evening programs of special interest throughout the year. At least once each month, there is a Saturday Movie Matinee at the Library and we provide telephone reference service.

We are an active member of the Eastern Massachusetts Regional Library System Inter-library Loan Program. This membership enables Library Assistant, Mrs. Marilyn Raleigh to procure virtually any information a patron requests. It also allows us to lend films to local organizations.

Through the CETA youth program, we received the services of Miss Cheryl Anderson, a high school student. Her duties were the same as our Library Pages, Tina Chisholm and Lisa Bucci. They shelve returns, charge out materials, and process books for circulation.

Miss Fenstermaker received a grant from the New England Library Association Children's Round Table. The grant money covered the expenses she incurred while attending their meetings.

Local organizations are welcome to reserve the library for evening meetings.

My thanks to the people of West Bridgewater for their continued support and growing use of their Public Library.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Padham, M.L.S.

Report of The Old Colony Planning Council To The Residents of West Bridgewater

The Old Colony Planning Council respectfully submits its annual report for the year 1975.

It has been an exciting year for the Council in which the size of the Council staff was substantially expanded through the initiation of new programs and activities that will be of great benefit and service to the residents of the Old Colony Planning Council District. During the year the Council was awarded a \$650,000 grant by the Environmental Protection Agency to carryout a two year areawide water quality study in the region. The Water Quality Management Planning Study will focus on all sources of water pollution and provide the area communities with recommendations concerning "least cost" methods of dealing with water pollution problems. Information and data gathered as part of the water quality program will be of great importance to local boards and commissions dealing with concerns such as land use planning, water quality and supply, public sewerage, health, conservation, and growth and development in general. The Council has made a significant effort to involve as many residents of the District as possible in the program to insure that the questions, problems and concerns at the local community level will be addressed.

In addition, the Council also expanded its transportation planning program capability to give attention to key transportation problems such as: east-west vehicular movement; public transportation needs and service; rail freight and commuter service and facilities; and local technical assistance on transportation problems. With financial assistance from the Urban Mass Transportation Administration, the Council completed a Transit Development Program for the region. The Transit Development Program formed the basis for obtaining over one million dollars in federal capital grants funds for the Brockton Area Transit system in providing new buses. The Council has also worked with local communities in determining the appropriateness and advantages of becoming members of the Brockton Area Transit system. In response to energy crisis concerns and the need for additional recreational opportunities, the Council developed a Bikeways Plan for the region which will be used to obtain state and federal funds for construction and development.

The technical assistance program of the Council primarily funded by grant monies from the Department of Housing and Urban Development enabled the Council to assist member communities of the Council to qualify for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program and obtain grant funds under the Community Development Block Grant Program. Over \$188,000 in Federal Community Development Block Grant Funds were awarded to OCPC communities which included: Avon; Abington; Easton; East Bridgewater and Pembroke. The Council plans on providing assistance to other OCPC communities that wish to apply for these program funds in 1976.

Other program activities of the Council during 1976 included: housing planning; Bicentennial planning; and economic development planning.

In 1975 the Council also received national recognition through the receipt of a first place award from the National Association of Regional Councils for its 1974-1975 Annual Report which is a separate publication from the report included herein. Additionally, Council President John J. DeMarco, was elected to the National Association of Regional Council's Board of Directors to represent Region I, the New England States area and the Council's Executive Director, Daniel M. Crane was elected to the NARC staff Directors Advisory Committee. Four delegates of the Council served on NARC policy committees during the year. Mr. Anthony Anacki, Council Secretary from Bridgewater served on the Land Use Committee; Mr. Richard Chase, Easton Delegate served on the Metropolitan Development Committee; Mr. Gerard Dempsey, Pembroke served on the Human Resources Committee; and, Mr. Robert Kenyon, Hanson Delegate served on the Intergovernmental Affairs Committee.

The activities of the Council have shown that it is important if not essential to consider an areawide approach to solving certain problems that are beyond the means of one community alone to deal with effectively. The Council gratefully acknowledges the generous cooperation and assistance received from the many governmental agencies, public and private institutions and individuals.

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Merton Ouderkirk, *Delegate*
Mr. Ronald P. Snell, *Alternate*
Old Colony Planning Council

Planning Board

The Planning Board makes its annual report to the Annual Town Meeting.

At election time Merton Ouderkirk and Donald Seablom were re-elected to the board and in June, Donald Asack was appointed to the board to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Philip Tuck.

Twenty three regular meetings were held during the year. Three public hearings were held during the year of which two were of particular importance. One hearing was for the rezoning of a large tract of land owned by the Cape Dory Company. This proposed rezoning was approved by the board and passed by the town at the annual town meeting. The other important hearing was held to discuss and review the proposed subdivision of land by the Paradise Land and Investment and Development Corporation. The board approved this subdivision with many conditions to be met before any building can start on this site. The Paradise Land and Investment and Development Corporation was dissatisfied with this boards conditions of approval and has taken the board to court on this matter. To date a court decision has not been made.

During the year the roadway systems of Diamond Hill Estates that were left for the town to complete were done. The portion of the Diamond Hill Estates that was being built by Leslie Holbrook has been inspected as being completed by the board and the town engineer.

At the present time we have two residential subdivisions under construction (North Elm Park, Timothy Drive), two approved where no building has taken place (Paradise Park, Pinewood Estates), and one off of Spring Street that is in the preliminary study stages. Also in the preliminary study stages is one industrial subdivision off the Manley Street Extension and one industrial subdivision, Westbridge Industrial Park, which has been approved where no building has taken place.

Your present board members are also active on other committees or boards relating to their work in planning:

Merton Ouderkirk: Delegate to the Old Colony Planning Council

William E. Turner, Jr.: Board of Appeals and Trailer Park Commission

Ronald Snell: Taunton Water Rivershed Group, OCPC Water Pollution Control District and Alternate Delegate to the OCPC

Donald Seablom: Street Lighting Committee and OCPC Water Quality Study Commission

In 1975 the Planning Board feels that the town has shown a good balanced growth in the industrial areas and in the residential areas. All indications at the present time show that balanced growth to continue.

Respectfully submitted,

Merton Ouderkirk, *Chairman*

William E. Turner, Jr., *Vice Chairman and Clerk*

Ronald Snell, *Member*

Donald Seablom, *Member*

Donald Asack, *Member*

Police Department

I herewith submit the Annual Report of the West Bridgewater Police Department for the year 1975.

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| Complaints | 4,564 |
| Investigations | 6,466 |
| B. & E. | 100 |
| Attempted B. & E. | 11 |
| Larceny (Including Larceny by Check) | 264 |

Arrests:

| | Male | Female | Juvenile |
|-------------|------|--------|----------|
| Physical | 69 | 7 | 12 |
| Summons | 841 | 268 | 16 |
| | 910 | 275 | 28 |
| Total 1,213 | | | |

The following is a list of the charges for which the above Arrests were made:

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| Armed Robbery While Masked | 1 |
| Assault & Battery | 13 |
| Assault & Battery on a Police Officer | 1 |
| Assault with a Dangerous Weapon | 7 |
| Assault with Intent to Murder | 1 |
| Assault with Intent to Rape | 1 |
| Attempted Larceny | 3 |
| Attempted Breaking & Entering | 1 |
| Annoying Phone Calls | 1 |
| Breaking & Entering in the Day Time | 2 |
| Breaking & Entering in the Night Time | 5 |
| Breaking & Entering of a Motor Vehicle | 4 |
| Burning of a Dwelling | 1 |
| Burning of an American Flag | 1 |
| Being Present where a Controlled Substance is Kept | 1 |
| Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor | 1 |
| Disorderly Persons | 9 |
| Disturbance | 1 |
| Disposing of Rubbish on a Highway | 1 |
| Forgery | 2 |
| Indecent Assault on a Female Child Under 16 | 1 |
| Illegal Possession of a Hypo-Needle | 1 |
| Illegal Possession of a Syringe | 1 |
| Larceny of a Motor Vehicle | 2 |
| Larceny from a Building | 1 |
| Larceny Less than \$100. by check | 17 |
| Larceny More than \$100. by check | 9 |
| Larceny Less than \$100. | 4 |
| Larceny More than \$100. | 5 |
| Malicious Breaking of Glass in a Building | 3 |
| Malicious Damage to a Building | 4 |

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| Malicious Injury to Private Property | 6 |
| Possession of Burglarious Tools | 2 |
| Possession of a Controlled Substance | 3 |
| Possession of a Dangerous Weapon | 1 |
| Possession of an Altered VIN on a Motor Vehicle | 1 |
| Possession of a Defaced Serial Number on Motor Vehicle | 1 |
| Rape of a Female Child Under 16 | 1 |
| Receiving Stolen Property | 2 |
| Runaway Child | 2 |
| Trespassing | 4 |
| Uttering | 12 |
| Unlawful Taking of Town Water | 2 |
| Operating Under Influence of Liquor | 27 |
| Operating to Endanger | 37 |
| Speeding | 765 |
| Using Motor Vehicle Without Authority | 5 |
| State Police Arrests | 49 |
| All other Motor Vehicle Violations | 664 |

MISCELLANEOUS

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| Complaints Received | 4,564 |
| Investigations | 6,466 |
| Accidents | 333 |
| Accidents (Killed) | 1 |
| Accidents (Injured) | 100 |
| Accidents (Property Damage only) | 245 |
| Accidents (Hit & Run) | 27 |
| Arrests | 111 |
| Arrests with Warrant | 36 |
| Arrests without Warrant | 75 |
| Summons | 390 |
| Summons for this Department | 257 |
| Summons for other Departments | 133 |
| Court Hours | 1469 |
| Court Hours (District) | 1200 |
| Court Hours (Superior) | 255 |
| Court Hours (Grand Jury) | 14 |
| Buildings Found Open | 207 |
| Street Lights Out | 46 |
| Persons to Hospital | 316 |
| Accidents | 94 |
| Non-Accident | 220 |
| Taken to Doctor | 0 |
| People to State Hospital | 5 |
| Dog Complaints to Police Department | 139 |
| Killed or Injured | 69 |
| Bites | 15 |
| Missing | 26 |
| Stray | 29 |

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| Assist to Other Departments | 538 |
| Town Departments | 188 |
| Other Towns (Accidents) | 66 |
| Other Towns (Investigations) | 284 |
| Escorts Give (Shuttles) | 95 |
| Value of Money and Goods Stolen | \$182,962.70 |
| Fires Reported | 48 |
| Fires Covered | 98 |
| Assist to Disabled Motorists | 135 |
| Road Hazards Reported | 91 |
| Messages Delivered | 109 |
| Emergency | 10 |
| Routine | 99 |
| Alarms Answered | 682 |
| Emergencies Answered | 303 |
| Break and Enter | 100 |
| Commercial | 40 |
| Residence | 60 |
| Attempt to Break & Enter | 11 |
| Larceny | 218 |
| Less Than \$100 | 119 |
| More Than \$100 | 99 |
| Telephone Calls Received | 26,501 |
| House Checks | 630 |
| Incapacitated Persons Held | 73 |
| Stolen Vehicles Reported | 44 |
| Vehicles Recovered | 88 |
| Missing Persons | 25 |
| Murders | 0 |
| Unexpected Deaths Investigated | 7 |
| Armed Robberies | 1 |
| Bomb Scares Investigated | 6 |
| Assault & Battery | 19 |
| Stolen Bicycles | 55 |
| Value of Property Recovered | \$172,271.17 |
| Malicious Damage | 138 |
| Assault & Battery with a Dangerous Weapon | 2 |

TRAFFIC REPORT

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| Accidents | 333 |
| Fatals | 1 |
| Property Damage Only | 245 |
| Accidents (Injuries) | 100 |
| Hit & Run | 27 |
| Auto Violations to Court | 1,131 |
| Warnings to Registry | 978 |
| Motor Vehicle Arrests | 44 |

CAR DEALER LICENSES

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| CLASS I | 314 |
| CLASS II | 325 |
| CLASS III | 92 |

The Police Department is endeavoring to keep astride the ever changing problems that arise out of our complex society, and to keep in mind our sworn oath to "Protect Lives and Property." During the past year we have participated in several training programs to keep abreast of the varied problems confronted by the Department. A Law enacted in 1974 requires that each Police Department institute a Rape Intervention Unit, in an effort to comply with this law, Sgt. Charles D. Anderson and Mrs. Shirley Almquist, Police Matron attended a seminar on Rape Investigation conducted at the Brockton Police Department. The purpose of this seminar was the betterment of communications to improve the quality of investigating, reporting and counselling of rape victims. During the year six (6) officers have attended Southeastern Massachusetts Police Academy in Fall River for an "In-Service" training program and it is planned to have all officers eventually participate in this program. Officers Walter L. Thayer, Jr., and Richard E. Warmington attended a Motor Vehicle Investigation seminar conducted by Northwestern University in Illinois for the Highway Safety Program. Presently Officer William E. Stoddard is attending the State Police Academy for a ten (10) week training. In February Officer Bruce L. Holmquist, who was appointed a permanent Officer by the Board of Selectmen on December 1, 1975 will also attend the Academy for ten (10) weeks.

I personally have attended Babson Institute for seminars on Law Enforcement Management, Budgeting, Police Organization and Labor and Management. Sgt. Charles D. Anderson, Safety Officer and Officer Scott E. Lovell, Juvenile Officer, in their respective field have addressed the Schools and public functions in our community and have been very well received.

The County radio system is making fine progress and it is expected by mid-summer the three (3) Bridgewater will have their section of Phase I in operation. It is anticipated that the entire County will have all Base stations in operation by the end of 1976. As it will be at least two (2) years before this system is in full operation, West Bridgewater is most fortunate to be in Phase I of this project.

Through the Massachusetts Police Institute a survey has been made of your Police Department at no cost to the Town. This survey has been of great assistance to me in the administration of the Department. As a result of this survey I have requested in my budget a new updated records system, one-half of which would be Federally funded.

As a member of the Ambulance Committee I have met with the Board of Selectmen and the other four (4) members of the Committee. It is hoped that by midsummer our Modular Ambulance will be in operation. We have two (2) Police Officers all trained in the E.M.T. Course and three (3) officers are presently enrolled in the course, two (2) officers at the Goddard Hospital and one (1) at the Cardinal Cushing Hospital.

A big issue concerning the Police Department is the report of the Police Station Building Committee, on which I have served in an advisory status only. This Committee has been meeting once and some times twice a month for the past year; they have made several visitations to look over recently built Police Stations within the area, and I am sure the Committee is looking into all possibilities of securing funds to assist the Town in this

project. Through the Massachusetts Police Institute it has been possible to secure, at no cost to the community the services of Mr. Brian Nagle of the National Clearing House for Criminal Justice Planning and Architecture of Champaign, Illinois, a Federally funded organization. Mr. Nagle has met with the Building Committee and the architect and has proved most helpful with ideas of planning, construction, and suggestions for dual and multi purposes of rooms within the building. A one (1) story building has been recommended for the facility. The Building Committee is to hold an open meeting in February or March at which time Mr. Nagle will be present to discuss the project and answer questions. I fully realize this is a large and costly project for the Town. However, at present your Police Department facility is operating under adverse conditions and certainly a better and more efficient unit would be of value to our community. I am most willing to try to answer any questions concerning this project and it is my sincere hope that this Article will receive favorable action at the Annual Town Meeting.

I would like to commend any citizen who has called the station during the past year to report something that appeared suspicious to them and to urge all townspeople who observe something that appears to be of a suspicious nature to contact the Police immediately, we need and solicit your help. We are as near as your telephone.

In conclusion, I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Building Committee and all other Departments for their continued support and cooperation. To the Officers and men of the Department a thank you for their concerted effort in helping to make West Bridgewater a better place to live and work, and for their cooperation and support that makes it possible for me to do my job.

Respectfully submitted,

Ervin G. Lothrop
Chief of Police

West Bridgewater Police Station Building Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The West Bridgewater Police Station Feasibility Study Committee was originally appointed by the Board of Selectmen in March of 1974 for the purpose of conducting a study regarding the replacement of the existing police station facility. The committee submitted its findings at the annual town meeting of 1975. Concurrent with the submission of this report, the Board of Selectmen inserted an article in the annual warrant giving the town's citizens an option to pursue the findings of the committee. At the annual town meeting of 1975, a sum of \$1,500 was appropriated and at the same time it was voted that a building committee be appointed to develop plans for a new police station.

In April of 1975, the Board of Selectmen re-appointed the original Feasibility Committee members to a Building Committee to carry out the mandate of town meeting. Beginning in May of 1975, the committee members began discussing building plans with area contractors and architects. There followed several visits to recently constructed police stations in surrounding communities. In August, invitations were sent to four architects inviting them to be interviewed for possible selection as the architect the committee would work with in developing plans for a new police station.

The committee met with six architects and ultimately selected the firm of Arnold Jacobson and Associates. The committee has met frequently over the last three months and in concert with the architect and Police Chief Lothrop, have prepared plans for a new police station facility. This proposal, along with estimated cost figures will be presented at this year's annual town meeting.

It is the consensus of the building committee that the proposed facility is required at this time. Plans call for construction on town-owned land, adjacent to and east of the present police/fire building on West Centre Street.

The committee will be happy to meet with the selectmen at their convenience should any further discussion be required.

Respectfully submitted,

West Bridgewater Police Station Building Committee
Joseph McMorrow, *Chairman*
Charles Roussel, *Secretary*
Leonard Bucci
George Hollertz
Richard Williams

Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is the report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures for the Town Report of 1975.

Tested and Sealed:

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| Scales under 10 lbs. | 21 |
| Scales under 100 lbs. | 14 |
| Scales over 100 lbs. | 5 |
| Scales over 10,000 lbs. | 1 |
| Gasoline pumps | 76 |
| Weights | 52 |
| Vehicle tanks | 2 |
| Yard sticks | 5 |
| Package reweighing | 143 |
| Unit pricing | 87 |

I returned in fees to the Town, \$266.70.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren A. Turner
Sealer of Weights and Measures

Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project

The Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project is pleased to report on its activities during 1975. An important consideration in the implementation of our comprehensive mosquito control program is a concern for the environment as evidenced by the Environmental Protection Agency and Massachusetts Department of Public Health guidelines to which we adhere in each situation.

With cooperation from the Lakeville Encephalitis Field Station, and the Department of Public Health, the Project was able to expand its efforts to control EEE. Technical assistance provided by personnel from the Encephalitis Field Station enabled the Project to successfully treat approximately 3,100 acres to combat the seasons second brood of *Culiseta melanura*, the vector of EEE virus. In late August, the Department of Public Health, with the assistance of our Project, undertook an aerial spray program which covered much of several counties. This aerial spray program was supported by the Encephalitis Field Station which supplied information concerning increasing virus activity in the Hobomock swamp and adjacent areas.

In 1975 the Project devoted a substantial amount of time to water management programs. These programs are ecologically important because they do not make use of pesticides. Our two backhoe units reclaimed 67,420 feet of trench in the past year.

During the spring and summer months the Project maintained and operated five vehicles equipped to spray adult mosquitos. 41,444 acres were sprayed by vehicle units and 1,700 acres were treated for larvae by mist blower and pump cans. Our personnel also use hand tools to clear drainage pipes and streams of debris and alleviate stagnant water situations. The Project cleared 109,800 feet of streams and trenches by hand and treated 7,000 catch basins.

We wish to thank the various town departments for the cooperation extended to us during 1975 and look forward to a continued good relationship in 1976.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur L. Westgate
Superintendent

Self-Help, Inc.

Self Help, Inc. is a public and privately funded non-profit Agency whose purpose it is to improve the quality of life for the people of the service areas by assessing needs, administering programs, and coordinating community action towards orderly social and institutional progressive change.

Such progressive change is to be determined by the Agency Board of Directors which shall be comprised of three sectors and equally representing Limited Income People; Public Officials; and Private Interest groups.

INFORMATION and REFERRAL SERVICES — Area Residents contacting the Agency may obtain needed information which will answer questions as to where appropriate services are available. The I & R Specialist administers an area-wide Legal Services Referral System for residents in need of an attorney. Call 584-3636.

PROJECT HEAD START — Three hundred area Limited Income children ages ranging from 3 to 5 and their families are served in 15 Head Start Centers. The children are given an educational head start before reaching first grade of the public school system. Call 587-1716.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER — A Day Care Center situated in Brockton in a building turned over to Self Help by the Brockton School System provides day care for 115 children of working mothers or mothers in training. The age level of these children is 3, 4, and 5. Call 588-5190.

FAMILY PLANNING — A social service component in conjunction with the Family Planning Foundation of Worcester and the Brockton Hospital provides services for area men and women and provides classes, conferences and counseling in sex education and family planning. Call 586-3800

PROJECT PANTRY — A recently organized network of Food Cooperatives which will allow area residents to purchase vegetables, eggs, fruits, cheese, fish, and special items at substantially reduced costs. Call 587-3083.

FOOD STAMPS — The Agency employs a Food Stamp Coordinator to assist persons who qualify for Food Stamps in completing their forms and acts as a special liaison with the Regional Welfare Office. The Food Stamp Coordinator also assists recipients in the process of re-certification. The Agency also has been authorized to receive Food Stamps in its Project Pantry Food Co-op. Call 586-5134 or 447-5924

OUTREACH, SOCIAL SERVICES & COUNSELING — Self Help maintains an Outreach and Social Service component with organizers and limited income people assessing community needs and provides social service if applicable.

Self Help, Inc. is always interested in discovering community needs. Should you have any concerns and/or ideas for programs in any problem area in your community, please call the Agency at 588-5440.

Respectfully submitted,

Matthew Chauncy
*Public Official Representative
Board of Directors
Self Help, Inc.*

Southeastern Regional School District Committee

To The Citizens of West Bridgewater:

The Southeastern Regional School District Committee members are: Thomas W. Devine and Gerald J. Noonan, Brockton; Robert B. Ewing, East Bridgewater; Ralph Armstead, Easton; Robert A. Girardin, Foxborough; Louis E. Tarsa, Mansfield; Charles W. McDonald, Norton; James J. Leonard, Sharon; Albert J. Twomey, Stoughton; and Eugene Kostecki, West Bridgewater.

Officers for the 1975-76 year are: James J. Leonard, *Chairman*; Eugene Kostecki, *Vice-Chairman*; and Louis E. Tarsa, *Secretary*.

Construction of the addition is approximately 80% complete. It will be ready for occupancy for September 1976. Three of the eight occupational programs planned for the addition were started in September of 1975. The Electrical Appliance Repair program is housed at the Paine School in Foxborough. The Masonry program and Small Engine Repair shops are housed at the main facility on Foundry Street. The students are transported to a satellite school for their academic studies.

Satellite schools continue to be an integral part of the program at Southeastern. The satellite schools in Easton, Stoughton and Foxborough are used to near capacity throughout the school day.

Student enrollment of the District as of October 1, 1975, was 1189, an increase of 145 students.

The Evening School program is designed for the indentured apprentices in the Electrical, Plumbing, Carpentry, Masonry, Machine Repair and Diversified areas. The Diversified Indentured Apprentice program is designed for people working in an occupation that requires a person to serve an apprenticeship such as meatcutting, upholstering, tool and die making, and are not offered as formal institutional programs. Other programs open to interested persons of the district include Automotive Minor Service and Repair, Drafting and Blueprint Reading, National Electrical Code, Machine Shop, Typing, Woodworking, Welding, Key punching and Introduction to Data Processing.

An Auto Mechanic program has been designed for late afternoon sessions and is offered to the high school seniors of the district high schools as well as any other interested citizens. In addition to the woodworking program, a carpentry course similar to the day school program has been introduced on a sequential basis. Thirty hours per semester will be offered for a total of 480 hours of instruction. It is expected that 1,000 people will have been served by the Evening School activities.

The Southeastern Regional School District Committee continues to provide meaningful occupational education for students within the District communities.

Respectfully submitted,

Eugene Kostecki

Water Department

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, the Water Commissioners and Superintendent of the Water Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, respectfully submit our annual report for the year ending December 31, 1975.

During the year a total of 226,703,248 gallons of water were pumped. The greatest amount for any one day was 1,122,304 gallons on August 1. The largest month was July with 24,072,368 gallons.

With 226,703,248 gallons of water pumped, plus 862,110 gallons bought from Easton, a total of 227,565,358 gallons of water were used. This makes a daily average of 623,466 gallons, a weekly average of 4,376,256 gallons, and a monthly average of 18,963,779 gallons.

Recorded rainfall was 49.7 inches at Station One Cyr Street, and 65.7 inches at Station Three Manley Street Extension.

A total of 26 new services were installed to make a total of 1886 services. There were 30 services renewed, 2150 feet of 12" main, 3200 feet of 8" main, and 10 new hydrants joined to the system. 108 calls for meter removal and installations, 48 meters were repaired, 120 meters sealed and tagged, 387 miscellaneous calls and 139 repair calls made.

We had 22 emergency house leaks, 11 emergency main leaks, 25 service line leaks, 34 meter and tailpiece leaks, 8 frozen services inside, 3 frozen meters, 12 inside installations, 11 hydrants repaired, 7 hydrants hit by automobiles that had to be replaced. At the request of the Fire Department we have color coded all hydrants to their specifications. All hydrants were checked prior to cold weather and staked for protection so they would not be hit by snow plows, and in case of fire, could be located in the snow by the Fire Department. Station maintenance was carried out every day after every storm, and after all power failures. We had a total of 62 power failures, control failures, and equipment repairs.

There were 2 emergency calls for pumping, 4 swimming pools filled where possible, dead ends were flushed 28 times. 729½ hours of overtime were spent on emergency calls and maintenance. 39 analysis of our Town drinking water was made during the year by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health for bacteria elements. All reports were most satisfactory, showing it to be of highly acceptable quality and free from bacterial elements.

Due to the lateness of obtaining money, contracts, and public hearings etc., we had a large amount of work that had to be discontinued until Spring. These include laying more mains, installing and changing over of services in mains laid and those to be laid. Roads and driveways will have to be brought up to grade and a finish coat of blacktop put on. Lawns and trenches will have to be final graded, loamed and seeded.

As we come to the close of another successful year of service, we wish to thank all our customers for expressing faith in us in helping to continue to improve the water system, our own personnel who have worked hard and cooperated to make it successful, and all other Town Departments who have also helped with their full cooperation. We sincerely hope as we enter into another year of service we will be privileged to continue serving you to the best of our ability.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward G. Asack, *Chairman*
John W. Noyes, *Clerk*
Donald N. Davock, *Assoc. Member*
William E. Nickerson, *Superintendent*

Street Lighting Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

In 1971 the Street Lighting Committee, with the full backing of the Board of Selectmen, adopted a five-year plan proposed by the Brockton Edison Company to modernize all street lights in the Town of West Bridgewater. This conversion is now over 80% completed

and with the adoption of the following changes, as recommended by the Street Lighting Committee, all street lights in West Bridgewater will have been converted to Mercury Vapor Lights:

Remove 1000 lumen incandescent lights and install 4000 lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on the following:

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|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Matfield St. | 3 — 5 — 7 |
| Thayer Ave. | 3 — 6 — 9 |
| Wendell Ave. | 3 |
| Maolis Ave. | 1 — 3 — 5 — 7 — 10 |
| Francis Ave. | 3 — 6 |
| Walnut St. | 2 — 6 — 9 — 13 — 15½ — 17½ |
| West St. | 53 — 64 — 66½ — 68 |
| Turnpike St. | 3 — 6 — 9 — 10 |
| Arch St. | 3 |
| Bryant St. | 1 — 3 — 8 — 12 — 15 — 18 |
| Ash St. | 3 — 6 — 9 — 12 — 15 — 18 — 20 — 47 |
| Emerson Ave. | 3 |
| River St. | 33 — 38 |
| Commonwealth Ave. | 3 — 5 — 8 |
| Beacon St. | 10 |
| High St. | 3 — 4 |
| Wall St. | 15 |
| Crescent St. | 61 |

Remove 1000 lumen incandescent light on Pole No. 1 and install 4000 lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles No. 1 & No. 3 on Kenneth St.

On Manley St. remove 1000 lumen incandescent lights on Poles Nbr. 33 — 36 — 39 — 42 — 45 & 60. Install 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights on Poles Nbr. 23 — 27 — 33 — 39 — & 60. Also change the light from pole Nbr. 24 to Pole 25.

The committee also recommends that new 4000 Lumen Mercury Vapor Lights be installed on Pole No. 1 Woodland Rd.; Pole No. 2 Vital Ave.; Poles No. 44 & 47 South Elm St.; and Poles No. 38 — 40 & 45 on Forest Street.

With the removal of 61 incandescent lights at \$17.00 each per year (\$1,037.00) and the installation of 68 Mercury Vapor Lights at \$30.00 each per year (\$2,040.00) the increase for this fiscal period will be \$1,003.00. Subtract from this amount the rate reduction for 100% conversion which amounts to \$353.40, the total increase will be \$649.40.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Sillars, *Chairman*
Donald H. Seablom
John F. Daly
Raymond L. Silva
Angelo E. Mattie

Plymouth County Extension Service
High Street, Hanson, Mass. 02341
Tel. 293-3541 or 447-5946

United States Department of Agriculture — University of Massachusetts
Plymouth County Trustees for County Cooperative Extension Service
Edgar W. Spear, Director

1975 Report of Trustees for County Cooperative Extension Service

In accordance with the General Laws of the Commonwealth, Chapter 128, the Trustees for Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service are empowered to receive, on behalf of the County, money appropriated by any town or by the Federal Government for carrying out the provisions of the law under which they are appointed.

Their agents have made contacts during the past year in every community either by public meetings, individual visits, group discussions, demonstrations or otherwise, in attempting to assist the needs of the citizens toward helping to solve management problems, better living and better community service and have been ably assisted by many local volunteer leaders.

Purchases were made during 1974-1975 for material needed in carrying on the various Extension programs. The appropriation made by your town was used for residents of the town and expended as follows:

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| Books and Manuals purchased for Town Officials | \$ 8.20 |
| Town Director's Expense | ——— |
| 4-H and Home Economic Leader Expense | 31.72 |
| 4-H School Program | 9.02 |
| Bulletins, Paper, etc. | 51.06 |
| TOTAL: | \$100.00 |

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| 1974 — 1975 Appropriation | \$100.00 |
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Suggested appropriation
for next 12 months —
1976 — 1977 \$100.00

Respectfully submitted,

Trustees for County Cooperative Extension Service
Edgar W. Spear, *Director*

Veteran's Services

To the Board of Selectmen:

In my third year as Veteran's Agent assistance was provided to 41 cases, this is a slight decrease over 1974.

Veterans are not only provided with financial assistance but are aided with many other services by this office, here are but a few examples.

Seven veterans and or widows of veterans were helped to secure VA pensions in the year 1975.

Three veterans were placed in employment through the CETA (Comprehensive Training and Employment Act) and because of these placements the town is spending less money.

Also, one veteran was very ill and in need of treatment in a Boston hospital bi-weekly and assistance in arranging transportation was provided, in addition Aid and Attendance benefits were acquired for him from the Veterans Administration.

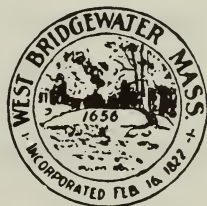
In another case a medical insurance claim was settled after close to a year of correspondence as the insurance company had not paid the correct benefits in the original billing. Assignments were taken on three veterans who were on the rolls and had Workmens' Compensation claims and when these cases are settled the town will be reimbursed for financial aid given. One veteran and a dependent of a veteran had their Blue Cross-Blue Shield coverage cancelled due to no fault of their own and this office assisted in getting them reinstated with medical coverage.

In addition to all of these services given which required many hours of telephoning and written correspondence, the organization of place of burial of 400 deceased veterans in Pine Hill Cemetery was accomplished with the assistance of a cemetery trustee.

Respectfully submitted,

Armen Amerigian
Veteran's Agent

ANNUAL REPORT
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Superintendent of Schools
WEST BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR
1975

MEMBERS AND ORGANIZATION
OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
1975-76

| | |
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| George J. Lepine, Jr., 67 Pinecrest Road Term Expires 1978 | 583-1987 |
| Charles Barros, 45 Progressive Avenue Term Expires 1977 | 588-0104 |
| H. David Raleigh, 448 West Center Street Term Expires 1976 | 587-6210 |
| Donald MacIver, 145 Bedford Street Term Expires 1976 | 587-7370 |
| Nicholas Palmieri, 544 North Elm Street Term Expires 1978 | 583-0471 |
| Robert White, 274 Pleasant Street Term Expires 1977 | 588-5730 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

First and Third Monday each month - 7:30 P.M. in the High School

SUPERINTENDENT

Donald A. Fisher

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| Office: Town Hall | 586-5094 |
| Residence: 28 Purchase Street | 587-7155 |
| Conference by appointment | |

SECRETARY

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|---|----------|
| Mrs. Robert D. Smith, 54 Matfield Street | 586-5094 |
| Mrs. Donald A. MacMullen, 42 Brooks Place | 587-2670 |
| Mrs. Russell B. English, 20 Aldrich Road | 586-9760 |

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

| | |
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| High School Office | 583-7502 |
| S. Erick Benson, Principal, 22 Union Street | 586-2554 |
| Thomas Illuzzi, Asst. Principal, 80 West Side Avenue, N. Attleboro | 699-4608 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Louis DiMarzo, 700 Central Street, E. Bridgewater | 378-7138 |
| Mrs. J. Layton Hayward, 615 East Street | 583-7036 |

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS

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| Sunset Avenue | 583-7963 |
| Rose L. MacDonald | 588-8638 |
| William M. Jones, Principal, 238 East Street | 586-1911 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Bruce Edson, 249 Spring Street | 583-4473 |
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| Howard School | 583-2797 |
| Robert L. Todd, Principal, 137 Laurel Street, Bridgewater | 697-8508 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Colin Ross, 445 West Center Street | 586-1513 |
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ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM COORDINATOR, PRINCIPAL

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| Spring Street School | 586-6469 |
| Thomas Peters, Principal, 80 Wood Avenue, Mattapan | 361-7036 |

SECRETARY

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|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Mrs. Charles Anderson, 26 Arch Street | 586-8585 |
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GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

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| Mrs. Elizabeth Vandemoer, 22 Shaw Avenue | 587-2129 |
| Frank F. Dunn, Jr., 2 Vernon Street, Bridgewater | 697-2368 |

SECRETARY

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| Mrs. Robert Kellie, 13 Purchase Street | 583-7865 |
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DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL NEEDS

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| Robert Fantasia, 3 Briggs Street, Norton | 285-9620 |
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SECRETARY

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| Mrs. William Brown, 482 No. Elm Street | 587-8092 |
| Mrs. Robert White, 27 Woodland Road | 584-4783 |

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

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| Dr. Joseph Calitri, 17 Central Square | 587-0678 |
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SCHOOL NURSE

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| Mrs. E. Myrtle Howard, R.N., 272 River Street Elementary Schools | 583-4302 |
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| Mrs. Leah Benson, R.N., 22 Union Street Howard and High School | 586-2554 |
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DENTAL HYGIENIST

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| Mrs. Eleanor Soule, 510 Ash Street, Brockton | 586-4917 |
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FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR

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| Mrs. Robert Reynolds, 96 Crescent Street | 587-3582 |
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SECRETARY

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| Mrs. P. Douglas Eaton, Jr., 40 No. Main Street | 587-7051 |
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ATTENDANCE OFFICER

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| Ervin G. Lothrop, 50 North Elm Street | 583-3985 |
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SCHOOL CALENDAR 1975-76

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| Teachers report to building Principal, Tuesday | September 2, 1975 |
| Schools open Wednesday (Grades Kindergarten-XII) | September 3, 1975 |
| Thanksgiving recess: | |
| Schools close Wednesday at noon | November 26, 1975 |
| Schools reopen Monday | December 1, 1975 |
| Christmas Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | December 19, 1975 |
| Schools reopen Monday | January 5, 1976 |
| Winter Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | February 13, 1976 |
| Schools reopen Monday | February 23, 1976 |
| Spring Vacation: | |
| Schools close Thursday | April 15, 1976 |
| Schools reopen Monday | April 26, 1976 |
| School closed Thursday | June 24, 1976 |

HOLIDAYS

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| Columbus Day, Monday | October 13, 1975 |
| Veteran's Day, Tuesday | November 11, 1975 |
| Martin Luther King Day, Thursday | January 15, 1976 |
| Good Friday | April 16, 1976 |
| Memorial Day, Monday | May 31, 1976 |
| Teachers Workshop or Convention Day | October 31, 1975 |

DAYS OF ATTENDANCE

| MONTH | NO. OF DAYS | MONTH | NO. OF DAYS |
|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| September | 20 | February | 15 |
| October | 21 | March | 23 |
| November | 17 | April | 16 |
| December | 15 | May | 20 |
| January | 19 | June | 18 |

TOTAL SCHOOL DAYS 184

NO SCHOOL INFORMATION

The policy of the School Department is to hold school on stormy days. The decision as to whether or not a child should attend school will be left to the discretion of the parent. In extremely bad weather when it is deemed wise to have no school, such notice will be broadcast over WBET (1460) Brockton between 7 and 8 A.M. and between 11 and 12 noon, WOKW (1410) Brockton, WBZ (1030) Boston, and WEEI (590) Boston.

In the event that schools are closed, for any reason, prior to the regular closing hours, an announcement to this effect will be made over the Brockton stations.

If the afternoon Kindergarten session is cancelled, it will be announced on the radio before the usual bus pick-up times.

Fire alarm signals will be as follows:

- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7 A.M.,
no school grades 7 through 12 inclusive all day.
- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7:15 A.M.,
no school grades Kindergarten-through 6 inclusive all day.

Fire alarm signals (contd.)

1 long – 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 11 A.M.,
no school grades Kingergarten through 6 inclusive in the afternoon.

SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP – OCTOBER 1, 1975

| Elementary | K | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | TOTAL |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Sunset Avenue | | | 24 | 34 | 16 | | | | 74 |
| Spring Street | 108 | 118 | 99 | | | | | | 341 |
| Rose L. MacDonald | | | | 110 | 121 | 131 | | | 362 |
| Special Class | | | | | | | | | 16 |
| Howard School | | | | | | | 148 | 139 | 287 |
| High School | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | | | TOTAL |
| High School | 185 | 111 | 113 | 120 | 136 | | | | 665 |
| Total Enrollment elementary and high school | | | | | | | | | 1,729 |

CLASS OF 1975

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Deborah Jean Adams | Lawrence Edward Cross |
| Ross Almquist | Diane Christine Denzer |
| Deborah Ann Anderson | Christine Marie DiBattista |
| Ruth Ellen Anderson | Donna Marie Dobrzynski |
| Gary Phillip Baker | Peter Robert Donndelinger |
| Lora Lee Beaulieu | Robbin Marjorie Droukas |
| James Edward Benson | Paul Kevin Dufault |
| Donna Lynne Berry | Gary Steven Duquette |
| Robert F. Bousquet | Charles B. Edson |
| Timothy Francis Brawders | Edward Alan Fay |
| Barry Bridgwood | Jody Finch |
| Ann Marie Briggs | Susan G. Flaherty |
| Donna Raye Britton | Susan Marie Fruzzetti |
| John Palmer Brodrick | Stephen H. Gerald |
| Diane Marie Burke | Donna Marie Hall |
| Roberta Lee Burt | Sandra Lynne Hallberg |
| Donna Lee Calef | Kim Marie Harris |
| Dianna Carol Canzano | Robert Patrick Harvey |
| Donna Mary Canzano | Bradford Earl Herrick, Jr. |
| Nancy Ann Carrozza | Diane Higgins |
| Catherine Ann Catrambone | Kim Jurg Horn |
| Donn N. Catrambone | Donna Marie Ippolito |
| Judy Lee Catrambone | Marie Jiewertz |
| Carmine Centrella, Jr. | Danielle Louise Johnson |
| David Allen Chaves | David P. Johnson |
| Nancy Ann Chaves | Lou Anne Johnson |
| Paul Chilauskas | Shirley B. Johnson |
| Donald Howard Clark | Jeanne K. Jones |
| Catherine A. Clooney | Mary Katherine Jopline |
| Elizabeth Fay Cochary | Maryann Kazukonis |
| David Harold Cole | Michael John King |
| Cheryle Lee Collins | Lynn Marie Kehoe |
| Kathleen Conniff | Jeffrey David Kundicz |
| Thomas Joseph Couite, Jr. | Mary Gertrude LaCroix |
| Cathleen Ann Cranshaw | Raymond Francis LaPlante |
| John Edward Cranshaw | Cyrus Bryant Leavitt |

David M. Lindquist
 Robert Charles Lindquist
 Patricia Lynch
 Michael Francis Lyons, Jr.
 Catherine Ellen MacDonald
 Lois Carlene Magee
 Joseph A. Mattie
 Kathleen McCaffrey
 Christopher James Milan
 Dermot T. Moneghan
 Alfred Monsini
 Nadine Elaine Morehardt
 Kathleen Anne Marie Murad
 Dorothy Marie Murphy
 Thomas Edward Murphy
 John R. Nadeau
 John Conley Nelson
 Theresa Ann O'Connor
 Kerstin Anna Lena Osterberg
 Glenn David Packard
 Larry Steven Paschal
 Jeffrey Lee Patterson
 Loren Pensinger
 Katherine Jean Perry
 Margot Elaine Pickering
 Mark Harry Pierson
 Susan Marie Piver
 Mark Robert Pomeroy
 Juliet Alice Porter
 David James Powell
 Pamela Jane Prime
 Kathy M. Porpas

Elizabeth Diane Purcell
 Catherine Eileen Randall
 David Scott Ricker
 Paul J. Rizel
 Sarah Edith Rogers
 Richard R. Saline
 Anne Marie Salvador
 Patricia Louise Sheehan
 Christine M. Shurtleff
 Fred David Sigren
 Michael T. Sillars
 Lynne Anne Silva
 Brian L. Simmons
 Paul David Smith
 Peter G. Smith
 Stephen Arthur Smith
 Joseph Michael Souza
 Daniel Joseph Spillane, Jr.
 Cheryl Ann Strollo
 Beth Ann Surgens
 Randall Paul Swann
 Karen Turner
 Charles Edward Vandemoer
 Barbara Jean Waugh
 Vicki Lynne Wells
 Paula Williams
 Steven Ronald Willis
 Sandra Jean Willwerth
 Marianne Wood
 Cheryl Wright
 Stephen K. Wrightington

CLASS OFFICERS

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| President | Elizabeth Cochary |
| Vice President | Kathleen Conniff |
| Secretary | Vicki Wells |
| Treasurer | Margot Pickering |

CLASS MOTTO

"The great thing in the world is
 not so much where we stand,
 as in what direction
 we are moving."

Oliver Wendell Holmes

CLASS COLORS

Burnt Orange and Cocoa Brown

School Committee

To the Citizens of West Bridgewater:

At the Annual Town Election Mr. George J. Lepine, Jr. and Mr. Nicholas D. Palmieri were elected to the School Committee to replace Mrs. Rhoda Johnson and Mr. DeSales J. Heath who did not seek re-election.

A special organizational meeting was held on March 17, 1975, at which time Mr. George J. Lepine, Jr. was elected Chairman, Mr. Charles R. Barros was elected Vice Chairman and Mr. Donald L. MacIver was elected Clerk. Mrs. Jeanne A. Smith was elected to serve as Secretary to the Committee.

Mr. Carlson was elected to serve on the Howard School Building Committee, Liaison between the School Committee and the Finance Committee and also the School Property Development Committee. Mr. Barros was elected as the school representative on the Bid Committee. Mr. Raleigh was elected as the School Committee representative to the R.E.A.D.S. Program. Mr. Palmieri was elected as the Legislative Committee representative.

On April 30, 1975, Mr. Stanley O. Carlson submitted his resignation to the Town Clerk. Mr. Carlson had served on the School Committee for over seven years; the last year as Chairman of the Committee. Mr. Carlson was a dedicated member and his concern for the children and the Town of West Bridgewater did not go unnoticed. To Stan, the Committee would like to say "Thank you for your many contributions to the school system and best wishes to you in all your future endeavors."

The vacancy on the School Committee created by Mr. Carlson's resignation was filled by Mr. Robert A. White of 274 Pleasant Street. Mr. White was elected by the members of the Board of Selectmen and the remaining members of the School Committee. This was done in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 11 of the Massachusetts General Laws. Mr. White will serve in this position until the Annual Town Elections again take place in April of 1976. The Committee would like to thank all the applicants who applied to fill the vacancy. Their interest in our school system is appreciated.

Under its new organizational structure the Committee has endeavored to enhance its existence by taking a more active role in directing the administration of the school system. We continued our Summer Reading Program in order to give assistance to approximately sixty youngsters during the summer period from July 7 to August 8, 1975. The goal of the Summer Reading Program was to take advantage of the unique learning opportunity that the summer vacation provides for students needing reinforcement in reading skills. The staff for this program consisted of Mrs. Joyce Francis, Mrs. Sandra Walsh and Ms. Lucy Smith. We deemed this a very successful program.

Due to the resignation of Mr. Robert Fantasia, Director of Special Needs, the Administration was instructed to begin a search to find a qualified replacement. While this search was going on Mr. S. Erick Benson, our High School Principal, volunteered to serve in this position until that person could be found. The Committee appointed Mr. Benson to serve in that capacity. At the January 5, 1976 School Committee meeting a very qualified young man was appointed to fill the vacancy as Director of Special Needs. He was among four finalists that the Administration had recommended to the Committee. The new Director of Special Needs is Mr. William J. Pugh of Canton, Massachusetts.

The Committee undertook another new adventure this year and have set some goals for itself and the school system. Among our new goals is an endeavor to make improvements in the 3 R's. Our top priority for this year will be the reading programs. We have involved ourselves in the Right-to-Read Program. Representing our school system in this program is Mrs. Justine Matthews, a very capable member of our faculty. At this writing we have requested funds in the 1976-1977 school budget to fund the position of a Reading Coordinator for grades K-8. A search is now underway to find a qualified person to fill this position.

We have also reinstated the Volunteer Services Program. It is now under the co-direction of Mrs. Patricia Kelly and Mrs. Patricia Alger. We are confident that with this leadership and the cooperation of the administration we will have a fine Volunteer program. Our sincere thanks to all the generous people who are now actively involved and we would gladly welcome anyone who would like to join us. We are sure there are many of you who would have something to offer.

Another undertaking by the Committee is the Annual Evaluation of the Superintendent of Schools. We felt that we have been lacking in this area for too long. Our first evaluation of the Superintendent was done in September of 1975, and the overall evaluation for that time period was considered satisfactory. Another evaluation will be done in February of 1976. (Because this Annual Report was prepared in January of 1976, the results of that evaluation are not available at this time.)

We are presently looking into the feasibility of placing the seventh and eighth grades at the Howard School starting in September, 1976. The Howard School would then service grades 7 and 8. At the present time the Howard School is for grades 6 and 7. The High School would service grades 9 through 12. We feel that by dropping grade 8 from the High School it would give those youngsters a little more time in which to mature before being integrated into a High School atmosphere. The grade placements of the other elementary grades has not been determined at this time.

In the years to come we will have to give much more consideration to the maintenance of our buildings both inside and out. Our big major repair job for this year will be to repair the overhang on the High School roof. This cost will be in the neighborhood of ten thousand dollars. There are many other areas that will have to have our attention in the very near future including the roof at the Spring Street School. Many of these repairs have been postponed for too many years.

We have tried to mention just a few of the new things that the School Committee has undertaken for the school year 1975 — 1976 and some projection into the 1976 — 1977 school year. We hope those we have mentioned will meet with your approval. We assure you that we will continue to make improvements where we think they are needed as well as to maintain the efficiency in the areas that we feel are in good order. We certainly appreciate your suggestions and hope that we will continue to have the fine attendance of townspeople at our regular School Committee meetings.

In closing this Annual Report we would like to extend our thanks to all our school personnel for their cooperation and their devotion to their duties. To you, the townspeople, we want to thank you for your support of the School Budgets as presented to you at Town Meetings and for your tolerance and understanding in the salary areas of the budget that are not completed in time for the regular Town Meeting. This is due to Collective Bargaining with our personnel that seems to become more difficult each year.

Our goal is to keep the West Bridgewater School System one of the finest in the area; a place that our students and the entire town can be proud of. We are confident that with your continued help and suggestions and by working together this goal can be and will be attained.....

Respectfully submitted,

George J. Lepine, Jr., *Chairman*
Charles R. Barros, *Vice Chairman*
Donald L. MacIver, *Clerk*
H. David Raleigh
Nicholas D. Palmieri
Robert A. White

Superintendent of Schools

I submit the annual reports of the Principals, other staff leaders and myself.

As in previous reports, I will mention certain highlights of the past year, our plans for the near future, and refer the reader to my colleagues' reports for more detailed information of buildings or grade levels.

GENERAL SCHOOL ATMOSPHERE— Next in importance to having our schools staffed with able, dedicated, and challenging faculty members, I believe, the providing of an atmosphere that is conducive to learning is a must for all successful schools. This is a composite of a variety of factors, including but not limited to; the physical plant, books, materials, equipments, sufficient time for classwork, good organization and sequence of classes, and an orderly student body. All these things, plus others, may be present, yet to be truly a strong force for desired growth in the student, another important ingredient must be added. I refer to attitude. Attitude on the part of the learner, the teacher, the parent, and the community in general. Without a receptive, interested, cooperative, and supportive attitude there is far less chance of success.

We encounter much pessimism today and too frequently a feeling that the diversity and intensity of local, state, national, and world problems are just too much for mankind to survive, let alone improve. No one would deny that we are encountering difficult times, but, if we review the World's history, has there ever been a period when all mankind enjoyed a Utopian sort of existence?

No, these may be some of the worst of times, but as the optimist will point out, these are also some of the best of times. To realize and profit from some of the advantages that are available now, I suggest that we all need to take a more positive trustful, and confident approach. Utilizing such an approach, I feel today's students, or at least a large majority of them, will again develop the desire and incentive to take maximum advantage of the fine educational opportunities available in this and many other American communities.

What better time and what better goal could we set for ourselves in this our Bicentennial Year?

GOALS FOR 1975—1976 — In keeping with one of the major goals of the School Committee we are giving special attention to a re-emphasis on a leading essential to good education, *mastery of the basics*. Our major objective this year is to evaluate our present offerings in the first of the 3 R's, *Reading*. To do this, we have assigned one of our Reading Specialists, Mrs. Justine Matthews, to serve as Chairman of the *Right to Read Project* in West Bridgewater. Already a group of faculty members representative of all grade levels, has prepared, distributed, and is now compiling the results of a survey of the efforts to teach reading in all the schools. The findings of this survey, a review of our formal testing programs, and the guidance of the newly approved Reading Coordinator who will start work in September, should do much to assure that the pupils will have the needed opportunity and assistance to master this most important subject.

Now that we have an adequate number of classrooms with the addition of the Howard School for a school enrollment that appears to be "leveling off" in the 1700 to 1800 range, we are studying the most efficient assignment of grades, by buildings. The outcome of this study may provide for the *housing of Grades VII and VIII at a Middle or Junior High School in the Howard building*. Such placement would remove these younger students from the present Grade VIII through XII building and allow another year for academic, social, physical and emotional growth before entrance in a four year high school. A careful review of the advantages and disadvantages, for all the pupils at the various grade levels, will precede any recommendation to the Committee for changes in housing grade levels in September 1976.

A third very important objective for everyone associated with the schools, School Committee, administration, staff, parents, and all townspeople will be to re-create and foster an *atmosphere of mutual trust and singleness of purpose* so essential to good school programs. Recent problems in school systems in Massachusetts and throughout the Nation, such as; those arising from the efforts of well meaning but poorly prepared teachers, the growing pains accompanying extensive collective bargaining, the amount of time that was taken from other duties to concentrate on building new classrooms, and greatly increased operating budgets, have changed the feelings of many persons toward public education.

Uncomfortable and even harmful, if allowed to persist, as these factors may be, it is not an impossible situation and I call upon all citizens to renew efforts to help the many deserving students and able teachers to continue American schools as the best in the World.

The proposed *Operating Budget* for school year 1976-1977 includes the smallest percentage increases in many years, .4%. It totals \$2,556,277. including \$321,779. for *Special Education*. In dollars it is up \$10,053. over the 1975-1976 budget. The *Evening School Budget* request remains the same as in 1975-1976, \$3,525. The request for *Athletics* is up \$1,230. over the present school year. This is augmented by approximately \$2,027. of anticipated revenue from admissions to basketball and football games for a 1976-1977 total of \$26,027.

I am appreciative of the efforts of all staff members for their cooperation in holding increases to very minimal amounts. If there should be an increase approved for the teachers and other staff members during the current negotiation sessions, the money to meet the additional salary cost would have to be added to the School Committee's request at the Annual Town Meeting or a subsequent session. Due to the continuing rises in the cost of various services, especially utilities and fuel, equipment, and general supplies it may be

necessary to return to the voters for additional funds since, as I mentioned above the proposed budgets allow only for the essentials with no contingency for the unexpected. However, be assured that every effort will be made to stay within the limits of the proposed budget.

The above mentioned funds should allow the Town to continue to provide in 1976-1977, the same programs; academically and extra-curricular as are being offered in the current school year. Further reductions in funding could result in our having to curtail parts of the existing programs and/or drop academic subjects or increase class sizes.

As the buildings become older our *maintenance program* will continue to demand more funds to make certain the buildings and grounds will not drop in value as regards full utilization and replacement costs. In this regard, while seeking to find the best location, in terms of the pupils' programs and financial efficiency, for all grades, we are carefully weighing the advantages of continuing to use the four classroom Sunset Avenue School. Although it is structurally sound the operating costs might not be justified if the pupils could be moved to other buildings. Before abandoning the building, thought should be given to utilizing it for needed office and storage space.

In the spring of 1976 one of our largest maintenance projects will be carried out, the *rebuilding of the Spring Street School's sewerage facilities* and tying them in with the distribution plant at the Howard School. This approximately \$60,000. project, paid for by the 1975-1976 budget, has been planned to utilize equipment already in use at the Howard School and to eventually tie-in with the High School on the proposed regional, public sewer line along West Center Street.

Repairs to the *overhang at the High School* will be the major, known maintenance project for 1976-1977 in the amount of \$11,000. The following year it may be necessary to start the re-roofing of the Spring Street School. Despite poor initial construction and due, at least in part, to the good pitch or slant of most of it, we have had a minimum of serious leaks. However, the tar and gravel coating is continuing to deteriorate and it will not be long before this protective material will cease to perform its major functions.

Other areas of the physical plant that should be given attention, now that regular classroom space seems to be adequate for the present, include expanding the *Science Laboratory* facilities at the High School providing much *needed general storage space*, and improving the *Drury playing field area* at Howard School. Should Grade VIII be moved from the High School it could mean the availability of a room(s) that could be converted for the desired laboratory. At present that building has only one room properly equipped for Chemistry. Due to the increasing number of students taking science courses, this facility is sorely needed if they are to receive the recommended time in laboratory work. Estimates prepared in 1974 projected the cost for this work in the neighborhood of \$20,000.

The storage space might be combined with the needs of other Town Departments and conceivably provided in a centrally located metal building. This outside space would not only lengthen the life of equipment now stored outside the school buildings but it would free up space now utilized within the schools.

Drury field is presently serving as a physical education and baseball facility. The uneven surface of other portions of the field need re-grading, loaming, and seeding before the desired field hockey and additional baseball space can be realized. Cost for this work, on the Howard Street end has been estimated to be about \$8,000.

Because of its more direct relation to the pupils' academic program it is expected that the laboratory would receive first priority when budgeting allows for more construction work.

On behalf of the School Committee and the staff, I encourage my fellow citizens, individually or in groups, to *make use of the school buildings and grounds* for educational, recreational, and social purposes whenever they are not needed for the regular programs. Such usage not only helps to make an even better community but it further justifies high initial costs.

Two veteran teachers retired in June 1975; Mrs. Alma M. Rhodin, Grade III at Spring Street School, after fifteen years of service and Mrs. Bernice E. Ditchett, Grade IV at Rose L. MacDonald School, after nineteen years of service. In addition, Mrs. Anne Pilla, Head Cook at the High School, retired in June. Mrs. Pilla had been working for the lunch program almost since it was started by parent volunteers over nineteen years ago. They were able and dedicated workers and we wish them a long and happy retirement.

In conclusion, I thank the members of the School Committee for their efforts to provide good educational programs and their support of students and staff members as they work in the several schools. I also thank all my associates who contribute much of their free time and energy to maintaining the many, very worthwhile programs in all our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald A. Fisher
Superintendent of Schools

Principal, Junior-Senior High School

I hereby submit my annual report of the West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School.

During the year 1975, the teachers, guidance personnel, special needs specialists, administration and other staff members have endeavored to provide services in keeping with the needs and interests of the student body. As the demands and opportunities provided within the society change, so must some educational programs and projects. Some societal change is insidious, some acute, therefore, the impact on the students and the necessary adjustments have varied. Although some necessary budgetary limitations were not exclusively felt by the high school, needed and worthwhile educationally sound programs and projects were postponed.

Approved plans to renovate and improve existing science laboratory facilities had to be curtailed. The proposed renovations, costing approximately twenty-three thousand dollars, would have provided two additional laboratory facilities in addition to other improvements. Presently, an elective science program consisting of sixteen courses is offered to students of grades nine through twelve. This is complimented by eight sections of eighth grade science.

Over the past four years, because of expanded facilities, a dedicated staff and changing vocational goals related to new economic trends, two hundred seventy-seven students have elected courses available in the business department. During 1975 only a little in excess of seven hundred dollars was expended for the acquisition and replacement of equipment.

This practice is not adequate to maintain, let alone acquire, needed equipment to prepare students for the offices of today. In keeping with the needs of our students, it is recommended that we engage in a planned replacement program, changing from manual to electric typewriters in 1976.

In spite of poor vocational opportunities, the Cooperative Business Education Program provided on-the-job training for twenty-five students; nine of these students have become full-time employees; five have gained employment related to their school and job experiences; seven have gone on to two-year colleges; one has joined the Armed Forces; and the status of the remaining three is unknown.

To help promote vocational opportunities for additional students who plan to terminate their formal education at the end of their senior year, it is suggested we adopt the proposal submitted for the 1975 school year; that is, consolidating the work study, home economics, industrial arts and business programs under one department chairman, as considerable time must be spent with prospective employees and on-the-job observation of students.

Efficient utilization of the English Department staff has increased the coherence of the curriculum as it has materialized in the classroom. This has been made possible by reducing the number of swing teachers since the large eighth grade class (186) is now housed in the High School. Many eighth and ninth grade students are being served by our special needs department and much to our delight a close and sensitive cooperation has been fostered between the English teachers and the special needs department. Throughout the past year a serious and successful effort has been made to involve students more closely with the resources of our excellent library and to reinforce vocabulary increment through direct study and extensive reading. The Right to Read Effort should underscore, as stated in the last annual report, our need for more specialized instruction in developmental reading for grades nine through twelve. Hopefully, the needed teachers' hours will be provided for this endeavor. The English department program has always been supplemented by meaningful field trips to cultural centers in the greater Boston area. This enrichment opportunity has almost been entirely curtailed because of the nonappropriation of funds for such activities. Reinstatement of this former practice is educationally desirable.

We are grateful to Mr. Robert Miskinis, a local resident, for the practical experience afforded our seniors in the Consumer Mathematics course. Through his efforts, the students actively participated in every role related to the sale of an automobile. At the conclusion of the project — the sale of the automobile — the class will be awarded a donation for some fund in the school.

The Mathematics Department is functioning with one less teacher this year. This results in some college mathematics classes being heterogeneously grouped and at the same time having an enrollment which exceeds the recommendations of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics. This situation hinders the students in receiving an adequate preparation for the college board examinations as well as for acceptance at the college of his or her choice. We hope this situation will be corrected next year.

The Mathematics Team is actively participating in the Greater Boston Mathematics League. We are proud of the team's dedication and performance.

The Social Science Department is providing a curriculum that is called for and needed by the entire spectrum of the student body. Courses are being adjusted to the needs of the students by the introduction of mini-units in such areas as anthropology, art appreciation, Middle East, China, law, consumerism, value clarification and others. Sociology and the American Legal System are being offered for the first time on a limited basis and when the budget allows, these courses will be offered to additional students.

The Social Science Department recognizes the mastery of subject fields is not the end in themselves, but that they must be presented in such a way that they can be used to equip students with ways of thinking, feeling, and acting which can help them to behave more effectively and with greater understanding and dignity and satisfaction.

Our high school library has added one thousand thirty-two books and twenty-four cassette tapes. Over seven hundred paperbacks were added and eighty-nine periodicals renewed. Equipment purchased included an audio-visual storage cabinet and two large book shelves.

Excellent cooperation continues with the public library. Its entire staff has been of enormous assistance to our students and faculty.

It is our continued desire to see that the library finds the support necessary to improve in its usefulness to everyone at a time when excellence in reading is so in demand.

The aims of the 1975 Athletic and Intramural programs at West Bridgewater High School, working in conjunction with the academic phase of school life, is the development of specific values, attitudes, skills and the fostering of a competitive spirit which will help to make the students worthwhile citizens in their adult life.

During the 1974-75 Winter Season we had two hundred fifty students involved in our program. The Spring Season found one hundred thirty-seven students involved and the 1975 Fall Sports had one hundred fifty-two participating. The total number of students participating was five hundred thirty-nine.

This year many physicals were done for athletics with the senior school physician, Dr. Joseph Calitri.

Dr. Arthur Carriere joined us as physician for athletics in August and we have completed two hundred and ten physicals to date with the anticipation of approximately thirty to forty more by the end of the school year.

Pre-physicals are done the day prior to the exam by the school nurse (pre-physicals consist of height, weight and blood pressure) so that this data is available to the physician before the exam.

Confidential lists are distributed to each member of the faculty so as to acquaint each teacher with a student that she or he may have, as to hearing and vision problems — thus seating may be arranged accordingly. Other students with specific handicaps or illnesses, such as Diabetes, Epilepsy, etc., are made known to teachers from the first day of school and what to do if a problem with one of these students arises.

Vision and Hearing Screening is done on all students grades eight through twelve. Un-

fortunately, in too many instances parents have failed to follow-up when additional testing is recommended by the School Nurses.

The tenth grade Diphtheria-Tetanus Clinic was held again as recommended by the State Department of Public Health with one hundred per cent participation of those students needing this booster (recommended every ten years).

Mantoux tests for Tuberculosis were given to school personnel in need of this (done every three years).

Health counseling continues daily by the school nurse in many ways; 1. student; 2. faculty referrals, and; 3. outside of school referrals. In addition, she is also an advisor to the Future Nurses' Club.

The Student Council is attempting to develop students who possess an awareness of all aspects of education and the democratic process. The council organizes and conducts all school elections and has worked with the current Student Advisory Council on issues of mutual interest.

The Student Council office is staffed by council members to aid students in obtaining information on a variety of topics.

Each of the above activities is an attempt to foster the growth of young men and women who will be more productive and responsible citizens.

On behalf of the student body, teachers, administration and other staff members, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you and your office staff for the courteous help that we have received during this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Erick Benson
Principal

Principal, Howard School

It is with pleasure that I submit the second annual report of the Howard School. The year 1975 was the first full calendar year of operation of the school and it was a year which witnessed the implementation of many new ideas and approaches for our sixth and seventh grade students. In this report you will find a compilation of not only my observations and ideas, but also those of the department chairpersons and support personnel who do so much to aid us in attainment of our educational objectives.

I would first like to commend the staff of the Howard School. In 1975 this staff had a tremendous adjustment to make. Taking an elementary oriented sixth grade staff and a secondary oriented seventh grade staff, melding their educational philosophies and techniques, soliciting their aid in everything from curriculum to development of a student handbook, this group of professionals met all of the challenges put forth to them in a most satisfactory manner. It is through their efforts that the Howard School has become efficiently and solidly established, and I commend each and every one of them — I am proud of their accomplishments.

Within the academic realm there have been many noteworthy gains. The seventh grade social science program, in addition to stressing the improvement of basic skills, has been geared toward the attainment of positive attitudes toward learning and the development of a values system that will help our young people become understanding and concerned adults. Coordinating efforts in this endeavor, we give special thanks to Chief Ervin G. Lothrop and Officer Scott Lovell of the police department for their invaluable contributions of time and effort.

Emphasis in social sciences, as well as all curriculum areas, is also being given to the Bicentennial celebration. In social science, particular attention is being paid not only to the Bicentennial, but also its meaning to people in the rest of the world.

The language arts program at the Howard School has been highlighted by good cooperation between sixth and seventh grade teachers, thus providing an opportunity to discover at close range the differences in their instructional methods, as well as the underlying sequence of their program. The opportunity is now present to develop more cross-grade and cross-disciplinary teaching units which hopefully will be instituted next year. The language arts department has offered to work with the library in the development of a sequential program in library skills and this year is giving strong support to all activities in the Right-to-Read effort, particularly in-service training for those teachers directly involved with reading instruction.

The mathematics department has continued the revision of the basic mathematics curriculum in grades six and seven. New priorities have been placed upon all concepts with top priorities given to computations. All attempts are made at allowing students to work at a speed which results in a feeling of success and accomplishment through individualization of teaching techniques.

The science department, working in a well-equipped science laboratory, is functioning very smoothly. In grade six the *Concepts in Science* series is providing a sequential, spiraling approach which is initiated in grade one and continued through grade six. In grade seven the approach is one of investigation through laboratory procedures and techniques. For all our science classes, having access to a laboratory enables the student to gain valuable experience in exploring concepts and developing an insight for scientific discovery.

With the very able assistance of Thomas Peters, Curriculum Coordinator for grades kindergarten to seven, we have established two new curriculum areas in the past year. The first was that of library science. This program taught by our librarian is required of all students in grades six and seven and meets once per week for each division. Students are taught in-depth how to use the library and its reference sources. Included in the work is use of audio-visual equipment as well as production of materials.

The second new offering is that of the "Corrective Reading Program." This offering, provided to selected members of grade seven, is an intensive remedial reading program designed to elevate the reading levels of participants.

The guidance department at the Howard School is functional for grade seven students. For these students emphasis is placed on career awareness. This is begun by the development of concepts within the three broad areas; interests, abilities, and personalities. This is followed by the introduction of occupational information and an exploration of career interests.

The media center at the Howard School continues to expand through the combined ef-

forts of the school budget, E.S.E.A. Title II funds, gifts from other libraries, and the generous support of the P.T.O. The center now has some 3800 volumes plus software, and circulation is aided by both parent volunteers and some thirty student assistants.

Activities at the Howard School have been expanded this year during the "activity period" to include not only the band, which meets five times per week, and physical education activity offerings daily, but also a new art club which meets twice weekly, and a new sixth grade chorus recently formed.

Our intramural program meets four days weekly, with gymnastics meeting every other Monday. Both programs have excellent student response.

The sixth and seventh grade youngster, as he proceeds into adolescence, is one who is experiencing the most intense and dynamic period of development — psychologically, emotionally, socially, and physically — that he may ever encounter. It is a time when he requires firmness in behavior expectations and, at the same time, great understanding, compassion and direction from the adults in his world. These characteristics of the Howard School Student Body point up the desperate need for a **FULL-TIME GUIDANCE COUNSELOR**.

Our guidance director at the high school put this need most clearly when she wrote "the need is very apparent ... for a counselor to be assigned on a full-time basis to the Howard School ... At present, the sixth grade has no counseling available; the seventh grade counselor is able to be in the school only part of the day because of additional assignments to eighth and ninth grades in the high school." I can only echo these thoughts loud and clear.

Among the observances of the bicentennial year, Mr. Richard Harrison, Mrs. Gertrude Estabrooks, Mrs. Susan Gray, Mr. Arthur Hogan and Ms. Terri Cohen coordinated and directed the "Sing for America" program in October, and they are currently planning another presentation for the spring. I am very grateful to these people for their limitless efforts in behalf of our students. Each and every student participant in these presentations not only learns valuable lessons in being part of a total group effort, but also has experiences which will be remembered for years to come.

In closing, I would like to express my appreciation and gratitude to the many people in the school system associated with the efforts of the Howard School. We are indeed fortunate to have a nucleus of cooperative and dedicated people who expend limitless energies toward making the public schools of West Bridgewater products of which we can all be very proud.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Todd
Principal

Elementary Curriculum Coordinator and Principal, Spring Street School

It gives me great pleasure to contribute my ninth annual Town Report, in order to note the beneficial changes and additions to the numerous programs offered at the elementary level.

Before doing this however, I wish to call attention to the performance of the staff in their efforts to fulfill the needs of individual children and to further enrich their learning experiences. They are to be commended for their dedication, enthusiasm and cooperation. My personal thanks to all.

While our staff provides the talent and energy necessary to make our system what it is, our dedication is guided by an educational philosophy that we have established over a long period of growth and development. To be sure we are always re-examining and refining our particular goals but our guiding philosophy continues along the same lines stated in previous reports.

At the Kindergarten level this philosophy is based on two fundamental concepts — Learning Readiness and Learning Experiences. We are constantly assessing whether each child has the skills that make him or her ready to move to Grade I. Furthermore, we cultivate pupil interest and capacity for later learning through a variety of educational experiences including: Creative Art, Language Arts, Music, Sciences, Math, Reading Readiness, Dramatic Play, and Physical Activity. This approach ensures that we meet the needs of every child as much as possible.

In order to better serve the children entering the Kindergarten program our pre-school screening was revised this past year. The new Readiness Screening measure was administered during registration on March 18, 19 & 20. The cooperation of the L.D. staff, Kindergarten teachers and the Reading Specialist enabled this process to work smoothly.

The purpose of the preschool screening was to identify possible perceptual problems in areas such as fine motor coordination, directionality, body concept, sequential memory, discrimination and attention span.

Twenty-one children performed within the “High-Risk” category. These children, together with late registrants were administered additional diagnostic measures in the fall to determine whether inclusion in the L.D. program would be recommended.

The result of the 1975 screening procedures was the drafting of educational plans and provisions of direct services for 18 Kindergarten children.

In keeping with our total program of early intervention and prevention, additional screening was done in the following areas:

1. **Speech and Language** — This screening done by Speech Therapists identified a group of children needing further diagnosis so they could benefit from specific therapy.
2. **Special Needs** — The Counselor reviewed the pre-school questionnaire with each parent and discussed any special needs that each child might have.
3. **Health**
 - a. **General History** — The school nurse obtained a health and developmental history

from all the parents. The information collected in this process is very important in the placement of children, especially in making the teachers aware of any medical problems.

- b. **Auditory & Visual** – The eyes and ears of each child were examined by a competent technician. Those in question were reviewed by Mrs. E. Myrtle Howard, R.N., School Nurse.
- c. **Dental Examination** – The Dental Hygienist examined the children for any dental problems that might need attention.

Two successful workshops were presented to the parents of the Kindergarten children. A copy of the written curriculum was distributed to all those present followed by a detailed explanation with a series of slides of the children engaged in all the activities described in the curriculum. This was done with the help of Mrs. Ronald Alger, Coordinator of the Kindergarten Parent-Volunteers. It is my hope to continue with this activity again this year as we complete our second successful year with the Kindergarten program.

Among the major accomplishments of this year was the revision of the Progress Report in Grades 1, 2 & 3. In this revision, *objectives are more clearly defined* and broken down into their component parts in the subject areas of Language Arts, Reading, Spelling, Handwriting and Mathematics. This was done with the following goals in mind:

1. Increase the emphasis in the “3 R’s”.
2. Improve communication between parents and school.

Very similar work is presently being done with the Kindergarten Progress Report.

Elementary Mathematics:

With the help of Mrs. Kent, a revision of the basic curriculum for elementary mathematics has been introduced this year. Concepts usually taught in each grade have been given new priorities. Computation has top priority at all grade levels. Students will continue to work at a speed comparable to their ability. At the same time, we hope to improve the computational ability of each child.

We are planning a workshop during the 1975-1976 year to acquaint the teachers with the metric system and what the conversion to the metric system will mean to the present curriculum. It will be the children who are presently in the elementary grades that no doubt will be using the metric system when they reach adulthood. We must not delay teaching the metric system to these students.

Social Studies:

The American Bicentennial is a topic of major interest in the elementary social studies classes during the school year. Teachers and students are involved in and concerned with creating and carrying out projects that demonstrate the values and ideas that made our country grow. These activities are integrated with the regular classwork and have given the teachers an added dimension to their classrooms. The performance of this work is carried over into other disciplines and is giving the students more opportunities to develop and improve their basic skills, utilizing their creativity and increased personal interest.

Science:

Although the emphasis these days is on the basic skills; Reading, Writing and Arith-

metic, there is an ever increasing need for science instruction in the elementary schools. Through science the student learns about himself, and the world about him. He learns to understand scientific concepts, develop logical thought processes as an aid to solving problems, and often times initiates a lifetime interest in one of the most influential facets of our world.

In the elementary schools, students receive science instruction as part of their total integrated program. Grades 1-5 use a program, *Concepts In Science*, built upon a progressive, spiraling presentation of scientific concepts. Grades K-3 are also involved with a behavioral approach to science.

Library:

Funds were generously provided by the Parent-Teacher Organization this fall to purchase an astro-turf carpet, which was placed in a portion of the 'C' wing corridor at the Spring Street School. With book shelves arranged against the wall, the corridor now resembles a library, where pupils may come to borrow their books and learn about the library. As the library collection expanded it became impossible to take the entire 'library', or even a large portion of it into the classrooms. Establishment of the library has provided a more realistic concept of how the children will use the library in the present and in the future. Each class has a library period once every other week and there are non-circulating book collections in each classroom. Mrs. Nancy Frazier has a similar library program at the Sunset Avenue School.

Language Arts:

In terms of Language Arts instruction, the Kindergarten is the most outstanding project undertaken in the elementary area this year. The attractive environment provided by the Kindergarten teachers on their limited budget is commendable for both its ingenuity and its stimulation of language development.

Special Needs education and the Right-To-Read are receiving the major portion of this year's in-service training. Both these aspects of our curriculum are so integral a part of Language Arts that the priority is well justified.

Reading:

READING IS THE MOST IMPORTANT TASK THAT EACH TEACHER EMPHASIZES IN THE PRIMARY GRADES

The reading program in our school system begins in the Kindergarten classes where the gradual wholesome transition from home to school is made. As a child's ability to read is related to his ability to listen and speak correctly, these skills are stressed in the early years.

Reading instruction may refer to many different ways that teachers use to help a child "to read" the written form of our language. Materials are many and varied, such as; street signs, food labels, calendars, magazines, film strips, moving pictures as well as textbooks. Increasing a child's ability to use and understand our language is reading instruction.

Since no one set of materials is best for all children, a variety of instructional materials are offered to the teachers in our school system. A teacher is constantly searching for the Combination of reading materials which best fit the needs of her particular group of children and for individuals within her group.

Reading instruction is given in three ways; the whole class, small groups, and individually throughout the day.

Our 1975 Summer Reading Program provided services for 60 children, the largest enrollment in the last four years.

The success of this program can be attributed to the dedication and early planning of the staff. The goal of this program was to take advantage of the unique learning opportunity that the summer vacation provides for students needing reinforcement in reading skills.

Many hours of work have been spent in the elementary schools by student and parent volunteers. Mrs. Patricia Kelly, Coordinator of Parent-Volunteers in all elementary schools, was most helpful in organizing and assigning parents to the various schools in addition to volunteering her own services as a tutor.

Mr. Malcolm Reese, Advisor to the Student Action for Education, was very cooperative in scheduling High School students to assist the elementary teachers in various areas of instructional aid during their free periods.

My sincere thanks to each and every one of them.

Once again, I appreciate the full cooperation and support I have received from you, Mr. Jones, and Mr. Todd in improving our total curriculum in Grades K-7.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Peters
*Elementary Curriculum
Coordinator & Principal*

Principal, Rose L. MacDonald and Sunset Avenue School

From child to child there are great variations in abilities and skills and proficiencies, and as growth proceeds and individuals become more themselves, and, thus, more unique, these differences are multiplied and intensified.

To develop into independent adults, children need to have freedom to find themselves and to grow; they need to learn to make choices, to set their own directions, to follow their own way. The learning situation must be flexible and nonthreatening — allowing ways for children to learn through experiencing and inquiring, supplying opportunities for them to change and to challenge.

The staffs of the Rose L. MacDonald and Sunset Avenue Schools continually strive to provide a learning environment where all students are treated with trust and consideration. Where they can develop esteem — both self-esteem and the esteem of others — and can face life situations with self-confidence, self-acceptance, and self-reliance.

Presently, all available space is being utilized to provide an educational program for our 438 students — Rose L. MacDonald, 362; Sunset Avenue, 76. Planning rooms, stage area, and specialized areas continue to be used as small-group instructional areas by Title I personnel, Learning Disability Specialists, Speech Therapist, Volunteer Parent Aides, and other Tutorial personnel.

Housed at Sunset Avenue School are Grade 2 (1 class), Grade 3 (1 class) and the Transitional Unit (2 classes). The large room in the basement is being utilized as a dining room and for Art and Physical Education classes. A small library has also been established in the basement area.

Housed at the Rose L. MacDonald School are Grade 3 (4 classes), Grade 4 (5 classes), Grade 5 (5 classes), and the Special Needs Resource Center (1 class). The student-teacher ratio at the elementary level, Grades 3 to 5, averages 26 to 1. Certainly, we should be striving to maintain this ratio — larger classes can only take away from the learning process.

In the area of Reading and Arithmetic, classes are grouped homogeneously and those children experiencing difficulties are grouped into small sections in order to provide for more individual help. In some cases the more able students are within the same class — in this way their strengths can be utilized by the teacher to help other students on an informal tutorial basis.

The primary basal reading system being used in READ, *Reading Experience and Development*. Beginning at the pre-primer level the child *acquires a basic recognition vocabulary* by meeting concurrently several words which fall into a *definite pattern*. As words with a new phoneme-grapheme pattern are introduced, pattern boxes are provided, “known” words with the same *pattern* aid the child in using his analytic skills to master “new” words. This constant review continues through successive levels. Other reading materials used are: SRA Skill Laboratories, SRA Pilot Libraries, READ Round-up Kits, Phonics Kits, Readers Digest Skill Builders, Barnell-Loft Skills Materials, other Basal Series, Paperbacks, and Individualized Programmed Library Books. The Reading Specialists, under the direction of the Curriculum Coordinator, maintain the overall continuity of the Reading program at the elementary level.

The new concepts of the Transitional Unit located at Sunset Avenue School have been very successful in helping the children involved to proceed academically and socially at their own level of ability. During the summer and again in October, Mr. Peters, originator of the Transitional concept, and staff members presented a workshop for the parents of all children involved in the program.

All classes have a library period each week and research/reading periods are available on a needs basis. In Grade 5 library science is a fundamental part of the curriculum.

Art, Music, and Physical Education continue to be an integral part of the elementary curriculum.

In Art, students are involved in a variety of activities: cutting and pasting, murals, crayon resists, string painting, paper mosaics, pencil and ink drawings, and clay sculpturing. An Art Club also meets once a week after school.

In vocal Music, Grades 1-5, the children learn music notation and proper vocal technique. The grade 5 chorus performs at the Christmas and Spring Concerts — all students are urged to participate.

The objective of the Physical Education program is to develop physical, psychological, and social fitness in all students. In addition to the regular program, Grade 4 and 5 students can join the Gymnastics Club and/or become involved in intramurals which meet after school throughout the year.

Instrumental group lessons are provided beginning in Grade 4, one half-hour per week during the school day. New students become members of a Beginners Band and then graduate to an Intermediate Band. Throughout the school year both groups perform at various functions. Students may also take private instrumental lessons within the school.

To commemorate the Bicentennial a curriculum has been developed which will involve students in activities in the areas of Home Life, Transportation, Communication, Government, Industries, Occupations, Education, the Arts, and Special Events; as these relate to the growth of our country as a free nation. Ongoing programs that are taking place (many will involve the public) include; Flag and Thanksgiving Activity, Colonial Christmas plays, Arts and Crafts projects, Bicentennial Field Day, Corn Husk Dolls, Grave Stone Rubbings, Trips to Local Points of Interest and Guest Speakers.

The Parent Teachers Organization and the Parent-Volunteers continue to be a great help at all elementary schools. Those parents involved are to be commended for the time and effort expended for the betterment of the children's educational program.

In closing, I would like to make the following observations:

The student-teacher ratio in a classroom does make a difference in the quality of the educational program. With smaller classes a teacher can employ a wide variety of instructional strategies, methods, and learning activities; students benefit from more individualized instruction; students engage in more creative and divergent thinking processes; students learn how to function more effectively as members and leaders of groups of varying sizes and purposes; students develop better human relations and a greater regard for others; students learn the basic skills better and master more subject matter content; classroom management and discipline are better; and teacher/student attitudes and perceptions are more positive. If we are to provide the best possible educational program for our children then one factor that must be considered is class size.

Respectfully submitted,

William M. Jones
Principal

Guidance Department

Guidance services are provided for all students in the Junior-Senior High School. They comprise educational, vocational, and personal counseling on a developmental basis in order to assist the individual student to make intelligent choices concerning the future.

These choices pertain both to short-term and long-range goals; they include consideration of the type of high school program best suited to the individual needs of the student as well as the choice of an occupational goal which may require a specific kind of training after high school or lead to immediate job entry upon graduation.

Personal counseling is offered to each student on an individual basis, to ensure the best possible adjustment at all levels of school life.

The Guidance Department functions as a catalyst through the junior and senior high schools to help the student meld the various factors affecting his vocational future and bring them to bear on a career choice that is wise and appropriate for the individual concerned.

Increased emphasis is being placed on career guidance this year, in terms of assistance to the student in defining occupational goals and the exploration of training possibilities in order to reach these goals. Specific methods employed include the use of interest inventories, career presentations by the counselor in the classroom setting as well as involvement with the teachers in vocational units, arrangement for speakers on different career possibilities as well as meetings with representatives from various types of schools and colleges providing the training for these occupational opportunities.

There is substantial need for additional occupational materials to support these activities as well as for students use in the guidance library. Material resources in the Guidance Department are quite limited at the present time.

A new program has been initiated this fall in order to make it possible for citizens of the community to avail themselves of the guidance services provided by the school system. The guidance office is open in the evening from 7 to 9 p.m. on the first Monday of each month. This makes it possible for adults in the community to seek assistance and information concerning training and educational opportunities as well as any other needs for which consultation with a counselor might be helpful. Regular evening hours open up a time for those who may not be able to seek this assistance in the daytime.

The class of 1975 chose a wide variety of educational and vocational pursuits upon graduation. Fifty-eight percent of the class have gone on to further education, while thirty-four percent entered immediate employment. Following is the placement report of the 1975 graduates.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth P. Vandemoer
Director of Guidance

**WEST BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS
GUIDANCE REPORT ON PLACEMENT FOR 1975**

Total Continuing Education

1970 — 64%
1971 — 67%
1972 — 54%
1973 — 52%
1974 — 51%
1975 — 58%

| | Boys | Girls | Total | Percent of Class |
|--|------|-------|-------|---------------------|
| Four Year Private Colleges | 12 | 10 | 22 | 16.3 |
| Four Year Public Colleges | 5 | 11 | 16 | 11.9 |
| Two Year Private Colleges | 3 | 3 | 6 | 4.4 |
| Two Year Public Colleges | 6 | 13 | 19 | 14.1 |
| Nurses Training | 0 | 1 | 1 | .7 |
| Vocational Training | 5 | 3 | 8 | 5.9 |
| Military | 5 | 1 | 6 | 4.4 |
| Work | 22 | 24 | 46 | 34.2 |
| Marriage | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2.2 |
| Undecided | 3 | 1 | 4 | 3.0 |
| International Christian Youth Exchange | 0 | 1 | 1 | .7 |
| Foreign Students returning home | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2.2 |
| TOTALS | 62 | 73 | 135 | 100.0 |

**EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO BE ATTENDED
BY MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1975**

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Boston College | Mount Vernon Junior College |
| Boston University | Muhlenberg College |
| Bridgewater State | Northeastern University |
| Bristol Community College | Quincy City Hospital School of Nursing |
| Butera School of Art | Rhode Island Trade Shops School |
| Cape Cod Community College | Salem State College |
| College of William and Marry | Southeastern Massachusetts University |
| Franklin Institute | Southeastern Regional Technical Institute |
| Hudson Valley Community College | Springfield College |
| Husson College | Stonehill College |
| Lyndon State College | Swain School of Design |
| Lynchburg Baptist College | Syracuse University |
| Massachusetts College of Art | University of Lowell |
| Massachusetts Bay Community College | University of Maine |
| Massachusetts Maritime Academy | University of Massachusetts, Amherst |
| Massasoit Community College | University of Massachusetts, Boston |
| Mt. Holyoke College | Unity College |

Coordinator, Federal Projects

In the calendar year 1975, West Bridgewater Public Schools submitted six federal projects totaling \$51,722.47, all of which were approved in their entirety and implemented within our schools. Federal titles under which these projects were written included the National Defense Education Act, Title III, the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, Titles I and III, Part B of the Educationally Handicapped Act (Title VI), and Public Law 874, Title I. Funding of the projects submitted shows 96.35%, or \$49,839.02, provided by federal funds, and 3.65%, or \$1,883.45, paid by local funds.

Under the provisions of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (E.S.E.A.), Title II, the school libraries, both elementary and secondary, benefited greatly this past year with some \$2,100.96 in federal funds, all of which were used to purchase print and non-print materials for student and teacher use through our libraries. Included in the use of these funds were acquisitions to establish our newest media center at the Howard School.

The E.S.E.A. Title I program "Tutorial Education: Activities and Methodologies" (Project TEAM), which is aimed at providing tutorial services to those youngsters in our primary and elementary schools who are most in need of such services, experienced a most successful year. We currently have five certified teachers working in this 100% federally funded program which is directed by Mr. William Jones, and has an elected Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) to provide community and parental input.

During the calendar year 1975, this school system witnessed the full implementation of the Center for Individual Development (CID) at the Spring Street School. This program, funded 100% under Part B of the Educationally Handicapped Act I, provided the salaries for personnel in the project, and is one of few to be found in a system our size.

Funds received under Public Law 864 (N.D.E.A. Title III) were those representing reimbursement for the fiscal year, 1973, project in reading. Those under Public Law 874 (for children whose parents are employed on federal property), combined with reimbursement under P.L. 864, were used to reduce the operating budget for the schools during fiscal year, 1976.

With the ever-changing picture of federal funding — including forward funding, variable appropriations, and consolidation of separate titles — the realm of federal aid to education is dynamic and challenging. While the availability of funds specifically for a town such as ours is generally decreased from previous years, the total funds received by West Bridgewater during the calendar years, 1970-1975, now exceed \$418,029.00

In the year 1976, it is our expressed desire to continue to investigate, make application, and receive all federal funds for which we are eligible. Effective utilization of such funds is one major avenue by which the Town of West Bridgewater can continue to improve its educational facilities and services in order to provide education of the highest degree of quality for its students, on a cost-sharing basis with the Federal government.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Todd,
Federal Projects Coordinator

Director of Maintenance and Chief Custodian

This is my third annual report.

This year we were fortunate in having the help of a number of men from C.E.T.A. (Comprehensive Employment Training Act), and we were able to complete many projects at our schools with their help.

The High School was thoroughly cleaned this summer by the custodians, walls and floors washed, all furniture washed and where needed refinished. All floors received two coats of wax. The gym floor was refinished. Dividers were made for room one in the business wing, to simulate a business office. Bookcases were added to room four and shelves were added to room five. The C.E.T.A. carpenter made and installed bulletin boards in the lobby and library. C.E.T.A. men replaced all rotted planks on the bleachers. Our C.E.T.A. men painted the auditorium, lobby, corridor in the east wing, corridor near the cafeteria, nurse's office, main office, principal's office, assistant principal's office, Mr. Caffrey's office, senior advisor's office, and planning rooms.

We have installed a T.V. antenna for the High School which should improve reception. All the coaxial cable for this job was purchased from government surplus by Mr. Morgan of the A-V Department.

Howard School was cleaned thoroughly by the custodial staff. Walls, windows and floors washed. All desks and chairs were washed. C.E.T.A. help completed a number of projects here. Book cases were constructed for seven rooms, storage area was made for the Art Room, shelves were made for musical instrument storage, and shelves and bins were constructed for gym material. We have also converted a storage area to a teaching station and made and installed shelves and a bulletin board in the office. Other work, at this building done by C.E.T.A. men included: installing a number of bulletin boards purchased by the building committee, installing new locks purchased by the building committee, in all the doors, assisted one of the custodians making a sign for the School, and made benches for the green house.

Spring Street School had a teacher's room built by our custodian, Emmit Miller and a C.E.T.A. man, a very professional looking job. The carpenter enclosed an area where the school secretary is stationed, making a more efficient and comfortable office area. C.E.T.A. men also painted the C.I.D. (multiply handicapped) room, installed an air conditioner, planned and constructed a special desk for a pupil in the C.I.D. class, helped replace boards around the loading platform. The school was cleaned by our custodians this summer, walls and floors were washed, furniture was repaired and washed. We had help from the West Bridgewater Jaycees; five of their members painted 3 kindergarten rooms, making more cheerful and pleasant areas.

Rose L. MacDonald School was cleaned by the custodians, with the windows, walls, and floors washed and floors sealed. The gym floor was refinished. C.E.T.A. men painted all outside metal trim and the interior corridors, and helped to install playground equipment, a swing set and teather ball set.

Sunset Avenue School was thoroughly cleaned, toilet floors were painted and general maintenance work completed. New down spouts were installed and C.E.T.A. men helped rebuild the fire escape. This escape will now give many more years of service.

The C.E.T.A. program obviously contributed much to the maintenance work in our

schools and also freed the two regular men enabling them to do many jobs which they would not have been able to do. C.E.T.A. help did many jobs around the schools; cutting grass, trimming shrubs, helping to maintain the baseball and football fields, and running track.

The C.E.T.A. program has emphasized the fact that we could use more help on our maintenance staff. We have added a school and have much more acreage to care for and the buildings are getting older.

I give my thanks to the Selectmen who were instrumental in getting this help for the School Department and to Mr. Ernest Peterson, the Building Inspector, for his help.

In closing, I would like to express my appreciation to all personnel for the cooperation and assistance received during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni

*Director of Maintenance and
Chief Custodian.*

Food Service Program

This is my third annual report for the Food Service Program.

This school year the School Department has taken over the labor expenses of the School Lunch Program. After much research by several Town Departments and myself, we found that if this were done, 50% of the labor costs were reimbursable by the State. There is no reimbursement if salaries are paid by the School Lunch Program. By doing this we were able to lower the price of student lunches to 35¢ and also have a much more efficient and smoother running operation.

Each day between 1250 and 1350 lunches are served to students and teachers in the five schools. It is very difficult to please all students at all times. Much time has been spent by the school lunch staff and myself, observing various grade levels to see what appeals to them the most. The younger students (grades 1-5) have altogether different tastes than students in grades 6-12. We feel that now we have a far greater knowledge of what to serve each grade level. This is the reason that many times separate menus are offered to each school. Although it limits the variety of menus, we agree that money spent for food should be spent for balanced, nutritionally sound meals and on what we know the students will purchase. This is also why the same menu is repeated frequently.

If at any time during the school year a West Bridgewater family experiences a substantial decrease in its income, due to work lay offs, strikes or serious illness or injury, they may apply for free or reduced-price meals for their school children, temporarily until conditions improve.

West Bridgewater schools continue to have a very high daily student participation, which I feel is due to the combined efforts of all staff members.

Once again, parents and other citizens are always welcome to visit and view the operation of the school lunch program in each school and to have lunch.

Respectfully submitted,

Beverly A. Reynolds
Food Service Director

Directory of Teachers

TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL

S. Erick Benson, M. Ed.
 Thomas P. Illuzzi, M.A.
 Ronald Broman, A.B.
 Douglas Bromley, B.S.
 James Butler, M.A.
 David Chuckran, B.A.
 Mrs. Susanne Cleary, B.A.
 Miss Terrie Cohen, B.A., B.M.
 Miss Anne Davenport, B.A.
 Mrs. Nancy Dwyer, B.A.
 Mrs. Janet Flanagan, B.A.
 Mrs. Liette Fregeau, M.Ed.
 Miss Denise Gardner, B.A.
 Mrs. Barbara Hann, M.A.
 Mrs. Jill Horwitz, B.S.
 Mrs. Joan James, M.A.
 Edward F. Kelly, Jr., B.A.
 Mrs. Elaine Loughton, B.S.
 Paul Lucius, B.A.
 Miss Wendy Marber, B.A.
 Mrs. Justine Matthews, M.Ed.
 James McKee, B.S.
 Arthur Means
 Charles Monestere, Jr., B.S.
 Mrs. Joanne Morlani, B.A.
 Mrs. Mary Morris, B.A.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

High School Principal
 Ass't. H. S. Principal
 Social Studies
 Science
 Latin
 Science
 English
 Music
 Social Studies
 Physical Education, Girls
 Mathematics
 Foreign Languages
 French
 Business
 English
 Vocal Music
 Science
 Household Arts
 Mathematics
 English
 Reading
 Science
 Industrial Arts
 Science
 English
 Art

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Rhode Island College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Wichita State University & Boston University
 University of Massachusetts
 Bridgewater State College
 Newton College of the Sacred Heart
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Alabama
 Bridgewater State College
 Brandeis University
 Boston University
 University of Pittsburgh, Pa.
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Massachusetts
 Albion College, Michigan

TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL

Eugene Mozzone, B.S.
 Mrs. Patricia Murphy, B.S.
 Miss Ronnie Neckes, B.S.
 Mrs. Harriett Paul, B.S.
 Mrs. Patricia Petrovek, B.S.
 Allen Rapp, M.Ed.
 Stanley Reed, M.Ed.
 Malcolm Reese, A.B.
 Mrs. Sandra Reese, B.S.
 Mrs. Marie Rosenthal, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Carol Sturgis, B.S.
 Miss Martha Russell, M.Ed.
 Paul Sargent, M.A.
 Gerald Swift, B.A.
 Frederick Timmerman, Jr., B.S.
 James Tsika, B.A.
 Mrs. Estelle Wenson, M.S.
 Robert Woods, M.Ed.

HOWARD SCHOOL

Robert L. Todd, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Matilda E. Bystrom, B.S.
 Roger Coelho, B.S.
 Wayne Dufault, B.S.
 Mrs. Gertrude Estabrooks, B.S.
 Mrs. Ann Giella, B.A.
 Mrs. Susan T. Gray, B.A.
 Pat Guercio, M.Ed.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Industrial Arts
 Speech
 Business
 Home Economics
 Social Studies
 Physical Education, Boys
 Biology
 History
 English
 Social Studies
 Business
 Spanish
 Mathematics
 English
 Mathematics
 Mathematics
 English
 History

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Boston University
 Central Conn. State College
 Framingham State College
 Boston University
 Boston University
 Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Illinois
 Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston State College
 Bridgewater State College
 State University of N.Y. at Albany
 University of Maine

Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Stonehill College
 Bridgewater State College
 Mass. College of Art
 Oberlin College, Ohio
 Worcester State College

TEACHERS

HOWARD SCHOOL

Richard Harrison, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Christine Kone, B.A.
 Roy Lundin, Jr., B.S.
 Walter Olson, B.A.
 Wilbur Parrott, B.A.
 Miss Margaret Roche, B.A.
 Robert Dwyer, Jr., B.S.
 Edward Sarro, B.A.

ROSE L. MAC DONALD SCHOOL

William M. Jones, M.Ed.
 Donald Berry, B.S.
 Mrs. Carolyn M. Cullen, B.A.
 Frank DeMello, B.S.
 Charles Fay, B.S.
 Mrs. Joyce Francis, B.A.
 Mrs. Nancy Frazier, B.S.
 Mrs. Barbara Gross, B.S.
 Ms. Judith Hickey, M.Ed.
 Arthur Hogan, B.M.
 Mrs. Patricia Holloway, B.S.
 Mrs. Anna Howe, B.S.
 Mrs. Katherine Keough, B.S.
 Mrs. Judith Lopes, B.S.
 Miss Fontaine Metta, B.S.
 Miss Mary E. Nelson, B.S.
 Miss Mary Roberts, B.A.
 Mrs. Maureen Rosa, B.S.
 Mrs. Frances Williams, B.S.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Reading—Grade 6
 Reading—Grade 6
 Science—Grade 6
 Social Studies—Grade 7
 Librarian
 English—Grade 7
 Physical Education, Elementary
 Science

Principal
 Grade 4
 Grade 3
 Grade 5
 Grade 5
 Grade 4
 Librarian
 Grade 4
 Grade 3
 Music—Elementary
 Art—Grades 1-5
 Grade 5
 Grade 4
 Grade 3
 Grade 5
 Reading—Grades 4-6
 Grade 3
 Grade 5
 Grade 4

PREPARATION

Suffolk University
 Salem State College
 Eastern Nazarene College
 Bridgewater State College
 Mars Hill College, N.C.
 Framingham State College
 Boston State College
 Bridgewater State College

Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 Emmanuel College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Barrington College
 Boston State College
 University of Washington, Wa.
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston University
 Indiana University
 Bridgewater State College
 Worcester Teachers College
 Worcester State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Tufts University
 Bridgewater State College
 Ohio State University

TEACHERS

SPRING STREET SCHOOL

Thomas Peters, M.Ed.

Mrs. Melody Barlow, B.A.
 Mrs. Margery Bloomer, B.S.
 Mrs. Margaret Boynton, B.S.
 Ms. Patricia Caffery, M.S.
 Miss Paula Davison, B.S.
 Mrs. Pamela T. Jimenez, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Donna-Lee Manning, B.S.
 Miss Lynn Mansueto, B.S.
 Mrs. Rosemary Mastropietro, B.S.
 Mrs. Virginia Nolan, B.S.
 Mrs. Jeanne Roscoe, B.S.
 Mrs. Myrtle Ryan
 Mrs. Sandra L. Walsh, B.S.

SUNSET AVENUE SCHOOL

Mrs. Lillian Webster, M.S.
 Mrs. Mary Lyons, B.S.

DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

Mrs. Helen Millet, C.A.G.S.
 Mrs. Marietta Kent, B.S.
 Robert W. Chapman, M.Ed.
 Edward F. Caffrey, B.S.
 Robert E. Lopes, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Vandemoer, M.Ed.
 Frank F. Dunn, Jr., M.Ed.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Principal & Elementary

Curriculum Coordinator

Grade 1

Kindergarten

Reading

Kindergarten

Kindergarten

Grade 1

Grade 2

Grade 2

Grade 1

Grade 1

Grade 2

Grade 2

Grade 1

Head Teacher, Grade 3

Grade 2

English

Mathematics

Science

Social Studies

Business

Guidance Director

Guidance Counselor

PREPARATION

Suffolk University
 Tufts University
 University of Vermont
 State College at North Adams
 Wheelock College
 Wheelock College
 Boston State College
 Lesley College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Eastern State Normal
 Bridgewater State College

Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College

Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Vermont
 Holy Cross College
 Fitchburg State College
 Worcester State College
 Bridgewater State College

| TEACHERS | GRADE OR SUBJECT | PREPARATION |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| SPECIAL EDUCATION | | |
| Robert Fantasia, B.S. | Director of Special Needs | Boston State College |
| Mrs. Jessie Anderson, B.S. | Transitional | Bridgewater State College |
| Miss Kathryn Sardella, B.A. | Transitional | Curry College |
| Miss Mary Jane Jacques, M.Ed. | Special Ed. Teacher | Lesley College |
| Mrs. Anita Morey, B.M. | L.D. Specialist | Boston University |
| Mrs. Marlana Johnsky, M.Ed. | L.D. Specialist | Boston State College |
| Mrs. Mary Sears, S.B. | L.D. Specialist | Simmons College |
| Mrs. Marie Sullivan, B.S. | L.D. Specialist | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Judith Merrra, B.S. | L.D. Specialist | Bridgewater State College |
| Miss Donna Griffiths, B.S. | Physical Therapist | University of Connecticut |
| Mrs. Mary Grande, B.S. | Resource Teacher | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Carol White, M.Ed. | Resource Teacher | Bridgewater State College |
| Miss Jill Hankinson, B.S. | Resource Teacher | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Kathleen Schunk, B.S. | C.I.D. Teacher | Miami University, Ohio |
| Mrs. Linda Dubin, B.A. | L.D. Instructional Support Person | University of Cincinnati, Ohio |
| Mrs. Nancy Sidman, B.A. | L.D. Instructional Support Person | New England College, N.H. |
| Miss Patricia Naylor, B.S. | Speech Therapist | Fairleigh Dickinson University |
| Mrs. M. Judith Cingolani, B.A. | Speech Therapist | West Chester State College, Pa. |
| Donald Costello, B.A. | Asst. to a Teacher | University of Massachusetts |
| Miss Lucy Ann Smith, B.A. | Asst. to a Teacher | Stonehill College |
| Mrs. Rita Broman, B.S. | Asst. to a Teacher | Stonehill College |
| Miss Ellen Levenbron, M.A. | Asst. to a Teacher | Bridgewater State College |
| Miss Ellen Taylor, B.S. | Asst. to a Teacher | Lesley College |
| Mrs. Sandra Bailey, B.A. | Title I | Lesley College |
| Mrs. Sharon Barry, A.B. | Title I | Boston University |
| Mrs. Judith Bougas, M.Ed. | Title I | Regis College |
| Miss Ann Murphy, B.S. | L.D. Instructional Support Person | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Joy Greim, B.S. | L.D. Instructional Support Person | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Susan Waas, M.Ed. | Special Needs Counselor | Boston State College |
| Mrs. Victoria Kennecally, B.S. | C.I.D. Teacher | Boston University |

Treasurer's Report

AGAIN WE HAVE NOT HAD TO BORROW!

We have carefully invested and have earned over \$34,000.00 on our investments.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph F. McCann
Treasurer

TO BE APPROPRIATED FOR JULY 1, 1976—JUNE 30, 1977 REPAYMENT OF BONDS

| DEPARTMENT | BOND PRINCIPAL | BOND INTEREST | TOTAL |
|--------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| School Bonds | \$140,000.00 | \$ 61,006.00 | \$201,006.00 |
| Water Bonds | <u>102,000.00</u> | <u>33,924.75</u> | <u>135,924.75</u> |
| TOTALS | <u>\$242,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 94,930.75</u> | <u>\$336,930.75</u> |

Annual Report
of the
Town Accountant
of
West Bridgewater
Massachusetts

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1975

To the Board of Selectmen:

I submit herewith my Annual Report in accordance with Section 61, Chapter 41, General Laws, for the year ending June 30, 1975.

Arthur E. Chaves

Town Accountant

**TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER
UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS—JUNE 30, 1975**

SCHEDULE A

GENERAL:

| | |
|---|---------------------------|
| Federal Funding Administrator | 3,500.00 |
| CETA Operations | 8,664.30 |
| Highway—Drainage | 21,326.10 |
| Highway—Sidewalk | 6,422.07 |
| Highway—Sidewalk—Crescent Street | 6,449.51 |
| Highway—State aided | 21,215.23 |
| Highway—Bonnie Drive | 897.70 |
| School—Hot Lunch | 15.28 |
| School—Athletics | 883.94 |
| School—Title I | 1,285.86 |
| School—Title II | 2,284.33 |
| School—Title III | 1,883.45 |
| School—Title VI | 1,774.85 |
| School—Title 874 | 7,314.00 |
| School Construction | 803.20 |
| School—March of Dimes | 428.75 |
| School—W. J. & A. C. Howard Scholarship | 501.27 |
| Library—Trust Funds No.1 | 780.80 |
| Library—Trust Funds No.2 | 288.23 |
| Library—Trust Funds No.3 | 794.32 |
| Library—State Aid | 2,682.00 |
| Library—County Dog Fund | 3,915.12 |
| Historical Commission | 3,500.00 |
| Total General | <u>\$97,610.31</u> |

WATER:

| | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Standpipe | 5,370.34 |
| Test wells | 456.89 |
| Mains—Pleasant Street | 3,433.35 |
| Total Water | <u>\$ 9,260.58</u> |

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING:

| | |
|----------|----------|
| Drainage | 9,315.13 |
|----------|----------|

TOTAL

\$116,186.02

SCHEDULE OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

| SOURCE | Estimated | Actual | Excess |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Local Aid Agency Funds | 1,141,563.75 | 1,091,480.22 | (50,083.53) |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 222,700.00 | 310,323.95 | 87,623.95 |
| Licenses | 20,000.00 | 20,256.76 | 256.76 |
| Fines | 3,400.00 | 5,102.45 | 1,702.45 |
| General Government | 14,000.00 | 33,504.98 | 19,504.98 |
| School | 11,900.00 | 1,868.61 | (10,031.39) |
| Interest | 19,000.00 | 56,438.00 | 37,438.00 |
| Farm Animal Excise | 1,000.00 | 581.45 | (418.55) |
| TOTAL | <u>1,433,563.75</u> | <u>1,519,556.42</u> | <u>85,992.67</u> |
| Water | <u>98,970.00</u> | <u>93,712.87</u> | <u>(5,257.13)</u> |

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY—JUNE 30, 1975

EXHIBIT B

| | | | |
|---|------------|------------|---------------------|
| July 1, 1974 Balance | | | \$456,970.54 |
| Add — | | | |
| Tax Title redemption and sales | 22,438.44 | | |
| State and County aid to Highways | 18,750.00 | | |
| Unexpended appropriations | 74,368.77 | | |
| Estimated receipts—excess of actual over estimated—Schedule C. | 85,992.67 | | |
| Revenue — 1974 | 150,000.00 | | |
| Overestimate | | | |
| County Hospital | 1,738.96 | | |
| Elderly Affairs | 161.30 | 1,900.26 | 353,450.14 |
| Total | | | 810,420.68 |
| Deduct— | | | |
| Taxes in litigation | 138.50 | | |
| Tax Title takings | 32,514.11 | | |
| Appropriations: | | | |
| Year ended June 30, 1975 Special: | | | |
| Federal Funds Admnstrtn | 3,500.00 | | |
| CETA operations | 10,000.00 | | |
| Highway truck | 331.77 | | |
| Town Counsel | 6,000.00 | | |
| Police—unpaid bills | 592.40 | | |
| Town Clerk | 1,800.00 | 22,224.17 | |
| Year ended June 30, 1975: | | | |
| State aided construction | 26,476.00 | | |
| Stabilization fund | 10,000.00 | | |
| Reduce Tax rate | 200,000.00 | 236,476.00 | |
| Title I Funds | | 1,366.00 | |
| Water Deficit | | 5,062.02 | |
| Underestimate | | | |
| County Tax | 13,603.34 | | |
| Special Education 766 | 233.00 | 13,836.34 | 311,617.14 |
| June 30, 1975 Balance | | | <u>\$498,803.54</u> |

RESERVE FUND

| | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Selectmen — Clerk | 300.00 |
| Selectmen — Expenses | 587.34 |
| Selectmen — Equipment | 8.00 |
| Fire expenses | 6.19 |
| Tree Warden | 706.85 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 7.31 |
| Health | 1,413.35 |
| Highway | 897.78 |
| Street Lights | 4,531.75 |
| School | 4,015.33 |
| Council on Aging | 1.35 |
| Bonds & Interest | 100,000.00 |
| Group Insurance | 4,527.42 |
| Water | 2,997.33 |
| TOTAL | <u>\$120,000.00</u> |

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

| | | |
|---|------------------|---------------------------|
| Received from U. S. Government | | 87,960.00 |
| Interest earned | | 9,049.30 |
| Unexpended appropriations restored to account | | 940.00 |
| Total | | <u>97,949.30</u> |
| Deduct — Appropriations year ended 6/30/76 | | |
| Street Lights | 32,000.00 | |
| Insurance Casualty | 42,000.00 | |
| Drainage | <u>51,000.00</u> | <u>125,000.00</u> |
| | | (27,050.70) |
| July 1, 1974 Balance | | <u>49,495.57</u> |
| June 30, 1975 Balance | | <u><u>\$22,444.87</u></u> |

SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE:

Taxes

| | | |
|----------------------|--|----------------|
| Property | | \$2,390,217.96 |
| Tax Title Redemption | | 22,633.55 |
| Farm Animal Excise | | 642.70 |

From the State:

| | | |
|-------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Chapter 70—Valuation | 519,027.03 | |
| Special education—79/71 | 222,195.96 | |
| Transportation—School | 71,800.14 | |
| Construction—School | 53,471.38 | |
| Vocational Education | 29,720.00 | |
| Libraries | 2,682.00 | |
| Corporation Local Tax | 7,914.14 | |
| Lottery | 55,265.06 | |
| Highway—Chapter 81-31 | 18,209.37 | |
| Highway—Chapter 497 | 36,076.86 | |
| Beano | 203.12 | |
| Veterans Services | 32,204.65 | |
| Traffic Control | 31,018.75 | |
| Veteran—Tax Rebates | 12,819.25 | |
| Highway—Chapter 825-1 | 20,998.00 | |
| Highway—Chapter 90 | 12,500.00 | |
| School—Title I | 12,418.61 | |
| School—Title II | 4,547.22 | |
| School—Title III | 1,883.45 | |
| School—Title VI | 12,500.00 | |
| School—Title 874 | 7,314.00 | |
| School—Hot Lunch | <u>51,981.58</u> | 1,216,750.57 |

From the Federal:

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| Revenue Sharing | 87,960.00 | |
| Revenue Sharing—Interest | <u>9,049.30</u> | 97,009.30 |

From the County:

| | | |
|--------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Highway—Chapter 90 | 6,250.00 | |
| Dog Fund | 4,312.95 | |
| County Tax | <u>13,603.34</u> | 24,166.29 |

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|--------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Privileges: | | |
| Motor Vehicle Excise | 306,709.76 | |
| Trailer Excise | <u>6,327.00</u> | 313,036.76 |
| Departmental: | | |
| Selectmen—Permits | 8,129.55 | |
| Treasurer-Collector—Charges & Fees | 3,922.89 | |
| Town Clerk—Permits & Fees | 8,614.53 | |
| Town Hall—Rentals | 211.00 | |
| Police—Fine, Permits, Fees | 7,316.30 | |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures—Permits | 236.70 | |
| Health—Permits | 827.00 | |
| Planning Board—Fees | 1,740.00 | |
| Highway—Bond Forfeiture | 5,000.00 | |
| Group Insurance | 1,418.23 | |
| Insurance | 3,831.15 | |
| W. J. & A. C. Howard Scholarship | 244.53 | |
| Various | 415.98 | |
| School: | | |
| Hot Lunches | 80,604.17 | |
| Athletics | 2,745.75 | |
| March of Dimes | 1,250.00 | |
| Miscellaneous | 1,868.76 | |
| Libraries: | | |
| Fines & Permits | 905.95 | |
| Trust Funds—Interest | 1,863.35 | |
| Public Service: | | |
| Water Sales & Service | <u>93,828.83</u> | 224,974.67 |
| Interest: | | |
| Investments | 50,598.00 | |
| Taxes & Excise | <u>5,840.00</u> | 56,438.00 |
| Investments: | | 1,500,000.00 |
| Agency: | | |
| Dog Licenses for County | 3,915.12 | |
| Payroll taxes, insurance, retirement | 719,108.07 | |
| EEA | 1,495.00 | |
| Police revolving | 19,744.50 | |
| Payroll revolving | <u>1,836,971.66</u> | 2,581,234.35 |
| Refunds | | <u>13,632.82</u> |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS | | <u><u>\$8,440,736.97</u></u> |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

| Account | Unexpended Balance 7-1-74 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue | Unexpended Balance 6-30-75 |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Selectmen | — | 3,005.00 | — | — | 3,005.00 | — | — |
| Salaries | — | 400.00 | 8.00 | — | 408.00 | — | — |
| Equipment | — | 4,550.00 | 300.00 | — | 4,849.08 | .92 | — |
| Clerk | — | 1,950.00 | 587.34 | — | 2,537.34 | — | — |
| Expenses | — | 5,740.00 | — | — | 5,724.39 | 15.61 | — |
| Accountant | — | 34,175.00 | — | — | 34,054.96 | 120.04 | — |
| Treasurer—Collector | — | 5,010.00 | — | — | 5,010.00 | — | — |
| Assessors—Salaries | — | 250.00 | — | — | 213.92 | 36.08 | — |
| Renovations | — | 6,006.00 | — | — | 5,867.40 | 138.60 | — |
| Clerk | — | 1,790.00 | — | — | 1,766.19 | 23.81 | — |
| Expenses | — | 13,195.00 | — | — | 12,672.59 | 522.41 | — |
| Town Clerk | — | 6,655.00 | — | — | 6,229.43 | 425.57 | — |
| Election & Registration | — | 13,460.00 | — | — | 13,450.42 | 9.58 | — |
| Town Hall | — | 60.00 | — | — | 60.00 | — | — |
| Moderator | — | 500.00 | — | — | 146.75 | 353.25 | — |
| Finance Committee | — | 12,000.00 | — | — | 11,607.94 | 392.06 | — |
| Law | — | — | — | — | 2,075.85 | — | (2,075.85) |
| Court Case | — | 10,000.00 | — | — | 1,335.70 | — | 8,664.30 |
| CETA | — | 3,500.00 | — | — | — | — | 3,500.00 |
| Federal Funding Administrator | — | 306,580.00 | — | — | 306,434.23 | 145.77 | — |
| Police | — | — | — | 19,744.50 | 19,744.50 | — | — |
| Police Revolving Fund | — | 6,015.00 | — | — | 5,957.04 | 57.96 | — |
| Police Equipment | — | 8,000.00 | — | — | 8,000.00 | — | — |
| Police Cruiser | — | 592.40 | — | — | 592.40 | — | — |
| Police Old Bills | — | 104,700.00 | 6.19 | — | 119,106.17 | — | (14,399.98) |
| Fire | — | 1,050.00 | — | — | 1,050.00 | — | — |
| Fire Equipment | — | 4,200.19 | — | — | — | — | — |
| Fire Overdraft—1974 | (4,200.19) | 47,540.00 | 706.85 | — | 48,246.85 | — | — |
| Tree Warden | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|---|-----------|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| Appeals Board | — | 750.00 | — | — | 385.40 | 364.60 | — |
| Civil Defense | — | 855.00 | — | — | 718.40 | 136.60 | — |
| Dog Officer | — | 4,080.00 | — | — | 4,045.96 | 34.04 | — |
| Engineering Services | — | 1,000.00 | — | — | — | 1,000.00 | — |
| Insurance Exchange | — | — | — | 806.11 | 309.55 | 496.56 | — |
| Building Inspector | — | 10,025.00 | — | — | 9,915.33 | 109.67 | — |
| Gas Inspector | — | 1,400.00 | — | — | 1,370.00 | 30.00 | — |
| Wire Inspector | — | 950.00 | — | — | 660.00 | 290.00 | — |
| Planning Board | — | 1,935.00 | — | — | 595.19 | 1,339.81 | — |
| Exchange | — | 924.93 | — | — | 924.93 | — | — |
| Sealer of Weights | — | 410.00 | — | 7.31 | 417.31 | — | — |
| IDC | — | 350.00 | — | — | — | 350.00 | — |
| By-law Study Committee | — | 250.00 | — | — | 67.62 | 182.38 | — |
| Multi-health Service | — | 3,789.80 | — | — | 3,476.00 | 313.80 | — |
| Hydrants | — | 11,458.00 | — | — | 11,458.00 | — | — |
| Health | — | 17,110.00 | — | 1,413.35 | 18,523.35 | — | — |
| Highway | — | 212,395.00 | — | 897.78 | 213,292.78 | — | — |
| Drainage | 18,928.93 | 6,000.00 | — | — | 3,602.83 | — | 21,326.10 |
| Sidewalks | 10,169.00 | — | — | — | 3,746.93 | — | 6,422.07 |
| Drainage—Revenue | — | 65,000.00 | — | — | 55,684.87 | — | 9,315.13 |
| Sidewalk—Crescent | — | 64,350.00 | — | — | 57,900.49 | — | 6,449.51 |
| Elm Square Lights | 24,991.75 | 6,027.00 | — | — | 31,018.75 | — | — |
| Chap. 1140 sec. 20 | 8,226.00 | — | — | — | 8,226.00 | — | — |
| Truck | — | 11,000.00 | — | — | 11,000.00 | — | — |
| Chap. 825 Sec. I | — | — | — | 20,998.00 | 41,997.00 | — | (20,999.00) |
| Street Lights | — | 23,685.00 | — | 4,531.75 | 28,216.75 | — | — |
| Arch Street Bridge | 12,000.00 | — | — | — | 11,063.73 | 936.27 | — |
| State Aided Construction | 18,901.44 | 15,922.00 | — | — | 13,608.21 | — | 21,215.23 |
| Highway—Bonnie Drive | — | 5,000.00 | — | — | 4,102.30 | — | 897.70 |
| Veterans Service | — | 80,650.00 | — | — | 53,067.00 | 27,583.00 | — |
| Schools | — | 2,177,985.00 | — | 4,015.33 | 2,182,000.33 | — | — |
| School—Hot Lunch | 2,224.75 | — | — | — | 134,795.22 | — | 15.28 |
| Athletics | — | 18,000.00 | — | — | 18,000.00 | — | — |
| Athletics Revolving | 1,031.32 | — | — | 2,745.75 | 2,893.13 | — | 883.94 |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS (contd.)

| Account | Unexpended Balance 7-1-74 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue | Unexpended Balance 6-30-75 |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| School—Title I | 389.62 | — | — | 12,418.61 | 11,522.37 | — | 1,285.86 |
| Title II | 3,861.55 | — | — | 4,547.22 | 6,124.44 | — | 2,284.33 |
| Title III | — | — | — | 1,883.45 | — | — | 1,883.45 |
| Title VI | — | — | — | 12,500.00 | 10,725.15 | — | 1,774.85 |
| Title 874 | — | — | — | 7,314.00 | — | — | 7,314.00 |
| School Construction | 373,153.73 | 20,307.80 | — | — | 392,658.33 | — | 803.20 |
| Regional School | — | 67,869.00 | — | — | 67,869.00 | — | — |
| W.J.&A.C. Howard Scholarship | 334.74 | — | — | 244.53 | 78.00 | — | 501.27 |
| School Accrued Interest | 1,415.56 | — | — | — | 1,415.56 | — | — |
| School Vocational | — | 4,640.00 | — | — | 3,320.87 | 1,319.13 | — |
| School March of Dimes | — | — | — | 1,250.00 | 821.25 | — | 428.75 |
| Libraries | — | 39,020.24 | — | — | 38,475.79 | 544.45 | — |
| Libraries Equipment | — | 1,985.00 | — | — | 1,974.32 | 10.68 | — |
| Library Trust Fund No. 1 | — | — | — | 780.80 | — | — | 780.80 |
| Library Trust Fund No. 2 | — | — | — | 288.23 | — | — | 288.23 |
| Library Trust Fund No. 3 | — | — | — | 794.32 | — | — | 794.32 |
| Libraries—State Aid | 2,682.00 | — | — | 2,682.00 | 2,682.00 | — | 2,682.00 |
| Libraries—County Dog Fund | 23.64 | — | — | 3,915.12 | 23.64 | — | 3,915.12 |
| Bonds & Interest | — | 335,000.00 | 100,000.00 | — | 403,113.66 | 31,886.34 | — |
| Council on Aging | — | 3,010.00 | 1.35 | — | 3,011.35 | — | — |
| Conservation Fund | 2,109.02 | 4,750.00 | — | — | 6,843.41 | 15.61 | — |
| Conservation Fund—Contribution | 370.00 | — | — | — | 370.00 | — | — |
| Christmas Decorations | — | 350.00 | — | — | 10.87 | — | — |
| Contributory Retirement | — | 53,317.00 | — | — | 53,317.00 | 339.13 | — |
| Historical Commission | 3,500.00 | — | — | — | — | — | 3,500.00 |
| Insurance—Casualty | — | 40,266.00 | — | — | 36,558.00 | 3,708.00 | — |
| Insurance—Group | — | 42,533.00 | 4,527.42 | — | 47,060.42 | — | — |
| Memorial Field | — | 300.00 | — | — | 292.00 | 8.00 | — |
| Memorial & Veterans Day | — | 1,500.00 | — | — | 970.80 | 529.20 | — |

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|-------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Tennis Courts | — | 200.00 | — | — | 159.55 | 40.45 | — |
| Town Reports | — | 3,700.00 | — | — | 3,338.20 | 361.80 | — |
| Recreation Commission | — | 4,060.00 | — | — | 4,056.45 | 3.55 | — |
| County Aid to Agriculture | — | 100.00 | — | — | 100.00 | — | — |
| Unpaid Bills—prior year | — | 863.87 | — | — | 460.87 | 403.00 | — |
| John C. Eldridge—wage | — | 487.00 | — | — | 487.00 | — | — |
| Stabilization Fund | — | 10,000.00 | — | — | 10,000.00 | — | — |
| Water | — | 90,270.00 | 2,997.33 | — | 93,267.33 | — | — |
| Water Mains—Route 28 | 11,432.17 | — | — | — | 11,432.17 | — | — |
| Water Mains | 11,014.62 | — | — | — | 11,014.62 | — | — |
| Water Standpipe | 112,923.55 | — | — | — | 107,553.21 | — | 5,370.34 |
| Water Treat. Wells | 7,060.69 | — | — | — | 6,603.80 | — | 456.89 |
| Water Truck | — | 3,700.00 | — | — | 3,699.93 | .07 | — |
| Water Main—Pleasant | 6,980.23 | — | — | — | 3,546.88 | — | 3,433.35 |
| Water—Injection wells | 1,000.00 | — | — | — | 896.00 | 104.00 | — |
| Water—Injection Wells Revenue | 1,324.00 | — | — | — | 384.00 | 940.00 | — |
| TOTALS | <u>\$631,848.12</u> | <u>\$4,070,454.23</u> | <u>\$120,000.00</u> | <u>\$225,498.39</u> | <u>\$4,893,467.75</u> | <u>\$75,621.80</u> | <u>\$78,711.19</u> |

List of Taxpayers — Fiscal 1976

Persons paying Real Estate and Personal Property Taxes

| | Personal | Real Estate |
|--|-----------------------|-------------|
| A & D Auto Body, Inc. | \$132.00 | \$ |
| 715 North Main St. | | |
| A.M.K. Realty Trust, Trustees | | |
| Kelleher, Gerald J., Mucci, Raymond A. | | |
| & Andelman, Maxwell | | |
| 485 Westgate Drive, Brockton | | |
| Manley St. Lot 32, 33, 34 | 34.73 A. Land | 7,634.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 108 | 2.62 A. Land | 57.20 |
| Matfield St. Lot 33 | 7.01 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 34, 38, 42, 43, 44 | | |
| 46, 47 | 19.11 A. Land | 418.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 39 | 12.85 A. Land | 281.60 |
| Matfield St. Lot 48 | 1.93 A. Land | 39.60 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 61 | 5.87 A. Land | 132.00 |
| 775 North Main St. Lot 75, 90, 91 | 16.60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 48 | 3.70 A. Land | 1,628.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 49-1 | 2.97 A. Land | 1,306.80 |
| North Main St. Lot 51 | 1.05 A. Land | 33.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 53 | 10.66 A. Land | 347.60 |
| North Main St. Lot 54 | 6.52 A. Land | 211.20 |
| North Main St. Lot 60 | .40 A. Land | 13.20 |
| North Main St. Lot 61 | 2.17 A. Land | 70.40 |
| North Main St. Lot 62, 68 | 9.82 A. Land | 321.20 |
| North Main St. Lot 65, 64, 74, 63, 59 | 27.66 A. Land | 902.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 66 | 3.00 A. Land | 96.80 |
| North Main St. Lot 67 | 2.48 A. Land | 79.20 |
| North Main St. Lot 69 | 1.58 A. Land | 48.40 |
| off North Main St. Lot 80 | 1.68 A. Land | 52.80 |
| North Main St. Lot 88 | 5.54 A. Land | 180.40 |
| North Main St. Lot 89 | 2.89 A. Land | 92.40 |
| North Main St. Lot 94 | 7.45 A. Land | 242.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 95 | 9.92 A. Land | 325.60 |
| North Main St. Lot 96 | 3.63 A. Land | 118.80 |
| North Main St. Lot 97 | 3.84 A. Land | 123.20 |
| Walnut St. Lot 91 | 1.91 A. Land | 44.00 |
| West St. Lot 4, 6 | 84.88 A. Land | 18,480.00 |
| West St. Lot 4-2 | 9.82 A. Land | 2,156.00 |
| West St. Lot 13-5 to 13-11 | 24.90 A. Land | 5,478.00 |
| Cor. W. Center & Manley Lot 13-2 | 2.13 A. Land | 466.40 |
| off West Center St. Lot 5,8,10 | 17.86 A. Land | 3,916.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 38-7 | 3.00 A. Land | 660.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 38-8 | .09 A. Land | 19.80 |
| Abramson, Kenneth E. & Joyce M. | | |
| 375 Manley St. Lot 25-1 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |

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| Adams, Bruce E. & Sandra M. 210 Copeland St. Lot 8-3 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 770.00 |
| Adams, Charles F. & Eunice C. 188 South St. Lot 7-1 | .41 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,122.00 |
| 195 & 203 South St. Lot 10 | 5.02 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,584.00 |
| Adams, Fred R. & Mary P. 14 Brewster R. Lot 6-46 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Adams, Williams D. & Barbara A. 319 West Center St. Lot 8 | .41 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,100.00 |
| Aikens, Francis 112 Copeland St. Lot 4-2 | .14 A. Land & Bldg. | | 440.00 |
| Alden, Constance E. 30 Woodland Rd. Lot 14-5 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Alden, Bela H. & Florence A. 31 Pleasant St. Lot 1-2 | 2.17 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Alden, Kenneth W. & Marjorie A. 45 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-16 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Alexander, Garobed A. & Herbert W. 325 South Elm St. Lot 4 | 12.33 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,166.00 |
| 345 & 375 South Elm St. Lot 3 | 13.22 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 2,310.00 |
| South Elm St. Lot 11 | 4.09 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 68 | 6.52 A. Land | | 140.80 |
| South Elm St. Lot 18-5 | 11.50 A. Land A. & H. Classification | | 191.40 |
| Alexander, Paul & Dorothy F. 10 Charles St. Lot 7 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 770.00 |
| Alexander, Rosalie & Snell, Rebecca 190 River St. Lot 16-1 | .40 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Alfieri, Myrtle A. & Skillings, Gail 134 South Main St. Lot 13 | 1.42 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 924.00 |
| Alger, Charles H. 888 West Center St. Lot 4 & 88 | 28.62 A. Land | | 3,777.84 |
| Alger, Grace E. 18 Bryant St. Lot 10-3 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Alger, Mason W. & Dorothy T. 71 Maple St. Lot 76-7 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,804.00 |
| Alger, Mason W. 71 Maple St. Pleasant St. Lot 51 | .10 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| Alger, Mason W. Richard T. 358 N.W. 22nd. St., Homestead, Fla. off Maple St. Lot 1 | 11.18 A. Land | | 242.00 |
| off Maple St. Lot 7 | 7.32 A. Land | 154.00 | 154.00 |
| off Maple St. Lot 15 | 2.45 A. Land | | 55.00 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 5 | .375 A. Land | | 16.50 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 25 | 12.60 A. Land | | 2,772.00 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 38 | 3.10 A. Land | | 66.00 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 42 | 7.50 A. Land | | 162.80 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 45 | 4.63 A. Land | | 101.20 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 52 | 43.33 A. Land | | 9,504.00 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 56 | 3.75 A. Land | | 814.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 57 | 8.74 A. Land | | 1,760.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 66 | 3.90 A. Land | | 858.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 67-2 | 3.85 A. Land | | 836.00 |
| Alger, Milton W. et al 439 Rockland St., Brockton Scotland St. Lot 2 | 2.04 A. Land | | 66.00 |

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| Aiger, Robert S. & Shirley E. | | |
| 890 West Center St. Lot 4-2 | 1.00 A. Land | 1,122.00 |
| Alger, Roland W. | | |
| 251 Laurel St., East Bridgewater | | |
| Maple St. Lot 69 | 28.38 A. Land | 924.00 |
| Scotland St. Lot 66-1 | 1.63 A. Land | 52.80 |
| Scotland St. Lot 67-1 | 1.38 A. Land | 30.80 |
| Alger, Ronald S. & Patricia R. | | |
| 381 East St. Lot 10-1 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| East St. Lot 22-1 | .36 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Algonquin Gas Transmission Co. | | |
| 1284 Soldiers Field Rd., Boston | 114.40 | |
| Allen, Bruce G. & Geraldine M. | | |
| 62 Union St. Lot 8 | 1.33 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Allen, Dorothy E. | | |
| 35 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 6 | .66 A. Land & Bldgs | 792.00 |
| Allen, Evelyn F. | | |
| 200 Spring St. Lot 12-2 | 3.03 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,276.00 |
| Allen, Lawrence F. & Loretta D. | | |
| 71 Thayer Ave. Lot 11 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Alger, Mason & Richard | | |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 6 | 2.54 A. Land | 52.80 |
| Almquist, Kenneth O. & Shirley | | |
| 35 South St. Lot 2 | 10.67 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,870.00 |
| Almquist, Robert W. & Lulu B. | | |
| 149 Copeland St. Lot 5 | .45 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Copeland St. Lot 40-B | 2.24 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Altieri, Michael | | |
| 21 Grant St. Lot 40-8 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |
| 22 River St. Lot 12-1 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,474.00 |
| 130 Prospect St. Lot 23 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| River St. Lot 12-1A | .43 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Amaral, Edward A. & Rosella L. | | |
| 115 Bedford St. Lot 6-3 | .95 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Amber, Robert S. & Sandra J. | | |
| 265 Crescent St. Lot 2-2B | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| American Tel. & Tel. Co. | | |
| 440 Hamilton Ave. White Plains, N.Y. | 48.40 | |
| Amerigian, Aris & Bertha | | |
| 270 South St. Lot 20-1 | 7.50 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,332.00 |
| 7 Aldrich Rd. Lot 20-3, 20-4 | 1.16 A. Land | 352.00 |
| Amerigian, Armen & Dorothy D. | | |
| 190 South Main St. Lot 13-7 | .93 A. Land & Bldg. | 176.00 1,914.00 |
| 11 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-11 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,562.00 |
| Amerigian, Bertha | | |
| 270 South St. | | |
| 240 West Center St. Lot 10 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,773.20 |
| Amerigian, Evelyn A. | | |
| 270 South St. | | |
| 209 West Center St. Lot 75-1 | .17 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| 235- & 237 West Center St. Lot | | |
| 73-2, 73-1, 75-4, 75-5 | 2.98 A. Land & Bldg. | 6,864.00 |
| Ames, James A. & Annie E. | | |
| 328 Manley St. Lot 23-3 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |

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| Ames, Jimmy C. & Carolyn 126 Bedford St. Lot 3-4 | .62 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,342.00 |
| Ames, Richard A. & Alice E. 507 Manley St. Lot 13 | 1.87 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 858.00 |
| Amico, Joseph V. & Marie A. 54 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-56 | .93 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Anderson, Charles D. Jr. & Mavis L. 26 Arch St. Lot 2,21 | 1.25 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,232.00 |
| Anderson, Conrad J. Jr. & H. Louise 11 Norman Ave. Lot 18-15 | .49 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Anderson, David B. & Marion E. 2 Lincoln St. Lot 4 | .57 A. Land & Bldgs. | 220.00 | 1,210.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 7 & 6 | 1.26 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,059.20 |
| Anderson, Evelyn M. & Laverne D. 22 Thayer Ave. Lot 1-3 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Anderson, Gilbert T. & Anna M. 56 Clinton Rd. Lot 102-6, 102-10 | 1.41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 440.00 |
| Anderson, Gustav W. & Marie 390 Matfield St. Lot 109 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Anderson, Harold E. & Edith F. 263 River St. Lot 3 | 2.55 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Anderson, Herman G. 12 Oliver St. Lot 4-7 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Anderson, Howard A. & Carolyn M. 320 River St. Lot 18-3 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,650.00 |
| off South Elm St. Lot 18-4 | 32.23 A. Land A. & H. Classification | | 28.38 |
| off River St. Lot 18-6 | 4.20 A. Land | | 132.00 |
| Anderson, Howard A. & Jessie M. 201 Howard St. Lot 9-1 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Howard St. Lot 9 | 3.50 A. Land & Bldg. A. & H. Clsfcctn | | 70.40 |
| 223 River St. Lot 5 | 5.80 A. Land & Bldg. A & H Clsfcctn | | 1,125.96 |
| 121 Forest St. Lot 4-5 | 17.60 A. Land & Bldg. A & H Clsfcctn | | 174.24 |
| Forest St. Lot 109 | 15.15 A. Land | | 330.00 |
| River St. Lot 3-3 | 6.71 A. Land A & H Classification | | 59.05 |
| River St. Lot 17 | 2.05 A. Land A & H Classification | | 9.72 |
| West Center St. Lot 76-1 | 9.75 A. Land A & H Classification | | 83.60 |
| Anderson, Howard R. & Susan 10 Shagbark Rd. Lot 1-1A | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,091.20 |
| Anderson, Laura E. 31 Vital Ave. Lot 7 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Vital Ave. Lot 8 | .54 A. Land | | 11.00 |
| Anderson, Naomi B. 69 Linnea Ave., Brockton | | | |
| 219 Walnut St. Lot 31 | 3.72 A. Land & Bldg. | | 3,916.00 |
| Anderson, Robert C. & Eva L. 14 Grant St. Lot 12 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Anderson, Robert W. & Patricia L. 25 Purchase St. Lot 2-13 | .30 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,100.00 |
| Anderson, Ronald W. & Barbara L. 37 Vital Ave. Lot 73 | 3.49 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Anderson, Walter H. & Marlene L. 27 Cyr St. Lot 57-1, 62-1 | .82 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,166.00 |
| Anderson, Warren H. & Edna N. 373 Matfield St. Lot 88 | 12.36 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,804.00 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 73A | 10.08 A. Land | | 220.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 79 | 2.75 A. Land | | 44.00 |

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| Anderson, Wesley A. & Florence E. 333 Matfield St. Lot 74-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,078.00 |
| Andelman, Maxwell, c/o Westbridge Veterinarian Hospital 595 West Center St. Lot 13-A2 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 8,360.00 |
| Andre, Dorothy A. 263 Spring St. Lot 52-1 | 1.35 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Andre, Elwood J. & Constance T. 49 Pleasant St. Lot 1-3 | .27 A. Land & Bldgs. | 858.00 |
| Andre, John F. & Helena M. 315 West Center St. Lot 9 | .36 A. Land & Bldgs. | 836.00 |
| Andrea, Antonio & Lillian I. 19 Sunset Ave. Lot 13 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Andresen, Geraldine R. 27 Vital Ave. Lot 6 | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Andresen, James S. & Ellen R. 245 Forest St. Lot 10-1 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Andrews, Charles D. 80 Maolis Ave. | .85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 726.00 |
| Andrews, Henry E. & Margaret C. 75 Maolis Ave. Lot 13 | .35 A. Land & Bldgs. | 704.00 |
| Maolis Ave. Lot 13-1 | .35 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Maolis Ave. Lot 12 | .45 A. Land | 140.80 |
| Andrews, Henry E. Jr. & Mary E. 84 Maolis Ave. Lot 28 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Maolis Ave. Lot 30 | .35 A. Land | 145.20 |
| Andrukonis, Edmund J. & Maureen 61 Bedford St. Lot 4-1A | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Apt, Winifred M. 238 Forest St. Lot 8 | 16.18 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,342.00 |
| Arone, Michael & Leah H. 468 Walnut St. Lot 37 | 1.80 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Arrighi, Charles W. & Marian D. 46 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-17 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Asack, Cynthia 397 West Center St. Lot 53A | 4.00 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Asack, Donald G. & Sandra L. 29 Forest St. Lot 4-4 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Asack, Edward G. & Louise M. 166 South St. Lot 6 | 33.90 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,288.00 |
| Asack, Edward 166 South St. South St. Lot 12-1 | .35 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Asack, James G. 536 North Elm St. Lot 34-5, 34-6 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| 15 Brooks Place Lot 21, 22, 23 | .91 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Asack, Karolyn L. 221 North Main St. 103 Matfield St. Lot 27-2 | .92 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Asack, Lillian B. et al 397 West Center St. Lot 53 | 26.59 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,728.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 14 | 28.84 A. Land | 858.00 |

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| Asack, Thomas G. & Teresa R. | | |
| 400 Plain St., Brockton | | |
| 4 & 6 Plain St. Lot 4-1 | .45 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,364.00 |
| 66 Plain St. Lot 5-4, 5-7 | 1.68 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| 20 Plain St. Lot 4, 4-2, 4-9 | 40.14 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,980.00 |
| Plain St. Lot 7-2 | .72 A. Land | 15.40 |
| Ashley, Allan R. & Pauline | | |
| 98 Union St. Lot 10-1 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Ashley, Roland & Ruth V. | | |
| 33 Kenneth St. Lot 14, 15 | .97 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Ashley, Ronald C. & Zelia | | |
| 54 Maolis Ave. Lot 14 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Ashworth, Dana S. & Vivian | | |
| 202 North Elm St. Lot 9-2 | .25 A. Land & Bldgs. | 946.00 |
| Asker, Guy W. & Joan P. | | |
| 255 North Elm St. Lot 12-7, 12-8 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Atlantic Richfield Co. | | |
| P.O. Box 7258, 260 Broad St. | | |
| Philadelphia, Pa. 19101 | | |
| 2 West Center St. Lot 13-1, 87-1 | .65 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,816.00 |
| Augenti, Henry E. & Priscilla A. | | |
| 65 Bedford St. Lot 4-1 | 2.40 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Auglis, Alan W. & Marie Jose | | |
| 36 Brooks Place Lot 17 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,201.20 |
| Austin, George C. Jr. & Sophie M. | | |
| 516 North Elm St. Lot 33 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Averill, Eric & Sylvia D. | | |
| 216 North Elm St. Lot 9-4 | .25 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Ayers, Charles E. & Stella R. | | |
| 79 Pleasant St. Lot 3-2C | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Asack, Fred | | |
| Hartshorn St. Lot 6-88 | 2.75 A. Land | 57.20 |
| Babicz, Francis D. & Linda L. | | |
| 376 South Elm St. Lot 6 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Backstrom, Harry A. & Marjory E. | | |
| 25 Samuel Ave. Lot 60-7, 60-8 | 1.05 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,398.00 |
| Bachman Dist. Co. | | |
| 407 West St. | | 396.00 |
| Bailey, Mary | | |
| 48 Vital Ave. Lot 49 | 1.80 A. Land & Bldgs. | 396.00 |
| Baker, Charles E., Trustee | | |
| W.B. Realty Trust | | |
| 77 Pleasant St. Lot 3-2 | 1.85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 3-5 | .43 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 63 | 11.00 A. Land | 2,420.00 |
| Baker, Donald L. & Jane | | |
| 120 Crescent St. Lot 20, 20-1 | 7.77 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,078.00 |
| Baker, Donald W. | | |
| 311 South St. Lot 18-3 | .64 A. Land & Bldgs. | 814.00 |
| Baker, Elwyn W. & Cecelia B. | | |
| 272 Crescent St. Lot 2-5 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Baker, Frederick A. & Helena F. | | |
| 66 Grant St. Lot 2-1 | .38 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,056.00 |
| Baker, George A. | | |
| 238 South Elm St. Lot 9-1A | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Baker, Gilbert D. Jr. & Margaret A. | | |
| 388 South Elm St. Lot 7-7 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |

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| Baker, John B. & Edythe M. 92 Crescent St. Lot 22-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Baker, Phillip E. Jr. 15 Fells Circle, Wellsley Turnpike St. Lot 16 | 5.28 A. Land | | 110.00 |
| Baker, William L. & Shirley C. 128 Crescent St. Lot 20-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,474.00 |
| Balboni, Florindo F. & Christine M. 128 South Main St. Lot 12 | .73 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 858.00 |
| Balboni, Pauline & Josephine R. 29 Keenan St. Lot 4 | .96 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Balboni, Ralph J. & Albertina A. 65 Brooks Place Lot 30 | .28 A. Land Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Baldasaro, David C. & Sherry A. 33 West St. Lot 30 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| Ballard, John E. 596 North Main St. Lot 6-1, 8-9 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 22.00 | 352.00 |
| Ballard, Thomas J. Jr. 142 Bedford St. Lot 1-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,342.00 |
| Balser, Philip R. & Cathy A. 14 Progressive Ave. Lot 3-5, 3-10 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,183.60 |
| Barclay, William & H. Florence 35 Woodland Rd. Lot 30 | .50 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Barletta Co., Inc. 10 Whipple Ave., Roslindale | | 528.00 | |
| Baroncelli, Gerard E. & Antoinette M. 275 North Elm St. Lot 26-9 | .58 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Barr, Aurilla S. c/o Mrs. Whitney 1920 Linden Ave., Las Vegas, Nevada 739 North Main St. Lot 50-1 | .94 A. Land & Bldg. | | 616.00 |
| Barros, Arthur S. & Agnes M. 15 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-3 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-4 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-6 | .27 A. Land & Bldgs. .25 A. Land .60 A. Land | | 902.00 5.50 132.00 |
| Barros, Charles R. & Lois E. 45 Progressive Ave. Lot 1-1, 1-4 | 5.39 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,056.00 |
| Barry, Dorothy C. Box 335, Brockton 169 Turnpike St. Lot 16-2 | .93 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Bates, William J. & Carol A. 33 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-65 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Beals, Douglas L. & Christine 616 North Elm St. Lot 34-20 | .21 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 990.00 |
| Bean, Gerald A. & Annette A. 269 Crescent St. Lot 2-2C | 1.04 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| Bean, Robert E., Trustee Mile Brook Estates Trust c/o Paul Dignan 826 Washington St., S. Braintree Mile Brook Rd. Lot 20-15, 20-8 | .91 A. Land | | 506.00 |
| Beary, Francis J. & Mary F. 22 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-22 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Beaton, Angus R. & Elizabeth A. 160 Arnold Rd. N. Abington 420 West St. Lot 7 | 6.12 A. Land & Bldg. | | 8,492.00 |

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| Beaulieu, Adrian A. & Lora D. 3 Prospect St. Lot 2 | 1.27 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,408.00 |
| Beaulieu, Leon F. & Natalie I. 90 East St. Lot 2-4 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Beech, Walter E. & Mary M. 124 Lincoln St. Lot 10-1 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Beinoras, Stephen J. & Alvina F. 416 Spring St. Lot 48-2 | .90 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Belizone, Jack Jr. & Mary Ann 83 West St. Lot 28, 8-1 | .61 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Belmore, George A. Jr. & C. Irene 23 Plain St. Lot 12-5, 12-6 | .90 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Belmore, Lawrence O. & Ethel A. 247 Matfield St. Lot 73-3, 73-10 | .82 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Beneccchi, Donald J. & Nancy I. 7 Keenan St. Lot 3-2 | .60 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,188.00 |
| Benson, Bertil A. & Maxine E. 20 Wendell Ave. Lot 52, 54 | .76 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| Benson, Sven E. & Leah A. 22 Union St. Lot 7, 6-3 | .56 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,122.00 |
| Bentley, David O. & Sherryl W. 224 South St. Lot 8-6, 8-7 | 1.83 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,232.00 |
| 207 South St. Lot 10-3 | 1.87 A. Land | 220.00 |
| 51 Beacon St. Lot 5, 4-3 | .62 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Benvie, Alexander W. & Mary 72 Maolis Ave. Lot 22, 23 | .71 A. Land | 858.00 |
| Berard, Alfred C. & Leslie Ann 357 Matfield St. Lot 89, 88-1, 88-2 | .66 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Berg, Joseph C. & Marilyn Z. 120 Scotland St. Lot 5 | 1.38 A. Land & Bldgs. | 660.00 |
| Berger, Avis May & Joseph W. 467 Matfield St. Lot 83-2 | .29 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 83-3 | .18 A. Land | 4.40 |
| Berger, Richard E. Sr. & Charlotte M. 109 Union St. Lot 1-6 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,386.00 |
| Bergeron, James A. & Janet A. 50 Grant St. Lot 6, 7 | 1.21 A. Land & Bldgs. | 708.40 |
| Bergman, Mary C. 364 Spring St. Lot 45 | 1.01 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Bemar's Hairstyling Salon Center Shopping Plaza | | 110.00 |
| Bergstrom, Gladys E. 690 North Main St. Lot 4-4 | .79 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Berkowitz, Doris P. 283 Matfield St. Lot 71-1, 73-11 | .75 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Bernier, Theodore P. & Lois B. 388 Manley St. Lot 23-2 | 12.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,320.00 |
| Bernier, Thomas P. 591 Walnut St. Lot 43 | 5.68 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 20 | 2.09 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Berry, H. Meredith 335 West St. Lot 39 | 10.93 A. Land & Bldgs. | 3,586.00 |
| West St. Lot 38, 38-5, 38-4 | 5.99 A. Land | 1,298.00 |
| West St. Lot 13-3 | 1.42 A. Land | 308.00 |
| West St. Lot 39-1 | 4.50 A. Land | 990.00 |

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| Berry, Robert A. & Margaret G. | | |
| 161 Matfield St. Lot 21 | 7.68 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,716.00 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 24-1 | 3.55 A. Land | 74.80 |
| Matfield St. Lot 20-4 | 4.00 A. Land | 88.00 |
| Berry, William E. & Patricia L. | | |
| 392 South Elm St. Lot 7-8 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Bertarelli, William F. & Paul H. | | |
| 65 Magnolia Ave., Brockton | | |
| East St. Lot 7 | 3.13 A. Land | 132.00 |
| off East St. Lot 7-1, 7-5 | 14.72 A. Land | 484.00 |
| East St. Lot 7-3 | 6.81 A. Land | 220.00 |
| East St. Lot 7-2 | 3.33 A. Land | 110.00 |
| East St. Lot 11 | 13.71 A. Land | 440.00 |
| East St. Lot 12 | 21.34 A. Land | 704.00 |
| East St. Lot 47 | 20.58 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| East St. Lot 48-1 | 2.66 A. Land | 88.00 |
| off East St. Lot 46-1 | .58 A. Land | 15.40 |
| off East St. Lot 50 | 1.43 A. Land | 44.00 |
| East Center St. Lot 23-4 | 11.81 A. Land | 242.00 |
| East Center St. Lot 26 | 20.84 A. Land | 440.00 |
| off North Main St. Lot 7-2 | 2.10 A. Land | 66.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 9 | 17.69 A. Land | 2,464.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 52-15 | 56.20 A. Land | 1,848.00 |
| 1 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-4 | 1.08 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 2 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-37 | .74 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 5 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-5 | .89 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 6 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-36 | .80 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 9 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-6 | .69 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 10 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-35 | .77 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 14 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-34 | .74 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 15 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-7 | .71 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 19 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-8 | .70 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 20 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-33 | .74 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 23 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-9 | 1.03 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 27 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-10 | 2.15 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 31 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-11 | 3.08 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 34 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-30 | .79 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 35 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-12 | .98 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 39 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-13 | .72 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 40 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-29 | .96 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 43 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-14 | .82 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 44 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-28 | .85 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 47 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-15 | 1.12 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 50 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-27 | .88 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 51 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-16 | .83 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 54 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-26 | 1.04 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 55 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-17 | .92 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 59 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-18 | 1.06 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 60 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-25 | 1.06 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 63 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-19 | .84 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 64 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-24 | 1.31 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 69 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-20 | 1.10 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 70 Tiffany Circle Lot 40-23 | .97 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 30 & 34 Turnpike St. Lot 4, 4-3, 4-4 | 5.66 A. Land & Bldgs. | 18,480.00 |
| Turnpike St. Lot 4-2 | 1.06 A. Land | 233.20 |

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| Bertocci, Nicholas & Josephine 8 Oliver St. Lot 4-6 | .24 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| Bessette, Robert W. & Rosemary 9 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-59 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Best, Ernest G. & Ellen G. 24 Charles St. | .34 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Bettencourt, Joseph 19 Progressive Ave. Lot 2-4 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | 858.00 |
| Bettencourt Machine Co., Inc. 31 South Main St. Lot 18-3, 18-1 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldg. | 4,576.00 |
| Bettencourt, Richard D. & Harriet E. 209 North Main St. Lot 44 | 16.02 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,090.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 44-1 | .12 A. Land | 4.40 |
| Betts, William A. & Meredith J. 21 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-62 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Bevis, Robert D. & Dorna L. 242 South St. Lot 1-1 | .85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,518.00 |
| Bianchi, Adelmo J. 9 South Main St. Lot 18-2 | 1.94 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,860.00 |
| Bianchini, Ermanno & Rose 116 Bedford St. Lot 9-1B | .90 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Bibby, George M. Jr. & Virginia M. 626 West Center St. Lot 28-2 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Bird, Walter Bradford 325 North Elm St. Lot 17-4 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Bisemore, Robert H. & Mildred A. 169 West Center St. Lot 78-1 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Bishop, Harold C. & Eileen F. 58 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-28 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Bismore, Maria E., Est. 45 Woodland Rd. Lot 29 | .22 A. Land & Bldgs. | 281.60 |
| Bissonnette, Earl M. & Brenda A. 695 North Main St. Lot 50, 50-6 | 1.38 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Black, George K. & Janice L. 15 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-12 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,650.00 |
| Black, Noel E. & Carol A. 293 East St. Lot 7-6 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Blake, Harold L. & Louise P. 268 Spring St. Lot 26-6 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Blinn, Joseph E. Jr. & Lynne N. 4 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-17 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Blomgren, Ruth A. & Fred T. 492 Spring St. Lot 49-5 | .85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 792.00 |
| Blood, John R. Jr. & Pamela A. 638 East St. East Bridgewater East St. Lot 27-1A | .20 A. Land | 66.00 |
| Blundell, Edith C. 453 East Center St. Lot 22 | 2.08 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| Blye, Louis R. & Louise E. 349 North Elm St. Lot 17-1 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Bluis, Frank 319 East Center St. Lot 9-2 | 11.70 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Boardman, Joseph W. & Theresa P. 42 Matfield St. Lot 3 | .35 A. Land & Bldgs. | 858.00 |
| Bodkin, James S. & Barbara A. 280 Crescent St. Lot 2-4 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |

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| Bohannon, Grete, Trustee Grebon Realty Trust | | |
| 99 Pleasant St. Lot 3-5 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Bohm, John D. & Ann C. | | |
| 26 Cyr St. Lot 4 & 5 | .70 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| Boldt, Manfred G. & Ursula B. | | |
| 9 Keenan St. Lot 3-1 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Bolduc, Richard G. & Rosanna P. | | |
| 37 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-13 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Bombardier, Raymond F. & Kathleen G. | | |
| 97 East St. Lot 20-3 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Booth, Frederick W. & Joyce D. | | |
| 112 Bryant St. Lot 12-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |
| Bordeaux, Amelia | | |
| 220 Copeland St. | .74 A. Land & Bldgs. | 748.00 |
| Borges, David T. & Kathryn E. | | |
| 31 Progressive Ave. Lot 2-2 | .38 A. Land & Bldgs. | 836.00 |
| Borges, Louis S. & Rose | | |
| 35 Progressive Ave. | 2.48 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Bossardt, William H. & Barbara | | |
| 38 Bolton Place Lot 15-1 | 4.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 748.00 |
| off Bolton Place Lot 15-2 | 1.07 A. Land | 22.00 |
| off Bolton Place Lot 18-1 | 5.00 A. Land | 165.00 |
| Boucher, Raymond E. Jr. & Joanne E. | | |
| 113 Copeland St. Lot 2 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Boudreau, Edward W. & Harvey, Diane | | |
| 38 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-52 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Boudreau, Robert B. & Pauline G. | | |
| 58 Sunset Ave. Lot 10 | .30 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Boudreau, William A. & Patricia M. | | |
| 130 Matfield St. Lot 14 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Bourassa, Hormidas J. | | |
| 62 Sunset Ave. Lot 11, 12 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Bourne, Basil L. & Dorothy L. | | |
| 1029 Pearl St. Brockton | | |
| Turnpike St. Lot 9 | 12.00 A. Land | 1,584.00 |
| Bourne, Clyfton W. & Alice J. | | |
| R.F.D. 2 Avery Rd., Baldwinsville, N.Y. | | |
| 25 High St. Lot 10-1 | 1.20 A. Land & Bldg. | 660.00 |
| Bourne, Robert S. & Nancy L. | | |
| 110 Brooks Place Lot 3-3 | .38 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Bousquet, Evelyn T. | | |
| 43 Brooks Place Lot 25 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Bowden, Freeman N. | | |
| 600 West Center St. Lot 28-3 | 3.67 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,584.00 |
| Bowers, Peter D. & Marion C. | | |
| 395 North Elm St. Lot 28, 29-2 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Bowden Homes Inc. | | |
| 600 West Center St. | | |
| Columbus Ave. & Bedford St. Lot 28, 29-2 | 1.00 A. Land | 11.00 |

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| Bowman, Arthur J. Sr. & Bettie T. 2215 Berkley Ave. Bessemer, Alabama 611 East St. Lot 20-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,430.00 |
| Bowman, Robert W. & Shirley L. 475 West Center St. Lot 49 | .55 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,078.00 |
| Boyd, Bernice M. & Francis J. 10 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-4 | .83 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,452.00 |
| Boyd, Gary A. & Joan E. 252 Spring St. Lot 26-4 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Boyd, Luke M. & Carolyn K. 11 High St. Lot 9 | .36 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| Boynton, Clarence E. & Margaret R. 357 Spring St. Lot 13-1A, 13-1 | 2.07 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Bradford, Henry C. & Rosemary H. 36 Progressive Ave. Lot 3-8 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Braga, Joseph J. III & Joan L. 282 Crescent St. Lot 2-3 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,650.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 2-6 | 1.58 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Braga, Joseph J. Jr. & Mary Ann R. 572 North Elm St. Lot 34-24, 34-12 34-11 | .82 A. Land & Bldgs. | 5,434.00 |
| Braga, Philomena P. for Jos. J. Braga Jr. et al Maple St. Lot 51 | .92 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Branzell, Martin E. & Beverly T. 84 Bedford St. Lot 7-2, 7-1A | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Braun, Karl I. & Chaves, Raymond R. 206 Main St., Kingston Cor. North Main & W. Center Lot 29-1 | .12 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,244.00 |
| Braun, Karl I. & Alice D. 11 Riverview Ave., Kingston Roosevelt Ave. Lot 6 | .21 A. Land | 101.20 |
| Bravaco, Vincent & Josephine 6 Margaret St., Boston 34 South St. Lot 1 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,672.00 |
| Brawders, John J. & Nathalie M. 310 South St. Lot 17-3 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Brazil, Maurice & Ida E. 445 South Main St. Lot 5-1 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Breer, Allen A. & Bernice D. 59 Brooks Place Lot 28 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Brennan, Marjorie P. 255 Spring St. Lot 52-7 | .95 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Bresciani, Guerino & McDonald, Jean B. 650 Oak St., Bridgewater 619 East St. Lot 21-2 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Bresciani, Guerino & Lorraine C. 174 Wall St., Bridgewater East St. Lot 21, 5, 21-1 | 7.46 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Bridgewater Savings Bank 12 West Center St., Lot 87 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,398.00 |
| Bridgewood, William T. & Rita R. 535 North Elm St. Lot 39 | .24 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Briggs, Lawrence F. & Ann M. 131 Belmont St. Lot 1 | 2.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |

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| Britton, Russell D. & Charlotte L. 189 Brooks Place Lot 6, 6-2 | 3.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| Brockton, City of Sewage Dept., City Hall, Brockton Turnpike St. Lot 12 | 3.58 A. Land | 440.00 |
| Brockton Coffeemat Corp. 354 North Elm St. Lot 15-7 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Brockton Edison Co. 36 Main St., Brockton 768 West Center St. Lot 16-16-1, 16-2, 16-3 | 46.10 A. Land & Bldgs. | 57,024.00 11,374.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 25 | 3.75 A. Land | 814.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 15, 23 | 20.35 A. Land | 4,477.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 26 | 3.76 A. Land | 827.20 |
| West Center St. Lot 17 | 9.17 A. Land | 2,002.00 |
| North Elm St. Lot 31-2 | .57 A. Land | 572.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 46 | 5.97 A. Land | 176.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 43-1 | .42 A. Land | 13.20 |
| Brockton Public Market 140 Laurel St., East Bridgewater East Center St. Lot 6 | 18.97 A. Land & Bldg. A. & H. Clsfctn | 526.68 |
| East Center St. Lot 7 | 47.19 A. Land A. & H. Clsfctn | 468.91 |
| East Center St. Lot 8 | 26.33 A. Land A. & H. Clsfctn | 234.17 |
| East Center St. Lot 10 | 138.00 A. Land A. & H. Clsfctn | 732.91 |
| Brockton Taunton Gas Co. 995 Belmont St., Brockton | 9,020.00 | |
| Broderick, John M. & Dawn E. 6 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-18 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Broman, C. Marshall 24 Bryant St. Lot 10-7 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Broman, Ronald C. & Rita N. 348 North Elm St. Lot 14 | .63 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| Broman, Warren K. & Julia A. 32 Sunset Ave. Lot 4-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Brooks, Arthur R. Jr. & Ruth A. 596 Walnut St. Lot 41 | 1.10 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 49 | 1.11 A. Land | 24.20 |
| Walnut St. Lot 44 | 3.80 A. Land | 123.20 |
| Brown, Amelia R. 368 North Elm St. Lot 15 | .64 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Brown, Jeanne F. & George S. 120 South Main St. Lot 11 | 1.83 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,236.40 |
| Brown, Jeannine 11 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 7q | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 726.00 |
| Brown, Paul R. 196 River St. Lot 16 | .77 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Brown, Richard K. & Agnes A. 271 South Main St. Lot 7-1, 7-1A | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Brown, Sarah F. 349 West Center St. Lot 3 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 2 | .31 A. Land | 123.20 |
| Brown, Stewart C. & Ann C. 245 Aldrich Rd., Bridgewater, Columbus Ave. Lot 4-1B | 1.61 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Brown, William R. Jr. & Carolyn E. 482 North Elm St. Lot 32-3 | .28 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |

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| Brown, William R. & Anna E. 178 South Main St. Lot 13-5, 13-8A | 1.26 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Browne, James D. & Kathleen A. 23 Wendell Ave. Lot 53 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Bruce, Robert E. & Sandra P. 95 Turnpike St. Lot 9-1 | 1.25 A. Land & Bldgs. | 660.00 |
| Brundage, Daniel L. & Jessie M. 686 Old Randolph St., Abington 42 Clinton Rd. Lot 102-2, 102-11 | .89 A. Land & Bldg. | 396.00 |
| Bryant, Allen L. & Elaine F. 272 North Elm St. Lot 25-8 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| Bryant, Harvey L. & Myrtle J. 49 Woodland Rd. Lot 29-1 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Bucci, Leonard & Artemis 148 West St. Lot 10-1 | 1.32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Bucholz, Edna 127 Belmont St. Lot 2 | 1.78 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Buckley, John V. 16 Purchase St. Lot 2-5 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Buckley, Vincent V. & Minnie 13 Merritt St. Lot 1 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| Budris, William V. & Helen C. 20 Ames St., Brockton Lincoln St. Lot 7-1 | 3.68 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Buker, Kenneth L. 43 Francis Ave. Lot 3 | 1.33 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Bunceys, Inc. 275 North Main St. Lot 2-2 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,002.00 |
| Bunker, Allan F. & Linda F. 85 Copeland St. Lot 38-10 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Bunker, Warner J. & Glenda 179 Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater Thayer Ave. Lot 29 | .04 A. Land | 13.20 |
| Burba, Theodore T. & Regina M. 507 Spring St. Lot 40-1A | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Burba, Theodore T. 507 Spring St. Lot 39 | 9.23 A. Land | 202.40 |
| Burchill, Samuel M. & Nancy J. 45 Forest St. Lot 3 | 9.10 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,760.00 |
| Burgeson, Donald C. & Catherine J. 482 Spring St. Lot 48-1A | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Burke, Bernard J. & Madelyn T. 101 Bedford St. Lot 6-5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Burke, Edna L. 22 Norman Ave. Lot 18-6 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Burke, Edwin M. & Cecelia A. 16 Highland Ave. Lot 7-2 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Burke, Francis L. Jr. & Debra Ann 25 Highland Ave. Lot 2, 5-1 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Burke, Jeanette G. 100 Matfield St. Lot 11 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Burke, Raymond J. & Arlene F. 34 High St. Lot 5 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Burnap, Thomas H. & Joan C. 413 East St. Lot 23 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |

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| Burnham, Florian B. & Phyllis E. 48 Columbus Ave. Lot 6-1, 6-3 | 1.80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Burnham, John & Phoebe J. 31 Maolis Ave. Lot 3 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Burque, Loretta M. & Lamoureaux, Doris 16 North Main St. Lot 29 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 2,574.00 |
| 26 West Center St. Lot 85 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,100.00 |
| Burque's Service Station 22 North Main St. | | 308.00 | |
| Burrill, H. Kingman & Gertrude H. 451 Matfield St. Lot 85 | .73 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Burt, William D. & Ruth L. 19 Sinnott St. Lot 7 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Bussey, Rita 22 South Elm St. Lot 2-4 | .13 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Butler, C. Anne 188 North Elm St. Lot 9 | 1.55 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,254.00 |
| Butts, Dennis B. & Cheryl M. 32 Walnut St. Lot 4 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Byrne, Denis P.A. & Joan D. 49 Hartshorn Rd. Lot 6-69 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Byrnes, Ronald J. & Dorothy J. 291 South St. Lot 18-5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Bystrom, Carl R. & Phyllis H. 684 Manley St. Lot 1-2 | 2.25 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 748.00 |
| Bystrom, William P. & Matilda E. 51 Progressive Ave. Lot 1-5, 1-5A | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Cacchione, Alexander 300 South Main St. Lot 5, 5-5 | 17.80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| Cadigan, Joseph D. & Elizabeth T. 24 Milebrook Rd. Lot 17-8 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,782.00 |
| Caffelle, Thomas E. & Lydia 27 Maolis Ave. Lot 23-1, 22-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,320.00 |
| Cain, William H. & Betty A. 327 East St. Lot 4 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Calcagni, Edward J. & Joanne M. 339 West Center St. Lot 5,4-1 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 | 2,230.80 |
| Calef, Albert & Norma R. 291 East Center St. Lot 9-2A | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| 271 East Center St. Lot 9 | 7.38 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 | 2,464.00 |
| Caliri, Mario T. 2 Bellevue Ave., Braintree Walnut St. Lot 76 | 9.25 A. Land | | 202.40 |
| Calitri, Doris C. & Joseph F. 17 Central Square Lot 13 | .33 A. Land & Bldgs. | 88.00 | 2,794.00 |
| 33 River St. Lot 86 | 2.03 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 968.00 |
| 45 River St. Lot 11, 9-1 | .59 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 924.00 |
| Camarra, Fred W. & Grace E. 222 Turnpike St. South Easton Manley St. Lot 26-1 | 2.27 A. Land | | 74.80 |
| Camarra, Fred 123 Leach Ave., Brockton | | 88.00 | |
| Campanini, Robert J. 144 Brooks Place Lot 4-5 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Campbell, Boyd & Jennie 18 Grant St. Lot 11 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |

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| Cannizzaro, Frank G. & Judith A. 61 Spring St. Lot 54-1, 55-1 | 1.20 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,650.00 |
| Canzano, Emile T. & Carol E. 461 & 463 Matfield St. Lot 84,84-1 | 1.60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Canzano, Robert N. 418 Forest St. Lot 109-8 | .11 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 109-12 | .09 A. Land | 2.20 |
| Cap, Joseph 300 North Elm St. Lot 25-14 | .58 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Capeway Poultry Taylor Ave. | | 286.00 |
| Capolupo, Pasquale 142 North Main St. | | |
| 138 & 142 North Main St. Lot 13 | .34 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,597.20 |
| West Center St. Lot 9 | 2.45 A. Land | 308.00 |
| Cappiello, Michael P. & Marilyn J. 6 Bonnis Ave. Lot 6-55 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Carbone, John L. & Patricia A. 15 Walnut St. Lot 7-1, 7-3A | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Carbone, Roy & Regina E. 228 Matfield St. Lot 51 | .42 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Cardenosa, Ricardo J. & Janet C. 91 South Elm St. Lot 20-10, 20-11 | 5.38 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Carey, Francis A. & Kathleen A. 35 Prospect St. Lot 5 | 1.08 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Carifio, Lewis K. & Patricia A. 497 West St. Lot 2-4 | 1.54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Carle, Russell A. 83 Blue Hill Terrace, Milton | | |
| 181 South Main St. Lot 9-4 | 1.38 A. Land & Bldg. | 5,148.00 |
| Carlson, Carl W. & Rebecca 491 West St. Lot 2 | 8.87 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Carlson, Clifford H. & Mae I. 87 Brooks Place Lot 10 | 12.68 A. Land & Bldg. | 15.40 1,321.98 |
| | A. & H. Classification | |
| Brooks Place Lot 11 | 1.22 A. Land A. & H. Clsfcctn | 10.74 |
| Brooks Place Lot 1 | 22.90 A. Land & Bldg. A. & H. Clsfcctn | 100.23 |
| Brooks Place Lot 2 | .71 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Carlson, Frances E. 54 Turnpike St. Lot 1, 2 | 1.40 A. Land & Bldgs. | 858.00 |
| Carlson, Stanley O. & O. Janet 295 South St. Lot 18-6 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Carnes, Evelyn J. & George E. 76 Sherbrook Ave., Braintree | | |
| 92 North Main St. Lot 17 | .19 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Carriere, Arthur & Ann K. 216 Howard St. Lot 7, 7-1A | 4.69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,716.00 |
| River St. Lot 18 | .80 A. Land | 26.40 |
| Carrigan, William C. & Mildred H. 83 East St. Lot 20-2 | .42 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| Carriuolo, John B. Jr. & Carol A. 151 Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater | .19 A. Land | 61.60 |
| Carrozza, Anthony B. & Geraldine B. 80 Copeland St. Lot 1-5 | .32 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,474.00 |
| Copeland St. Lot 4-8 | 1.63 A. Land | 176.00 |

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| Carrozza, Henry & Dorothy E. 19 Norman Ave. Lot 18-13 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Carver, Ralph B. Jr. & Marjorie A. 394 North Elm St. Lot 15-3 | .36 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 968.00 |
| 519 Manley St. Lot 12 | .83 A. Land & Bldg. | | 880.00 |
| Casey, William C., Trustee Casey-Kemp Trust 265 South Main St. Lot 2 | 3.72 A. Land & Bldgs. | 198.00 | 8,681.20 |
| Cashman, Joseph E. & Diane R. 2 Timothy Drive Lot 5-15 | 1.27 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,848.00 |
| Cassiani, Carl R. 48 Susan Rd., Brockton 377 Spring St. Lot 47-1 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Cassiani, Sylvio, Est. of c/o Charles Cassiani 223 Alger St., Brockton off East St. Lot 16 | .11 A. Land | | 8.80 |
| East St. Lot 14 | .32 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| off East St. Lot 17A | .17 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| off East St. Lot 12 | .27 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| Cassiani, Emma & Olga c/o Charles Cassiani 223 Alger St., Brockton East St. Lot 11 | .18 A. Land | | 13.20 |
| East St. Lot 10 | .22 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| off East St. Lot 15A | .42 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| off East St. Lot 13 | .17 A. Land | | 22.00 |
| Cassidy, David J. Jr. & Linda J. 109 South Elm St. Lot 19-2 | .71 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,320.00 |
| Catabia, Henry & Barbara L. 202 West Center St. Lot 69-4 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 48.40 | 1,012.00 |
| Cataldo, Louis & Dianna H. 582 North Elm St. Lot 34-23 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| Catrambone, Nicholas & Marion L. 8 South St. Lot 1 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Catrambone, Richard J. & Ann E. 217 Spring St. Lot 52-10 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Cavacas, Aristides C. & Arminda D. 10 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 4 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Cavacas, John 69 Brooks Place Lot 32 | .35 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,034.00 |
| Cavanaugh, George L. & Augustine I. 104 Beacon St. Lot 10-4 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Celia, Adolph L. & Joan M. 44 Columbus Ave. Lot 6-2 | .99 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Centrella, Carmine & Francis M. 606 North Elm St. Lot 34-18 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Chace, Raymond E. & Margaret I. 281 Spring St. Lot 17-5 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Chadwick, LaForest W. & R. Lucille 28 Union St. Lot 6 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Chadwick, Robert A. & Rose Marie 358 Spring St. Lot 44 | .58 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 946.00 |
| Chafe, Lawrence R. & Jean E. 590 North Elm St. Lot 34-15 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |

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| Chamberlain, David C. & Priscilla E. 95 Union St., Bridgewater 15 Norman Ave. Lot 18-14 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Chamberlain, Henry M. 26 South Elm St. Lot 2-2 | .13 A. Land & Bldg. | 528.00 |
| Charves, John J. & Mary J. 215 South St. Lot 10-1 | 5.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,962.40 |
| Chase, Barbara A. 46 Sunset Ave. Lot 7 | .30 A. Land & Bldgs. | 836.00 |
| Chase, Helen M. 28 Glenmere St. Lot 7, 8 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Chase, Virginia A. 407 North Elm St. Lot 29 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Chauncey, Dorothy M. 157 North Elm St. Lot 10 | 4.50 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,342.00 |
| Chaves, Alfred J. & Lillian B. 16 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 20 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Chaves, Amos E. & Rosemary 328 East St. Lot 41 | .90 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Chaves, Arthur E. & Catherine 6 Shagbark Rd. Lot 1-1 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Chaves, Arthur E. & Cochary, Thomas Trustees Colonial Realty Trust of W.B. 9 North Main St. Lot 36A | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 4,004.00 |
| 78 North Main St. Lot 24-1 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,112.00 |
| 23 North Main St. Lot 35 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 25 | .82 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Chaves, James 102 Brooks Place Lot 2-1 | .31 A. Land & Bldgs. | 858.00 |
| Chaves, Mary M. 49 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 10, 11 | .40 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Roosevelt Ave. Ext. Lot 9 | .24 A. Land | 101.20 |
| Chaves, Mary S. 28 Sinnott St. Lot 12 | .64 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| Cheney, Elva F. 40 Plain St. Lot 4-6 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Plain St. Lot 4-10 | .40 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Cheyunski, Adolph & Lillian J. c/o Mobil Oil Corp. 670 White Plains Rd. Property Tax Dept. Scarsdale, N.Y. 10583 West Center St. Lot 13-A1 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 3,229.60 |
| Cheyunski, Adolph & Lillian J. 755 West Center St. Lot 12-2, 12-3, 12-4 | .62 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,386.00 |
| Chilauskas, Algird 511 West St. Lot 2-1 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Child, Walter T. & Shirley T. 20 Prospect St. Lot 72-5 | .85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 849.20 |
| Childers, Richard M. & Eileen J. 624 East St. Lot 27-1 | .50 A. Land & Bldgs. | 13.20 1,078.00 |
| Chipoli, Robert L. & Donna L. 2 Sunset Ave. Lot 15-4 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Chisholm, Richard A. & Jean A. 218 East St. Lot 47-2 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |

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| Chisholm, Robert V. & Louise E. 25 Union St. Lot 47-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Chisholm, Thomas M. 3rd & Hazel I. 175 East St. Lot 12-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Christiansen, Paul D. & Sandra J. 13 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-7 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| Chubbuck, David C. & JoAnn F. 218 Forest St. Lot 4-3 | .62 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 814.00 |
| Chubbuck, George W. & Verna M. 26 Cross St. Lot 3 | 7.86 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,056.00 |
| Chuilli, Frank A. & Norma T. 157 Thayer St., East Bridgewater | .16 A. Land | | 52.80 |
| Ciampa, William Guido 7 Moraine St., Brockton | | | |
| West Center St. Lot 1 | .70 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| Ciccolo, Vincent A. 84 Copeland St. Lot 1-3 | 1.51 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Cicione, Eugene & Jennie E. 264 Spring St. Lot 26-1 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Cieslak, Ann L. 26 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-49 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Clapp, Albert S. Jr. & Carol A. 308 Matfield St. Lot 63, 61-1 | 1.21 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Clark, Donald E. & Gertrude E. 398 Spring St. Lot 63-1 | 5.18 A. Land & Bldgs. | 11.00 | 1,276.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 46 | 5.06 A. Land | | 110.00 |
| Stony Rd. Lot 8, 63-3, 63-4 | 8.70 A. Land | | 255.20 |
| Clark, Everett C. & Miriam E. 478 West St. Lot 5 | .42 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 836.00 |
| Clark, Herbert J. & Katherine 492 West St. Lot 5 | 2.16 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| Clark, Louise M. 5 Library Place, Bridgewater | | | |
| East St. Lot 20 | 2.56 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Clark, Richard & Beatrice 87 Thayer Ave. | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| Clayton, Norman E. & Rachael 21 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 10 | 1.02 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Clem, Edward N. & Beatrice L. 37 North Main St. Lot 35-3, 35-5 | .28 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Clark, Howard E. Jr. & Lois E. 520 North Elm St. Lot 33-1 | .19 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 924.00 |
| Clooney, Raymond F. & Catherine M. 411 Matfield St. Lot 87-1 | 1.25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Cochary, Thomas F. & Virginia D. 133 South Main St. Lot 10-6 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | 66.00 | 1,848.00 |
| Coelho, Edward P. & Eleanor L. 67 Maolis Ave. Lot 11 | .43 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,364.00 |
| Coelho, Roger A. & Mary L. 499 West Center St. Lot 45 | .18 A. Land & Bldgs. | 440.00 | 1,914.00 |
| Coelho, Ronald A. & Gross, Marilyn 46 Sinnott St. Lot 16 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Sinnott St. Lot 19-1 | 3.30 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 604 North Elm St. Lot 34-17 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 660.00 |
| Coffey, Kathryn T. 46 Matfield St. Lot 4-4 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |

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| Coffman, Max | | |
| 25 Braemoor Rd., Brockton | | |
| West St. Lot 8, 8-2 | 43.38 A. Land | 9,636.00 |
| Coffman, Max & Abdu, Louis | | |
| 25 Braemoor Rd., Brockton | | |
| Manley St. Lot 25-5 | 4.00 A. Land | 880.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 25-7 | 10.98 A. Land | 2,398.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 51 | 1.95 A. Land | 440.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 41 | 7.38 A. Land | 1,606.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 40 | 18.56 A. Land | 4,070.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 25-1A | 2.64 A. Land | 572.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 49 | 5.63 A. Land | 1,232.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 25-9 | 3.10 A. Land | 682.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 52 | 2.29 A. Land | 484.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 50 | 2.23 A. Land | 484.00 |
| Coffman, Max | | |
| 25 Braemoor Rd., Brockton | | |
| Manley St. Lot 25-1 | .28 A. Land | 61.60 |
| Cogswell, Helen E. | | |
| 1 Francis Ave. Lot 8, 9 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Cogswell, Mary L. | | |
| 15 Highland Ave. Lot 1 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Cogswell, Richard W. & Helen A. | | |
| 320 East St. Lot 42 | 1.33 A. Land & Bldgs | 1,056.00 |
| Cogswell, Robert J. & Ruth A. | | |
| 295 West Center St. Lot 14 | .42 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Cohen, David | | |
| 341 Highland Ave., Quincy | | |
| South Main St. Lot 18-4 | .44 A. Land | 440.00 |
| Colby, Beverly M. | | |
| 27 Progressive Ave. Lot 2-3 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Cole, Austin C. & Gladys P. | | |
| 260 Spring St. Lot 26-2 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Cole, Harold E. & Norma E. | | |
| 52 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 13, 14, 8-1 | .32 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,122.00 |
| Cole's Appliance Outlet | | |
| 339 West Center St. | | 88.00 |
| Cole, Rowland F. & Bessie I. | | |
| 380 North Elm St. Lot 15-2 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 770.00 |
| Coleman, Marian S. | | |
| c/o Lucille North | | |
| 67 Ash St. | | |
| 73 Ash St. Lot 6-5 | 1.44 A. Land & Bldg. | 726.00 |
| Coleman, Mary E. | | |
| 311 Matfield St. Lot 7-18 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Coleman, Olive V. | | |
| 80 Matfield St. Lot 8 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 506.00 |
| Collins, James J., Trustee of the | | |
| Helen Trust | | |
| 218 West Broadway, South Boston | | |
| 389 North Main St. Lot 2-7 | 1.59 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,574.00 |
| Collins, James M. | | |
| 218 West Broadway, South Boston | | |
| North Main St. Lot 2-1A | 1.13 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Collins, Richard S. & Jean M. | | |
| 37 High St. Lot 2 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |

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| Colorado, Louis M. & Blanche J. 534 W. Chestnut St., Brockton off Walnut St. Lot 74 | .77 A. Land | 15.40 |
| Comerford, Richard B. & Priscilla R. 60 Clinton Rd. Lot 102-8 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | 396.00 |
| Clinton Rd. Lot 102-9, 102-12 | .29 A. Land | 88.00 |
| Component Mfg. Service Inc. 1 Component Park Commonwealth Ave. Lot 10-1 | 4.41 A. Land | 308.00 |
| Conant, John A. & Elsie M. 156 Crescent St. Lot 17 | 1.03 A. Land & Bldgs. | 836.00 |
| Conant, H. Page & Frances W. 45 South Elm St. Lot 20-6 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Connelly, James P. & Marie T. 42 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-53 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Conniff, Margaret L. 395 East Center St. Lot 24, 23-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Connolly, Joseph 520 Spring St. Lot 39-2 | 6.82 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Connor, George L. & Eleanor F. 37 Highland Ave. Lot 5-3 | .63 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,166.00 |
| Conte, William A. 129 South Main St., Haverhill, Ma. | .93 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| 487 West Center St. Lot 47 | | |
| 493 West Center St. Lot 46 | .16 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Conway, John E. & Patricia A. 11 North Main St., Cohasset | .15 A. Land | 176.00 |
| 234 West Center St. Lot 88 | | |
| Cook, Albert B. & Thelma C. 488 West Center St. Lot 37 | .72 A. Land & Bldg. | 7,722.00 |
| 486 West Center St. Lot 1-1 | | |
| Cook, John L. & Barbara J. 400 East St. Lot 39-1 | .35 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Copeland, Frank E. & Frances I. 551 Walnut St. Lot 47-1 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Corbett, James L. & Theresa M. 21 Crescent St. Lot 30 | 1.56 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,914.00 |
| Corbett, Winslow T. & Mabel L. 383 Crescent St. Lot 25-26 | 3.32 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Corbo, William A. & Marie O. 13 Timothy Drive Lot 5-12 | .21 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Corcoran, Kathryn E. c/o Carolyn Markella Box 72 Snug Harbor Station, Duxbury | 3.71 A. Land & Bldgs. | 726.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 77 | | |
| Corcoran, Paul E. & Marsha A. 50 Union St. Lot 5-1 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,672.00 |
| Cordeiro, Manuel M. 579 Oak St., Bridgewater off East St. Lot 15 | 41.35 A. Land | 902.00 |
| Corey, Francis & Alice 20 Hillside Ave. Lot 14 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| | 16.67 A. Land | 352.00 |
| | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |

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| Corkum, Annie | | |
| Turnpike St., South Easton | | |
| off Manley St. Lot 28 | 23.23 A. Land | 1,738.00 |
| off Manley St. Lot 35 | 18.77 A. Land | 2,464.00 |
| off Manley St. Lot 36 | 5.02 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Corkum, Clarence A. Est. Of | | |
| c/o Marion Corkum | | |
| 56 William St., North Easton | | |
| Pleasant St. Lot 4 | 12.14 A. Land | 264.00 |
| Corr, Brian E. & Patricia G. | | |
| 95 Pleasant St. Lot 3-2D | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Costello, Joseph P. Jr. & Joanna L. | | |
| 46 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-84 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Couite, Manuel A. & Mary E. | | |
| 93 Copeland St. Lot 15, 15-1 | .96 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,288.00 |
| Couite, Thomas J. | | |
| 93 Copeland St. | | |
| 519 North Elm St. Lot 40-6 | .96 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Couite, William A. & Ruth E. | | |
| 39 Copeland St. Lot 38 | 2.47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Copeland St. Lot 1, 1-6, 3 | 24.99 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,254.00 |
| Copeland St. Lot 38-9 | 11.06 A. Land & Bldg. | 404.80 |
| Court Realty Inc. | | |
| 567 Pleasant St., Brockton | | |
| 855 North Main St. Lot 76, 77, 84 | 15.19 A. Land & Bldgs. | 9,900.00 |
| 787 North Main St. Lot 76-1 | .71 A. Land | 312.40 |
| Couture, Horace A. & Carlene A. | | |
| 122 Spring St. Lot 57-7 | 1.30 A. Land & Bldgs. | 682.00 |
| Cox, George H. | | |
| 151 South Elm St. Lot 15 | 1.70 A. Land & Bldg. | 704.00 |
| Cox, William E. & Lillian M. | | |
| 22 Emerson Ave. Lot 9, 10 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Coyne, Dennis M. & Mary E. | | |
| 96 Prospect St. Lot 18 | .42 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| Cranshaw, Brooks G. & Barbara J. | | |
| 600 Walnut St. Lot 41-1 | .44 A. Land & Bldgs. | 660.00 |
| Craven, Lawrence A. & Alline | | |
| 101 East St. Lot 1 | 1.29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Crealese, Albert & Claire D. | | |
| 89 Maolis Ave. Lot 15 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Crealese, Ronald A. | | |
| 83 Maolis Ave. Lot 14 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Crean, Richard J. & Barbara A. | | |
| 45 South Main St. Lot 20 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Cremin, Raymond J. | | |
| 147 Milford St., Box 99, Monponsett | | |
| 161 South Elm St. Lot 15-1 | .87 A. Land | 154.00 |
| 157 South Elm St. Lot 15-2 | .81 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Crimmins, Robert H. & Ann T. | | |
| c/o Ann King | | |
| 68 Walnut St. Lot 6-5 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Cristina, Fernando, & Betino | | |
| 49 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-16 | .66 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Crocker, John W. & Lucy A. | | |
| 427 North Elm St. Lot 41-4 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Cronin, Leo & Patricia B. | | |
| 25 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-10 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |

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| Cross, Christopher D. & Susan B. 530 Manley St. Lot 2 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Cross, Edward D. & Priscilla A. 55 Sunset Ave. Lot 20 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Cross, Susan Barker & Rogers, Sandra B. 84 Sherwood Lane, Raynham | | |
| North Main St. Lot 16-1 | 1.94 A. Land & Bldg. | 13,112.00 |
| Rear of 45 & 61 Howard St. Lot 4-2 | 2.03 A. Land | 167.20 |
| North Main St. Lot 14-1 | 1.66 A. Land | 400.40 |
| North Main St. Lot 14-2 | .60 A. Land | 143.00 |
| Crossroads, Enterprises 32 Bright Rd., Belmont | | 880.00 |
| 4 Manley St., Ext. Lot 13 | 6.53 A. Land & Bldg. | 12,161.60 |
| Crowell, Bruce E. & Betty Ann 144 West St. Lot 10-2, 10-3 | .71 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,122.00 |
| Crowley, Cornelius F. & Edward J. 409 Walnut St. Lot 42-1 | 14.66 A. Land | 484.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 42 | 16.67 A. Land | 550.00 |
| Crowley, Daniel F., Est. of 409 Walnut St. Lot 52 | 4.80 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,056.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 19 | 4.18 A. Land | 88.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 46 | 9.18 A. Land | 286.00 |
| Crowley, Edward J. & Rachel E. 460 Linwood St., Brockton | | |
| Walnut St. Lot 23 | 18.65 A. Land | 616.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 48 | 9.28 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Crowley, Mary V. 347 East St. Lot 3, 6 | 2.56 A. Land | 1,188.00 |
| Cruz, Dennis J. & Lois A. 412 East St. | 1.46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,716.00 |
| Cruz, Edward F. & Mary A. 139 South Main St. Lot 10-8 | .46 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,364.00 |
| Cudmore, Richard L. & Patricia 140 Samuel Ave. Lot 60-4, 60-3 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,332.00 |
| Cullen, James M. & Carolyn M. 505 North Main St. Lot 2-5 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Cummings, Faith c/o John Cummings 455 West Center St. | | |
| Spring St. Lot 9 | 6.28 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Cummings, Theodora, Est. of 455 West Center St. Lot 51 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Curley, Francis V. Margaret M. 54 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-27 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| 74 Matfield St. Lot 7, 4-2 | 1.40 A. Land & Bldg. | 616.00 |
| Curran, Alfred T. & Marilyn c/o Mr. Wolfe | | |
| 578 North Elm St. Lot 34-13 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Currie, William A. & Mary 42 Francis Ave. Lot 12, 13 | .52 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,254.00 |
| North Elm St. Lot 9-5 | .26 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Cyr, George Earle & Gertrude M. 15 Vital Ave. Lot 3 | .63 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |

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| Corkum, Wilson L. & Annie | | | |
| Manley St. Lot 18 | .63 A. Land | | 13.20 |
| Manley St. Lot 26 | 27.50 A. Land | | 902.00 |
| Craft Tradition | | 88.00 | |
| D & H Auto Body Co. | | | |
| 233 West Center St. | | 66.00 | |
| Dacey, John A. & Marion L. | | | |
| 415 West St. Lot 8-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 858.00 |
| Dahlborg-MacNevin Funeral Homes, Inc. | | | |
| 225 South Main St. Lot 9-2 | 2.29 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,892.00 |
| Dairylee, Inc. | | | |
| c/o Fred Walsh | | | |
| 792 Plymouth St., Bridgewater | | | |
| Manley St. Lot 10-1A | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,716.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 10-3, 10-4 | 1.50 A. Land | | 198.00 |
| Dale, John G. & Nancy E. | | | |
| 157 Turnpike St. Lot 16-4 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Daley, Robert C. & Jeanne C. | | | |
| 287 South Main St. Lot 7 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Dalton, George M. & Loretta | | | |
| 110 Purchase St. Lot 20 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Dalton, Lawrence M. & Roberta E. | | | |
| 35 Sunset Ave. Lot 15 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Daly, John F. & M. Louise | | | |
| 315 North Elm St. Lot 26-13 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| D'Amadio, Angelo & Angelina | | | |
| 18 Emerson Ave. Lot 11 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| D'Ambrosio, Antonio & Nicoline | | | |
| 2 Plain St. Lot 8, 8-1 | 1.54 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| D'Ambrosio, Bernardo J. & Ruth E. | | | |
| 30 Belmont St. Lot 8-3 | .60 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,276.00 |
| Damon, Dennis W. & Gladys W. | | | |
| 19 Ellis Ave. Lot 2 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,584.00 |
| Damon, Henry A. | | | |
| c/o Beven, Allen & Hattie | | | |
| 40 Clinton Rd. Lot 102-1 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | | 352.00 |
| Danforth, Madeline R. | | | |
| 26 Kenneth St. Lot 10,11 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| Danforth, Ralph P. | | | |
| 212 South St. Lot 8-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldgs. | 132.00 | 1,232.00 |
| South St. Lot 8 | 16.43 A. Land | | 360.80 |
| D'Arpino, B. Mary | | | |
| 59 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-23 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| 15 North Main St. Lot 36-1 | .13 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,859.00 |
| 21 North Main St. Lot 35-1 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Davey, George F. & Dorothy M. | | | |
| 415 High St., Abington | | | |
| 56 Plain St. Lot 4-8 | .61 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Davies, Willis R. & Jessie M. | | | |
| 279 Rockland St., Brockton | | | |
| 144 Samuel Ave. Lot 60-5 | 1.06 A. Land | | 396.00 |
| Davignon, Arsene C. & Janice K. | | | |
| 13 Sunset Ave. Lot 14 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |

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| Davis, Clifford S. 9 Noyes Ave., Brockton | | |
| 36 West Center St. Lot 84 | 1.76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Davis, Karl & Debby E. 25 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-63 | .45 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,452.00 |
| Davock, Bessie L. 524 North Elm St. Lot 33-2 | .19 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Davock, Donald N. & Jean C. 77 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-16, 1-16A | 1.21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,804.00 |
| Davock, Richard E. & Claire M. 197 West Center St. Lot 75 | 7.50 A. Land & Bldgs. | 3,212.00 |
| DeArruda, Arthur M. & Judith A. 23 Pleasant St. Lot 2 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Dalton, Malcolm S. 38 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-20 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Deaton, Robert L. & Linda L. 463 North Elm St. Lot 40-2 | .89 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,496.00 |
| DeChambeau, Paul D. & Elaine L. 42 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-18 | .44 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,144.00 |
| DeCosta, Douglas P. & Yvonne R. 18 Norman Ave. Lot 18-5 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| DeCosta, Frederick A. & June S. 126 Copeland St. Lot 3-4 | .40 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,320.00 |
| Deibel, Francis C. & Katherine F. 50 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-29 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Deiley, Edwin J.A., & Lois Ann 319 Crescent St. Lot 5 | 4.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 611.60 |
| DeLorenzo, Owen J. & Mary C. Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater | | |
| Thayer Ave. Lot 21 | .30 A. Land | 101.20 |
| DeMolles, Anthony F. & Julia M. 463 Manley St. Lot 16 | 2.01 A. Land & Bldg. | 528.00 |
| 425 Manley St. Lot 30 | 4.27 A. Land & Bldgs. | 704.00 |
| 428 Manley St. Lot 17-16 | 36.14 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,628.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 6 | 15.91 A. Land | 3,498.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 17 | 2.56 A. Land | 52.80 |
| Walnut St. Lot 21 | 2.68 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 55 | 1.98 A. Land | 39.60 |
| Manley St. Lot 22 | 1.84 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 26 | 6.78 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 27 | 3.47 A. Land | 96.80 |
| DeMont, Elroy C. & Elizabeth M. 68 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-30 | .99 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Denenberg, Alvin G. & Carolyn 191 Forest St. Lot 5-2 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Dentch, William & Beverly K. 32 Hillside Ave. Lot 11 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Denzer, Harold O. & Marilyn C. 14 Merritt St. Lot 5, 6 | .46 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| Deraney, Richard E. 7 Bobolink St., West Roxbury | | |
| Union St. Lot 1 | 11.90 A. Land | 264.00 |
| Derkevorkian, Paul George 50 West Park St., Brockton | | |
| Ash St. Lot 12, 12-3 | 28.05 A. Land | 616.00 |

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| Derocher, Robert J. & Arlene A. Trustees of Derocher Twin Realty 256 South Elm St. Lot 9 | .87 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,518.00 |
| Dever, Hugh & Marion F. 311 West Center St. Lot 10 | .35 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 990.00 |
| DeVine, Eugene R. & Alma F. 333 North Main St. Lot 2-4 | .46 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,232.00 |
| Devine, Thomas J. & Judith A. 34 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-51 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Dias, Robert & Lillian A. 29 Cross St. Lot 7-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| DiBattista, Comillo P. & Christina M. 22 Keenan St. Lot 9-1 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 924.00 |
| DiCorpo, Louis A. & Alice R. 137 Bryant St. Lot 4 | 1.05 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| Diernbach, Robert R. Jr. & Marcella 46 Clinton Rd. Lot 6-15 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 440.00 |
| DeLiegro, Anthony J. & Virginia 45 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-15 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,518.00 |
| Dillenschneider, Rose A. 448 North Elm St. 163 West Center St. Lot 78-2, 78-3 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 13.20 | 308.00 |
| Dillenschneider, Rose E. 448 North Elm St. Lot 31 | 3.92 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Diman, Irene G. 269 South St. Lot 15-3 | .91 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Diman, Peter L. 575 West Center St. | | 176.00 | |
| DiMarzio, Lee C. 29 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-35 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| DiMascio, Orlando & Mary Ellen 688 Torrey St., Brockton off Turnpike St. Lot 3 | .45 A. Land | | 96.80 |
| Turnpike St. Lot 2 | .11 A. Land | | 24.20 |
| Dinnen, Leroy J. Jr. & Margaret L. 6 Brewster Blvd. | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| DiStefano, Anthony A. & Georgianna E. 137 East St. Lot 12-1 | 2.07 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,936.00 |
| Doane, William M. Jr. & Judith M. 60 Maolis Ave. Lot 16 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Doherty, Robert F. & Diane R. 331 North Elm St. Lot 17-3, 17-17 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Doiron, Francis C. & Jane E. 71 Woodland Rd. Lot 12-2 | 1.43 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| Domingos, Anthony S. & Irene R. 91 Oak St. Bridgewater South Main St. Lot 16 | 7.49 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| Donndelinger, Vincent J. & Nancy E. 294 South St. Lot 17-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Doty, Alice E. 161 Ash St. Lot 6, 16, 6-8 through 6-13 | 23.68 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Double S Inc. c/o Gilbert & Dank 1 Boston Place, Boston 244 West Center St. Lot 25 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 | 1,284.80 |

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| Douglas, Ralph I. & Joanne C. 76 Columbus Ave. Lot 6 | 5.21 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Douglas, Robert B. & Martha J. 269 North Elm St. Lot 26-8 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,496.00 |
| Downs, Phyllis M. 135 North Main St. Lot 40 | 1.28 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Doyle, Richard W. & Alice J. 249 South St. Lot 16-5 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Droukas, Charles K. & Mildred 25 Cross St. Lot 7-3 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Droukas, Nicholas & Dorothee M. 110 East St. Matfield St. Lot 75 | 2.47 A. Land | 52.80 |
| Droukas, Richard 110 East St. Lot 51-1 | 6.30 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,024.00 |
| Dufault, John E. Rear 19A Vital Ave. Lot 4-5 | .08 A. Land & Bldg. | 30.80 |
| Dufault, Rose G. 19A Vital Ave. Lot 4-2 | .08 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Duhamel, Peter A. & Linda S. 32 Glenmere St. Lot 5, 6 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Duhn, Daniel R. & Joann P. 525 Spring St. Lot 40-3 | 5.62 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Dumais, Theodore E. & Laura 48 Plain St. Lot 4-7 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Dunbar, Walter C. & Edith H. 22 Ellis Ave. Lot 13 | .22 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |
| Dunlevy, Thomas W. & Patricia A. 51 Maolis Ave. Lot 8 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 981.20 |
| Dupras, Robert K. Jr. & Donna M. 21 Timothy Drive Lot 5-14 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,452.00 |
| Duquette, Donald F. & Barbara M. 47 Brooks Place Lot 26, 27 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Duquette, Edson R. & Esther 394 South Elm St. Lot 7-6 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Durgin, Kevin F. & Valerie L. 365 North Elm St. Lot 11 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Dwyer, Robert & Mary 241 South St. Lot 16-2 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Dwyer, Virginia A. 632-634 North Elm St. Lot 35-1 | .50 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Dyson, Edward A. II & Kathleen E. 36 Vital Ave. Lot 54-6 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Eagan, Marjorie 327 Matfield St. Lot 73-6 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Earle, George A. 160 North Elm St. Lot 8, 7-2 | 1.73 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,064.80 |
| Earle, George Jr. & Muriel 506 North Elm St. Lot 32, 32-1, 32-2 | 5.14 A. Land & Bldg. | 44.00 1,320.00 |
| Earle, Richard K. & Gail F. 351 North Elm St. Lot 18 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| East Shopping Center Realty Trust Trustees, Stanton W. Davis, Robert L. Eklund & Halsey Davis 860 North Main St. Lot 2, 1-7, 1-2 | 28.80 A. Land & Bldg. | 65,665.60 |

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| Easton, Alton J. & Hazel M. 75 Bedford St. Lot 5 | 1.94 A. Land & Bldg. | 704.00 |
| Eaton, Alton S. & Florence K. 141 Crescent St. Lot 18 | 6.17 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 19 | .19 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 16-1 | .58 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Eaton, John R. & Lucy M. 2 Norman Ave. Lot 18-1 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Eaton, P. Douglas Sr. 2 Prospect St. Lot 72-4 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Eckstrom, Robert S. & Meredith A. 208 Matfield St. Lot 18-A | .25 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Edson, Bruce D. & Greta J. 249 Spring St. Lot 51 | 1.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Edwards, T.L. Inc. 244 East Main St., Avon Corner West & Manley St. lot 13-12 | | |
| 13-13 & 13-14 | 8.00 A. Land | 1,760.00 |
| 10 Turnpike St. Lot 1 | 5.00 A. Land | 1,100.00 |
| Egan, William J. & Alice 37 Highland St., Milton off Walnut St. Lot 79 | 4.98 A. Land | 105.60 |
| Walnut St. Lot 80 | 6.16 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 86 | .57 A. Land | 11.00 |
| Eichorn, Joseph F. & Margaret G. 146 South Main St. Lot 12-1 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Eldridge, Horace F. & Genevieve 40 Ellis Ave. Lot 9 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Eldridge, John C. & Alison F. 13 Hillside Ave. Lot 1, 2 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,320.00 |
| Emerson, Walter H. & Evelyn R. 269 Matfield St. Lot 71, 73-12 | 2.77 A. Land & Bldgs. | 858.00 |
| Endler, Priscilla 21 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-13 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Eng, Eleanor 270 South Main St. Lot 5-2 | 1.20 A. Land & Bldg. | 4,004.00 |
| Eng, James & Eleanor R. 28 Milebrook Rd. Lot 17-7 | 43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,694.00 |
| 266 South Main St. Lot 5-1 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| English, Russell B. & Dorothy T. 20 Aldridge Rd. Lot 1-9 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Engstrom, Wallace C. & Doris H. 59 Progressive Ave. Lot 1-1 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Ensher, Charles I. & Laurene S. 700 West Center St. Lot 17-2, 17-3 | 1.07 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Ensher, Virginia 175 Lincoln St. Lot 62 | 28.65 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,134.00 |
| Erbeck, Andrew P. & Claire L. 75 Bryant St. Lot 5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| 108 Bryant St. Lot 12-2 | .69 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Bryant St. Lot 12 | .89 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| Estabrooks, Everett L. 11 West Center St. 167 Forest St. Lot 5-2 | .96 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |

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| Estabrook, Lorne D. & Cheryl A. | | | |
| 92 Bedford St. Lot 8 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 858.00 |
| Estabrooks, Norman W. & Everett L. | | | |
| Tust. Brooks Realty Trust | | | |
| P.O. Box 291, W.B. | | | |
| 20 Maolis Ave. Lot 24-1 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 858.00 |
| 165 West Center St. Lot 78 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Estabrooks, Norman W. & Gertrude W. | | | |
| 378 West Center St. Lot 40 | .95 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| 103-107 Bryant St. Lot 11 | 1.80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,288.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 30 | 6.90 A. Land | | 151.80 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 32 | 3.56 A. Land | | 74.80 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 40, 46 | 9.47 A. Land | | 215.60 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 47 | 6.36 A. Land | | 136.40 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 48 | 3.05 A. Land | | 66.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 24 | 3.55 A. Land | | 74.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 11 | 2.57 A. Land | | 52.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 13 | 2.34 A. Land | | 48.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 14 | 3.20 A. Land | | 70.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 15 | 2.91 A. Land | | 61.60 |
| West Center St. Lot 16 | 15.71 A. Land | | 343.20 |
| West Center St. Lot 17 | 5.24 A. Land | | 114.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 18 | 7.54 A. Land | | 162.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 19 | 14.70 A. Land | | 321.20 |
| West Center St. Lot 20 | 10.34 A. Land | | 224.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 21 | 13.37 A. Land | | 286.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 22 | 6.39 A. Land | | 136.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 23 | 4.41 A. Land | | 96.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 24 | 2.50 A. Land | | 52.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 33 | 20.15 A. Land | | 440.00 |
| Etsell, Robert | | | |
| 509 Spring St. Lot 40-1, 40-2 | 13.51 A. Land & Bldgs. | 22.00 | 1,606.00 |
| Eugenio, C. Mark & Patricia | | | |
| 95 Prospect St. Lot 1-3A | .90 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Evans, Francis A. & Garvey, William | | | |
| & Doherty, George V., Trustees | | | |
| D.E. & G. Realty Trust | | | |
| 31 Fair Oaks Lane, Cohasset | | | |
| Manley St. Lot 21 | 2.19 A. Land | | 44.00 |
| Evans, Roland J. F. & Ann P. | | | |
| 455 Walnut St. Lot 39 | 1.31 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,408.00 |
| Fabrizio, Louis | | | |
| 321 Crescent St. Lot 6 | 1.15 A. Land & Bldg. | | 462.00 |
| Falzarano, Guiseppe, & Gladys D. | | | |
| 80 Union St. Lot 9-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 17.60 | 396.00 |
| Falzarano, Mario A. & Eleanor L. | | | |
| 92 Union St. Lot 4, 4-1 | .94 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,100.00 |
| Union St. Lot 10 | 6.74 A. Land | | 220.00 |
| Union St. Lot 9 | 1.07 A. Land | | 35.20 |
| Farnham, David B. & Paula-Anne | | | |
| 352 Spring St. Lot 43 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Farnum, Howard L. & Doris M. | | | |
| 259 Spring St. Lot 52-3 | .98 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,298.00 |
| Farrar, Karl W. & Nellie P. | | | |
| 108 Belmont St. Lot 11 | 6.19 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,408.00 |
| Belmont St. Lot 10-1 | 1.20 A. Land | | 39.60 |

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| Farrar, Karl W. | | |
| 108 Belmont St. | | |
| Belmont St. Lot 12 | 2.72 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Belmont St. Lot 3 | 2.35 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Federico, Joseph & Susi, Mario | | |
| 1045 East St., Dedham, Ma. | | |
| 217 Crescent St. Lot 1-2 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,056.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 1 | 55.00 A. Land | 1,804.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 2-2A | .43 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Feinberg, Samuel & Mildred E. | | |
| 160 Bryant St. Lot 6 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Feistel, Percy G. & Evie S. | | |
| 14 Columbus Ave. Lot 4 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Felos, Anthony P. Jr. & Robin L. | | |
| 22 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-78 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Fenn, Norman F. & Shirley L. | | |
| 440 North Elm St. Lot 31-1 | 1.70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Fenton, Evelyn M. & Prendergast, E Elizabeth M. | | |
| 452 Forest St. Lot 109-2 | .29 A. Land & Bldgs. | 660.00 |
| Feodoroff Brothers, Inc. | | |
| 1091 North Main St., Brockton | | |
| 800 West Center St. Lot 15-1 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Feodoroff, John L. | | |
| 20 Walnut St. Lot 3 | 1.84 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,518.00 |
| Ferbert, Henry A. & Edna J. | | |
| 115 Crescent St. Lot 18-1 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Feresten, Michael D. & Mary J. | | |
| 20 Charles St. Lot 6-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,078.00 |
| Ferranti, Catherine V. | | |
| 605 North Main St. Lot 49 | .70 A. Land & Bldgs. | 748.00 |
| Ferranti, Richard E. Sr. & Sheila I. | | |
| 174 Forest St. Lot 4-6 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,298.00 |
| Ferriero, Angela Q. | | |
| 459 North Elm St. Lot 40-1 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Ferron, Joseph R. & Edith M. | | |
| 97-103 Copeland St. Lot 14 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Ferrone, Philip & Eleanor C. | | |
| 100 Copeland St. Lot 1-4A | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Filippini, Nellio O. & Helen I. | | |
| 133 Bedford St. Lot 1-10, 1-19 | 1.04 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Finch, Alvin C. & Mildred R. | | |
| 43 West St. Lot 29 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Church & High | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 506.00 |
| Church & Beacon St. Lot 7 | .34 A. Land | 11.00 |
| Finch, Arthur & Joanne L. | | |
| 612 North Elm St. Lot 34-19 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Finch, James L. & Elsie M. | | |
| 403 Spring St. Lot 51-3 | .36 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| 405 Spring St. Lot 51 | 1.12 A. Land & Bldg. | 286.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 51-5 | 1.89 A. Land | 39.60 |
| First County National Bank | | |
| Brockton | | |
| 42 Sinnott St. Lot 15 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |

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| Fischer, Robert L. | | |
| 221 Spring St. Lot 52-8 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 52-5 | .56 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Fisher, Bernard F. & Mary L. | | |
| 169 West St. Lot 20-1 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Fisher, Donald A. & Ethel T. | | |
| 28 Purchase St. Lot 2-8 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Fisher, Dorothy L. | | |
| c/o Edna M. Morse | | |
| 589 East St. | | |
| 96 Beacon St. Lot 3, 3-1 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | 506.00 |
| Fisher, Helen | | |
| 479 East Center St. Lot 20-1 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Fiumara, Antonio & Carmela | | |
| 683 North Main St. Lot 50-3A | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Flaherty, Victor R. & Lois C. | | |
| 29 Ellis Ave. Lot 3, 4 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Flannery, Francis V. & Mary F. | | |
| 279 West Center St. Lot 72-8 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Flint, Edward P. | | |
| 506 West Center St. | | 127.60 |
| Flint, Joseph H. & Alice M. | | |
| 503 West St. Lot 2-2, 2-3 | .74 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Floek, Johannes E. | | |
| 20 Faxon Rd., Braintree | | |
| 24 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-11 | .70 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Florio, Anthony F. & Mary Ann | | |
| 52 Charles St. Lot 8 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Fongeallaz, Donald R. & Eugenie | | |
| 15 Ellis Ave. Lot 1 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Fongeallaz, Ernest A. & Dorothy S. | | |
| 514 West Center St. Lot 34 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 33 | .61 A. Land | 26.40 |
| Fongeallaz, Robert W. & Joan E. | | |
| 41 Ellis Ave. Lot 7 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Fontaine, Jerome F. & Elizabeth A. | | |
| 318 Spring St. Lot 68 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Fontinha, George S. & Helen M. | | |
| 103 Brooks Place Lot 9 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 906.40 |
| Forbush, Walter A. Jr. & Margaret H. | | |
| 161 Howard St. Lot 76 | 3.82 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,958.00 |
| Forest, Gerard J. & Irene A. | | |
| 301 West Center St. Lot 13 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Forrester, Joseph E. & Holyoke, Joanne | | |
| 26 Friend St. Lot 6 | .13 A. Land & Bldg. | 594.00 |
| Fortin, Louis, & Theresa J. | | |
| 128 Brooks Place Lot 3-9 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Fortin, Philip C. & Marie E. | | |
| 96 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-21 | .25 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Fox, Gladys I. & Wolfsberg, Edith M. | | |
| 20 Thayer Ave. Lot 1 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Foye, Allen B. & Gertrude H. | | |
| 20 Forest St. Lot 2 | 2.56 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,056.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 10 | 14.71 A. Land | 308.00 |
| Fraser, Sam R. & Ruth A. | | |
| 21 Oliver St. Lot 4-14 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |

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| Fratangelo, Nicholas J. & Rose E. | | | |
| 64 Maolis Ave. Lot 18 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,210.00 |
| Maolis Ave. Lot 20 | .35 A. Land | | 132.00 |
| Frates, John D. & Mary E. T. | | | |
| 102 West Center St. Lot 82 | 1.35 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 | 1,320.00 |
| Frawley, Arthur H. | | | |
| 24 Sunset Ave. Lot 1 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Frazier, Ruth M. | | | |
| 119 South Elm St. Lot 19-1 | 5.49 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 638.00 |
| Freeman, Charles A. | | | |
| 192 South Main St. Lot 15-1 | 2.48 A. Land & Bldg. | | 5,834.40 |
| 220 South Main St. Lot 15 | 4.70 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,112.00 |
| Freitag, Evangeline A. | | | |
| 10 Beacon St. Lot 6 | 1.71 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Beacon St. Lot 6-1B | .16 A. Land | | 44.00 |
| Freitas, Anna E. | | | |
| 56 Charles St. Lot 3-4, 3-5 | 2.36 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 990.00 |
| Freitas, Richard B. & Jean F. | | | |
| 295 River St. Lot 3-4A | .46 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,496.00 |
| Freitas, William B. & Betty L. | | | |
| 46 Charles St. Lot 9 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| French, Frederic R. & Mildred M. | | | |
| 55 North Elm St. Lot 1 | 16.18 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,540.00 |
| Frost, Richard A. & Edith W. | | | |
| 745 North Main St. Lot 50-1A | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 638.00 |
| Fruzzetti, Robert J. & Doris R. | | | |
| 117 Prospect St. Lot 1-6 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,540.00 |
| Fuller, Myron F. & Merrian, John & Petronelli, Nicholas, Trustees FMP Realty Trust | | | |
| 470 Torrey St., Brockton Manley St. Lot 34-1 | 11.64 A. Land | | 2,552.00 |
| Fuller, Richard A. & Jean D. | | | |
| 24 Merritt St. Lot 7 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,408.00 |
| Furey, Rodger S. & Jane T. | | | |
| 65 Forest St. Lot 3-2 | .44 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Fyfe, William E. & Ruth E. | | | |
| 373 Spring St. Lot 47-4 | .29 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 814.00 |
| Gage, Donald A. & Carol A. | | | |
| 20 Manley St. Lot 38-1 | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,760.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 38-1A, 38-1B, 38-1C | 1.17 A. Land | | 37.40 |
| Gailis, Ernest | | | |
| Box 24J, East Sandwich Spring St. Lot 52 | 14.49 A. Land | | 475.20 |
| North Elm St. Lot 17 | 11.94 A. Land | | 396.00 |
| Gallagher, Bryan M. & Ann | | | |
| 293 Crescent St. Lot 5-2 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| 289 Crescent St. Lot 5-1 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Gallagher, John F. & Helen C. | | | |
| 17 Plain St. Lot 12 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Gambao, Alfred M. | | | |
| 620 North Elm St. | | | |
| 617 North Elm St. Lot 38-4 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 154.00 | 1,144.00 |

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| Gambao, Clara | | |
| 620 North Elm St. Lot 34-21 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Shaw Ave. Lot 3 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 22.00 |
| off Walnut St. Lot 84 | 10.65 A. Land | 220.00 |
| Gambrazzio, Joseph & Deborah | | |
| 113 Prospect St. Lot 1-1 | .98 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Gammon, Robert T. & Marjorie J. | | |
| 12 Purchase St. Lot 2-4 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Gardella, Stephen M. & Margaret T. | | |
| 110 Copeland St. Lot 4-4 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Gareri, Joseph G. & Irene C. | | |
| 26 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-79 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Garland, Paul A. & Carol L. | | |
| c/o Chamberlain, Joseph & Louise | | |
| 44 Walnut St. Lot 5 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Garland, Robert E. & Rosemarie A. | | |
| 19 Wendell Ave. Lot 51 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Garrison, Lorna G. | | |
| 38 Prospect St. Lot 7 | 1.16 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Garrison, Lorna G. | | |
| 38 Prospect St. | | |
| 408 East St. Lot 39-3 | 1.47 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Garrity, Thomas F. & Kathleen D. | | |
| 53 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-41 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Garvey, Anne M. | | |
| 165 West St. Lot 20-2 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,179.20 |
| Gatt, Robert C. & Gloria A. | | |
| 2 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-5 | .48 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,320.00 |
| Gaucher, Helen E. | | |
| 22 Grant St. Lot 9, 10 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Gauthier, Thomas K. & Mary C. | | |
| 32 Sinnott St. Lot 13, 14 | 1.07 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Gazarian, Dickran, Trustee | | |
| Gazarian Realty Trust | | |
| 584 Pleasant St., Brockton | | |
| 44 Pleasant St. Lot 71 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Genuich, Jon D. & Jean M. | | |
| 49 South Elm St. Lot 20-5 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Gerald, Elaine A. | | |
| 237 Matfield St. Lot 73-1 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Gerardi, Dennis L. & Janel A. | | |
| 9 Timothy Drive Lot 5-11 | .72 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| Gerber, Herbert F., Trustee Herb-Ann Realty Trust | | |
| c/o Crown Auto Motor Sales | | |
| 230 Turnpike St., Canton | | |
| Spring St. Lot 4 | 3.44 A. Land | 499.40 |
| off Manley St. Lot 24-1 | 30.00 A. Land | 6,600.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 3 | 9.66 A. Land | 2,125.20 |
| Gerraughty, Robert J. & Claire L. | | |
| 57 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-42 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Getchell, Melvin L. & Corine | | |
| 108 Matfield St. Lot 12-1 | .83 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,210.00 |
| Gezotis, Peter N. & Louise M. | | |
| 5 Stony Rd. Lot 49-8, 49-9 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |

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| Ghelfi, Richard P. & Gloria M. 54 Ball Ave., Bridgewater 640 South Main St. Lot 4 | 2.02 A. Land | 880.00 |
| Gibbons, Maxine M., Trustee MG's Realty Trust, C/o Maxine Danforth 212 South St. 210 South St. Lot 8-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Gibson, Edwin T. & Marie B. 120 Bryant St. Lot 7-1 | 1.04 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,144.00 |
| Gibson, Richard W. & Linda J. 51 Francis Ave. Lot 2 | .41 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |
| Gibson, William E. Jr. & Edwin 124 Bryant St. South Main St. Lot 9 Bryant St. Lot 7 | 6.79 A. Land 21.29 A. Land | 880.00 704.00 |
| Gibson, William & Marion 124 Bryant St. Lot 7-2 | .64 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Giero, Boleslaw & Anna 481 East Center St. Lot 20 | 3.11 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Gifford, Earl C. & Elsie L. 62 Plain St. Lot 5-2 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Gillespie, Nahum 368 Spring St. Lot 46-3 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Gillis, Robert C. & Anne E. 494 East Center St. Lot 17 | 79 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Gingras, Russell A. & Anne B. 43 Belmont St. Lot 6, 40 | 26.70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Gingras, Russell A. & Anne B. & Foye, Allen B. & Gertrude H. 73 Prospect St. Lot 1-4 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Ginn, Barbara D. & Roberta P. 114 West St. Lot 4-4 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Ginn, George F. & Mary 105 Bedford St. Lot 6-4 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Giovanoni, Frederick P. & Annette M. 24 Purchase St. Lot 2-7 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Giovanoni, Joseph J. & Rita C. 21 Glenmere St. Lot 11, 12 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Giovanoni, Leo J. & Dena M. 115 South Main St. Lot 10 | 6.75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |
| Giovanoni, Sara & Utka, Margaret M. 27 Glenmere St. Lot 1 | .16 A. Land & Bldgs. | 792.00 |
| Glenn, Lester W. & Judith K. 68 Lincoln St. Lot 58-6 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,214.40 |
| Glinski, Hazel B. 22 Woodland Rd. Lot 14-2 | .22 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| Gokey, Harold H. & Isadora 31 Norman Ave. Lot 18-10 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Golbranson, J. Harris & Regina A. 291 South Main St. Lot 7-10, 7-11 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | 44.00 1,232.00 |
| Goldberg, David, McLoud, R. Earl, Schull, Robert S. & Weiner, Alan 435 Belmont St., Brockton (c/o David Goldberg) Manley St. Lot 23-4 | 13.81 A. Land | 3,036.00 |

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| Golder, Glyndon T. & Mary Ann 146 Brooks Place Lot 4-2 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Golder, Kenneth F. & Ruth A. 20 Kenneth St. Lot 8, 9 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Golder, Lester J. Jr. & Helen M. 92 Maolis Ave. Lot 32 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Kenneth St. Lot 1 through 6 | 3.90 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Kenneth St. Lot 7 | .30 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Goldie, George W. Jr. & Marion E. 29 Woodland Rd. Lot 15-5 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Goldie, Jean L. 370 North Elm St. Lot 15-5 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Goodwin, Robert E. 1 Progressive Ave. Lot 5 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| 188 Brooks Place Lot 5-7 | .13 A. Land & Bldg. | 22.00 |
| Gordon, Herbert G. 15 Foundry St. Fox Run Apt. South Easton 359 North Elm St. Lot 20 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| 5 West Center St. Lot 81 | .16 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,574.00 |
| Gothage, Richard J. & Elaine F. 30 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-50 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Goucher, Chester L. & Muriel R. 42 Sunset Ave. Lot 6 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Grabau, Philip D. & Judith N. 240 South St. Lot 1-1A | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |
| Grandfield, James L. & Nellie M. 44 Ellis Ave. Lot 8 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Ellis Ave. Lot 3-2 | 2.09 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 |
| Grant, David A. & Suzanne L. 221 South St. Lot 10-2 | 3.79 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Grant, Edward J. & Shirley L. 285 North Elm St. Lot 26-10 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Grasso, Pasquale, & Kathleen 398 North Elm St. Lot 15-5 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Green, Henry W. & Dorothy 81 Walnut St. Lot 14-1 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Green, James L. 14 Elmview Terrace, Brockton Turnpike St. Lot 12-1 | 2.60 A. Land | 330.00 |
| Greene, Harry D. & Capitola G. 120 Ash St. Lot 13, 13-2 | 10.81 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,320.00 |
| Greene, Harry D. Jr. & Linda L. 150 Ash St. Lot 13-1 | 1.72 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Greene, T. David & Carolyn H. 5 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-58 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Greiner, Albert M. 55 Progressive Ave. Lot 1 off Progressive Ave. Lot 1-3 | 3.08 A. Land & Bldg. 2.24 A. Land | 1,430.00 44.00 |
| Grey, Walter R. & Christine 17 Columbus Ave. Lot 3-3 | .70 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,122.00 |
| Grigas, Michael R. & Donna I. 75 West St. Lot 28-1C, 8-1A | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Grinnell, Garith K. & Joan B. 31 Crescent St. Lot 29 | 3.85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,408.00 |

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| Grippen, Charles S. 174 South Main St. Lot 13-4 | .44 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |
| Grippen, David W. & Joanne J. 679 North Main St. Lot 50-3, 50-3C | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Grippen, Robert & Priscilla A. 28 Spring St. Lot 59-3 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Gross, Regina M. 282 South St. Lot 20-1A, 20-1B | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Grover, Charles M. & Ruth E. 1044 West St., Sheldonville 157 Matfield St. Lot 22-1 | 1.49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Grover, Edwin S. & Hazel I. 158 Brooks Place Lot 4-6, 4-3 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Grundberg, Harold S. & Isabelle H. 183 North Elm St. Lot 11-3 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Guidoboni, Richard T. & Janice P. 4 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-14 34 North Main St. Lot 27 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,716.00 264.00 1,687.40 |
| Guillemette, Kenneth R. & Ann Marie 33 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-36 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Guinea, Mary I. 15 Beacon St. Lot 1 | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Gummow, Earl R. Jr. & Emily L. 107 South St. Lot 2-1, 2-3 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Gummow, Frederick A. & Catherine J. 103 South St. Lot 2-2, 2-4 | 2.52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Gummow, John R. Jr. & Charlotte E. 69 Spring St. Lot 54 40-42 North Main St. Lot 54-2 65 Spring St. Lot 54-2 | 4.31 A. Land & Bldgs. .55 A. Land & Bldg. 1.40 A. Land | 1,540.00 990.00 176.00 |
| Gummow, John R. & M. Irma 25 Bryant St. Lot 9 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Gureckis, Alexander, J. Jr. & Carol H. 19 Shaw Ave. Lot 1 | 2.58 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,958.00 |
| Gurksnis, Richard A. & Louise A. 41 Sinnott St. Lot 3 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Gurney, Herbert A. & Grace H. 287 River St. Lot 3-1 | 1.54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Gustin, Kenneth J. & Judith A. 46 Churchill Ave., Brockton 133 Brooks Place Lot 8-3 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Hachey, Reginald W. & Maxine 24 Hillside Ave. Lot 13 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Hackenson, Edward R. & Bishop, Henry & Louise B. 273 Crescent St. Lot 3 | 2.02 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,078.00 |
| Hackenson, Hulda M. & Bishop, Louise 50 Pincrest Rd. Lot 4-26 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Haddad, Margaret K. & Selma K. 19 Thayer Ave. Lot 3, 4 | .97 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Hahey, Robert T. & Susan J. 466 Matfield St. Lot 104-4 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Haight, Barry M. 2 Crescent St. Lot 12-3 | 1.03 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,350.80 |
| Halbig, Gertrude A. 467 West Center St. Lot 50 | .28 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,276.00 |

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| Hall, C. Edward & Annette T. | | | |
| 66 Bedford St. Lot 7-4, 7-9D | .98 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,056.00 |
| Hall, Harold L. & Elwood R. | | | |
| 46 Hillside Ave., East Bridgewater | | | |
| 12 Cyr St. Lot 1-A | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Hall, Loring H. & June J. | | | |
| 58 South St. Lot 3 | 2.11 A. Land & Bldg. | | 704.00 |
| Hall, Maynard E. | | | |
| 110 West St. Lot 23 | .40 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 836.00 |
| West St. Lot 4-1 | 1.15 A. Land | | 35.20 |
| Hall, Raymond C. Sr. & Dorothy W. | | | |
| 18 Brooks Place Lot 14 | .36 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| Hall, Robert A. & Francis A. | | | |
| 616 East St. Lot 28 | 2.94 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| Hallberg, Harold A. & Doris M. | | | |
| 156 Bryant St. Lot 6-1 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Halliday, William E. | | | |
| 10 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-45 | .43 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,232.00 |
| Hallin, Milton E. & Mary E. | | | |
| 496 Spring St. Lot 49-4 | .49 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| Hallisey, John J. | | | |
| 168 South Main St. Lot 13-3, 13-8 | 1.78 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| Lincoln St. Lot 58-9, 61-1 | 32.38 A. Land | | 704.00 |
| 153 Brooks Place Lot 7 | 23.99 A. Land & Bldgs. A. & H. Clsftcn | | 1,546.86 |
| Hallisey, J. Vincent & Sheila L. | | | |
| 39 Carlton Ave., Brockton | | | |
| 710 North Main St. Lot 4-7 | 2.23 A. Land & Bldg. | 26.40 | 1,287.00 |
| 706 North Main St. Lot 4-6 | .35 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| Hambly, Warren E. & Nancy L. | | | |
| 18 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-77 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Hamilton, John H. Jr. & Geraldine V. | | | |
| 2 Copeland St. Lot 1A | .41 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,100.00 |
| Hammond, Charles H. Jr. | | | |
| 66 Center St., North Easton | | | |
| off Turnpike St. Lot 6-5 | .74 A. Land | | 15.40 |
| off Turnpike St. Lot 6-6 | .06 A. Land | | 1.10 |
| Hammond, Kenneth E. | | | |
| 189 South Main St. | | 88.00 | |
| Hampe, Kendall M. & Eleanor G. | | | |
| 25 Sinnott St. Lot 6 | .29 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| Hannon, James P. & Brenda L. | | | |
| 416 Matfield St. Lot 95 | 3.07 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,540.00 |
| Hanson, Bror A. | | | |
| 345 Matfield St. Lot 74 | 1.29 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Hanssen, Barbara J. | | | |
| 122 Brooks Place Lot 3-6 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Hardenbrook, Alberta A. | | | |
| 612 West Center St. Lot 28 | 1.98 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Harden's Hardware | | | |
| 5 West Center St. | | 198.00 | |
| Harding, Craig B. & Sally B. | | | |
| 67 Pleasant St. Lot 3-3, 3-6 | .67 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Hardy, William L. | | | |
| 88 Beacon St. Lot | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | | 550.00 |
| Harlow, Hope G. | | | |
| 10 Cross St. Lot 2 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 594.00 |

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| Harris, Florence F. | | |
| 104 North Elm St. Lot 6-2 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Hart, Russell D. & Karen J. | | |
| 27 Scotland St. Lot 14-2 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Hartford, John H. & Phyllis M. | | |
| 46 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-54 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Hartshorn, Bruce R. & Elizabeth J. | | |
| 19 Scotland St. Lot 14 | 1.18 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,694.00 |
| Harvey, Robert L. & Claire M. | | |
| 250 South St. Lot 1-3, 1-14 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Haseotes, Vasilios et al | | |
| 777 Dedham St., Canton | | |
| Lincoln St. Lot 1-1 | 2.12 A. Land | 88.00 |
| Lincoln St. Lot 1, 1-2 | 23.71 A. Land | 1,034.00 |
| Lincoln St. Lot 1-3 | 6.06 A. Land | 264.00 |
| off Lincoln St. Lot 1-5 | .10 A. Land | 4.40 |
| Scotland St. Lot 13-4 | 5.55 A. Land | 176.00 |
| 396 South Elm St. Lot 7-9 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 400 South Elm St. Lot 7-10 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 404 South Elm St. Lot 7-11 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 264 South Elm St. Lot 8-1 | .78 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 226 South Elm St. Lot 10-2 | .42 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 216 West St. Lot 12 | .23 A. Land | 44.00 |
| West St. Lot 12-1 | 2.30 A. Land | 132.00 |
| West St. Lot 12-3 | 8.25 A. Land | 528.00 |
| West St. Lot 13-1 | 1.48 A. Land | 325.60 |
| West St. Lot 13-2 | 3.70 A. Land | 814.00 |
| West St. Lot 13-4 | .84 A. Land | 35.20 |
| off West Center St. Lot 3-1 | .84 A. Land | 110.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 35-1 | .60 A. Land | 26.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 36-1 | 3.47 A. Land | 149.60 |
| Bryant St. Lot 5-4, 5-6 | 9.52 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 83.78 |
| Bryant St. Lot 12-3 | 40.47 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 232.98 |
| off Maple St. Lot 67 | 8.65 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 22.84 |
| Maple St. Lot 72 | 5.50 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 12.10 |
| Maple St. Lot 73 | 3.64 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 9.59 |
| Maple St. Lot 76, 83, 76-2 | 27.56 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 242.53 |
| Maple St. Lot 79 | 51.34 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 45.54 |
| Maple St. Lot 80 | 7.99 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 70.31 |
| Maple St. Lot 81 | 5.71 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 50.25 |
| Maple St. Lot 84 | 6.83 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 60.10 |
| Maple St. Lot 86 | 21.52 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 189.38 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 75 | 19.36 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 51.13 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 53 | 49.71 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 281.34 |
| Scotland St. Lot 3 | 5.63 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 49.54 |
| Scotland St. Lot 3-1 | 1.60 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 14.08 |
| Scotland St. Lot 4 | 7.30 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 64.24 |
| Scotland St. Lot 76-1 | 7.26 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 63.89 |
| Scotland St. Lot 6 | 6.31 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 165.53 |
| Scotland St. Lot 78-2 | 3.21 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 28.25 |
| Scotland St. Lot 82-1 | 1.75 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 15.40 |
| Scotland St. Lot 9 | 12.63 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 111.14 |
| Scotland St. Lot 9-1 | 2.43 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 21.38 |
| Scotland St. Lot 10 | .83 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 7.30 |
| Scotland St. Lot 12 | .03 A. Land A. & H. Classification | .26 |
| Scotland St. Lot 12-1 | .03 A. Land A. & H. Classification | .26 |

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| Scotland St. Lot 82 | 8.76 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 77.09 |
| South Elm St. Lot 7 | 52.72 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 463.94 |
| South Elm St. Lot 7-12 | 35.20 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 309.76 |
| South Elm St. Lot 8, 9-1 | 15.84 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 139.39 |
| South Elm St. Lot 10 | 10.57 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 93.02 |
| Hasnem, Mary T. | | |
| 628 North Elm St. Lot 34-22 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Haskins, Malcolm H. & Zilpha L. | | |
| 481 Manley St. Lot 15 | .94 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Hatch, Herbert W. Jr. & Jane A. | | |
| 95 South Elm St. Lot 19-3 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Hatchfield, Robert W. | | |
| 28 Center St., North Easton | | |
| Spring St. Lot 11 | 16.47 A. Land | 360.80 |
| Hathaway, Francis A. & Beatrice L. | | |
| 45 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-13, 1-13A | 1.46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Hathaway, Wilfred L. & Muriel R. | | |
| 39 Brooks Place | | |
| 30 Tiffany Circle 43-31 | .75 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Hayden, David W. & Joanne N. | | |
| 230 Copeland St. Lot 8-8 | .97 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Hayes, Eugene J. | | |
| 78 Woodland Rd. Lot 28-1 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 638.00 |
| Hayes, William G. & Virginia | | |
| 63 Maolis Ave. Lot 10 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 932.80 |
| Haynes, Helen | | |
| 6 Crescent St. Lot 12-4 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Hayward, Howard M. & Mary C. | | |
| 147 East Center St. Lot 7-1 | 1.15 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| 151 East Center St. Lot 7-2 | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| East St. Lot 34 | 7.65 A. Land | 154.00 |
| off East St. Lot 33 | 2.66 A. Land | 44.00 |
| East ST. Lot 35 | 6.30 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Hayward, J. Layton & Frances E. | | |
| 615 East St. Lot 20-3 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Heal, Norman R. & Meredith I. | | |
| 74 Forest St. Lot 7 | .81 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Heath, DeSales J. & Barbara I. | | |
| 406 North Elm St. Lot 30-1 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Hebert, George F. & Elizabeth W. | | |
| 112 West St. Lot 4-2 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Hegarty, Gerald R. & Joanne E. | | |
| 17 Cross St. Lot 2-5 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,650.00 |
| Height, Harold W. & Edna M. | | |
| 512 Spring St. Lot 49-1 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Helgeson, Winifred | | |
| 17 Lincoln St. Lot 2-4 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 616.00 |
| Hennigar, Bernard L. & Helen A. | | |
| 168 Crescent St. Lot 2-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Henrickson, Carole E. & Shasta, Helen, T | | |
| Trustees Henrickson, Carole E. Family | | |
| , Trust 10 Shepard Ave., Brockton | | |
| East St. Lot 2-1 | 3.65 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 76 | .80 A. Land | 17.60 |

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| Henry, James P. & Mary A. 27 Norman Ave. Lot 18-11 | .35 A. Land | 990.00 |
| Heritage Construction Co., Inc. 29 Timothy Drive Corner Cross & Forest St. Lot 4 | 14.75 A. Land | 484.00 |
| Hermanson, Erle L. & Dorothy J. 87 Union St. Lot 1-4 | .83 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Hermanson, Robert D. & Helen A. 47 Maolis Ave. Lot 7 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Herrick, Bradford E. & Jean 80 Ash St. Lot 5-3 | .75 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| 70 Ash St. Lot 5 | 3.15 A. Land & Bldg. | 418.00 |
| Herrick, Earl L. Jr. 77 Thayer Ave. Lot 14, 15, 16 | 1.54 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Hess, Richard & Ruby 386 Matfield St. Lot 107 | .41 A. Land & Bldgs. | 946.00 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 108-1 | 1.51 A. Land | 30.80 |
| Higgins, Charles K. 88 Prospect St. Lot 16 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Higgins, John S. & Lorraine 79 River St. Lot 53 | 1.49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Hill, C. Douglas & Barbara J. 214 South St. Lot 8-3 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Hill, Charles L. & Ellen B. 50 North Main St. Lot 26-1 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Hill, Edward B. & Christine 380 Forest St. Lot 16 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 352.00 |
| Hill, Richard C. & Ruth E. 37 Hillside Ave. Lot 6 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Hillside Ave. Lot 7 | .21 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Hillside Ave. Lot 8 | .21 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Hinchliffe, Wilfred F. & Marilyn V. 498 Manley St. Lot 5 | 1.70 A. Land | 924.00 |
| Hinderscheid, Bertrand & Vivian F. 7 Shawnee Ave., East Bridgewater Thayer Ave. Lot 2 | .015 A. Land | 48.40 |
| Hirst, Roland F. & Virginia 215 West Center St. Lot 74 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Hoder, Lorraine I. 467 North Elm St. Lot 40-3 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Hodgson, Albert E. & Barbara E. 104 Bedford St. Lot 9-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 550.00 |
| Hodgson, James W. & Elreno B. 108 Bedford St. Lot 9 | 1.60 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,003.20 |
| Hoeg, Arthur E. & Louise T. 4220 Holburn Ave., Annandale, Va. 276 North Elm St. Lot 25-9 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |
| Hofmann, Robert C. & Jean E. 25 East Center St. Lot 35-5 | .57 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,650.00 |
| Hofmann, Robert C. Jr. & Karen 175 North Elm St. Lot 11-5 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Holbrook, Malcolm I. 2 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-30 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |

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| Holden, Raleigh A. & Rena N. Morse Drive, P.O. Box 91 Shelburne, Vt. Walnut St. Lot 6 | 10.50 A. Land | | 462.00 |
| Hollertz, Arthur V. & Jennie E. 386 West Center St. Lot 58-4 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Hollertz, George V. 216 Matfield St. Lot 50 | 1.98 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Hollien, Vera 446 Forest St. Lot 109-3 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 352.00 |
| Hollis, Kenneth B. 33 High St. Lot 4 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 572.00 |
| Holmes, Claremont & Madeline F. 210 Walnut St. Lot 29 | 2.81 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,320.00 |
| Holmes, Genevieve L. & Packard, Grace 228 South St. Lot 8-8 | 2.02 A. Land & Bldg. | | 880.00 |
| 232 South St. Lot 8-8A | 2.02 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Holmes, Robert M. & Grace L. 45 Pleasant St. Lot 1-4 | 1.02 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Holmes, William H. & P. Denise & H. Holmes & Alice, L.T. 308 South Elm St. 312 South Elm St. Lot 7-4 | .81 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Holmes, William H. & P. Denise 308 South Elm St. Lot 7-B South Elm St. Lot 7-C | .91 A. Land & Bldg. 5.56 A. Land | 1,188.00 242.00 | |
| Holmgren, Dorothy A. 326 Spring St. Lot 65, 66 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Holmgren, John L. & Madelyn A. 458 Matfield St. Lot 104-2 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,113.20 |
| Holmquist, Florence D. 51 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 8, 9 | 1.23 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Holton, Dwight A. & Marie R. 100 North Elm St. Lot 6-72 North Elm St. Lot 6-2A | .43 A. Land & Bldg. .99 A. Land | 1,518.00 110.00 | |
| Holyoke, George A. & Caroline M. 20 Vital Ave. Lot 54-2 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Holyoke, William E. & Leonie L. 7 Benham St., Brockton off High St. Lot 24 | .78 A. Land | | 44.00 |
| Homans, Roswell W. & Thelma M. 214 West Center St. Lot 69-2 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 220.00 | 880.00 |
| Homer, Frank A. Jr. & Anna J. 143 West St. Lot 20-4 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Hooker, Edward L. & Helen G. 9 Purchase St. Lot 2-9 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Horton, Earle L. & Jean M. 94 East St. Lot 2-3 98 East St. Lot 2 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. 4.05 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 624.80 |
| Houston, James W. & Mary 245 North Elm St. Lot 12-1 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Howard, Albert A. 263 River St. Corner River & Charles St. Lot 3 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 572.00 |

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| Howard, Albert A. (Continued) | | |
| Charles St. & 307 River St. Lot 1 | 3.07 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| River St. Lot 1 | 36.40 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,298.00 |
| Maple St. Lot 92 | 5.60 A. Land | 123.20 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 28 | 14.53 A. Land | 316.80 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 29 | 4.34 A. Land | 92.40 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 58 | 1.08 A. Land | 22.00 |
| South St. Lot 11 | 51.75 A. Land | 1,540.00 |
| South Elm St. Lot 104 | 2.18 A. Land | 44.00 |
| South Elm St. Lot 105 | 5.29 A. Land | 110.00 |
| South Elm St. Lot 106 | 11.08 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Stony R. Lot 4 | 4.00 A. Land | 88.00 |
| West St. Lot 11 | 10.24 A. Land | 660.00 |
| Howard, Clinton & Camilla | | |
| 58 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-5 | 1.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Howard, Clinton P. | | |
| 272 River St. Lot 2 | 26.18 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,562.00 |
| Howard, Glendon & Gertrude M. | | |
| 124 Turnpike St. Lot 8-1 | 1.45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Howard, John E. & Alice L. | | |
| 48 South St. Lot 6-3 | 1.48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Howard, John E. | | |
| Copeland St. Lot 6, 44-1 | 21.00 A. Land | 550.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 110 | 9.08 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 11 | 9.56 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Maple St. Lot 88 | 2.10 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Maple St. Lot 90 | 78.07 A. Land | 1,716.00 |
| Maple St. Lot 93 | 14.78 A. Land | 321.20 |
| Maple St. Lot 89 | 1.02 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Maple St. Lot 94 | 3.55 A. Land | 74.80 |
| Maple St. Lot 95 | 2.09 A. Land | 44.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 63-1 | 2.00 A. Land | 44.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 65 | 2.15 A. Land | 44.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 66 | 2.26 A. Land | 48.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 67 | 7.55 A. Land | 162.80 |
| Howard, Lester E. & Natalie G. | | |
| 31 Prospect St. Lot 5-2 | 1.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Howard, Richard & Pamela | | |
| 455 North Elm St. Lot 41 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| off North Elm St. Lot 40-4A | .68 A. Land | 15.40 |
| Howard, Wesley A. | | |
| 28 North Main St. Lot 28 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Stony Rd. Lot 5 | 32.43 A. Land | 712.80 |
| Howard, Wilfred G. & Claire T. | | |
| 28 Hillside Ave. Lot 12 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Howe, John A. & Anna A. | | |
| 120 South Elm St. Lot 18-1, 18-2 | 7.28 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,518.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 101, 102 | 27.00 A. Land | 594.00 |
| Howe, Thelma P. | | |
| 50 Maolis Ave. Lot 10 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Howell, James & Marlene | | |
| 187 Howard St. Lot 6 | 3.58 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,002.00 |
| Howland, Jay | | |
| 96 South Elm St. Lot 18 | 1.09 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,474.00 |

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| Hoyt, Francis M. & Shirley 210 North Elm St. Lot 9-3 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Hoyt, Jack R. & Evelyn J. 51 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-19 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Hudson, Edwin J. & Ann P. 145 Spring St. Lot 52-1 | 2.10 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Hughes, Julian S. & Dorothy K. 285 South St. Lot 18-1 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 858.00 |
| South St. Lot 15-1 | 3.36 A. Land | 198.00 |
| South St. Lot 18-4 | .52 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Hulsman, Helen L. 216 Spring St. Lot 12-6, 12-3A | 1.52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Hunt, Elmer O. & Persis 36 Charles St. Lot 4 | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Hunt, Harold A. & Margaret M. 760 North St., Bridgewater South St. Lot 18-2 | 1.00 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Hunt, Harold J. & Sandra J. 75 Thayer Ave. Lot 13 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Hunt, Thomas W. & Lois B. 157 South Main St. Lot 10-4 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Hurcombe, Marjorie M. 556 North Elm St. Lot 34-10 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Hurley, Hugh R. & Joan D. 113 Howard St. Lot 60-1 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| Hurley, Edna & Henty H. 113 Howard St. West Center St. Lot 2 | 20.35 A. Land | 2,640.00 |
| Hurley, Hugh R. & Joan D. 113 Howard St. Spring St. Lot 59 | 2.30 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Stony Rd. Lot 7 | 3.77 A. Land | 79.20 |
| Hurst, Harold & Pizzella, Francis D. 37 Ellis Rd., West Newton Walnut St. Lot 10-2, 8-1 | 2.99 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Husek, Stephanie O. & Rosanne V. 194 North Elm St. Lot 9-1 | .58 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Hutchins, E. Anne 522 Manley St. Lot 4 | 2.40 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Iannantuoni, Leo J. & Frances Anne 680 West Chestnut St., Brockton 561 Walnut St. Lot 45 | 2.69 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Iannitelli, Alexander D. & Beverly 506 Spring St. Lot 49-2 | .74 A. Land & Bldgs. | 880.00 |
| Ieronimo, Joseph A. & Bessie A. 331 County Rd., Hanson Matfield St. Lot 45 | 1.19 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 95-1 | 5.35 A. Land | 264.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 97 | .95 A. Land | 30.80 |
| Matfield St. Lot 98 | 1.13 A. Land | 35.20 |
| Imperial Millwork Inc. 70 Pleasant St. Lot 9 | 5.67 A. Land & Bldg. | 13,552.00 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 1-2A | 1.30 A. Land | 286.00 |
| off West Center St. Lot 3 | 1.81 A. Land | 396.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 28-3A | 4.00 A. Land | 880.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 28-4 | 3.00 A. Land | 660.00 |

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| Imperial Millwork, Inc. (Continued) | | | |
| Pleasant St. Lot 71-1, 29-1 | 2.22 A. Land | | 484.00 |
| Ippolito, Michael P. & Lorrainin | | | |
| 201 Copeland St. Lot 4-8A | 1.28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Isabel, Donald G. & Patricia | | | |
| 30 Kenneth S. Lot 12, 13 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| JAE Corp. | | | |
| 50 Congress St., Boston | | | |
| 322 East Center St. Lot 10-5 | 4.36 A. Land & Bldg. | | 9,553.50 |
| East Center St. Lot 10-6 | 4.97 A. Land | | 2,178.00 |
| Jackson, Roy F. & Jane A. | | | |
| 216 East Center St. Lot 10-1A | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Jackson, Sherwood W. & Barbara R. | | | |
| 7 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-10 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,342.00 |
| Crescent St. Lot 9, 25-2, 27-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,342.00 |
| Jacobson, Gladys V. | | | |
| 393 Spring St. Lot 47-3 | .86 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,166.00 |
| James, Locke L. & Katharine B. | | | |
| 329 Pleasant St. Lot 67 | 4.10 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| Jantomaso, James F. & Patricia A. | | | |
| 322 Matfield St. Lot 65 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Jaruse, Robert F. & Winnifred B. | | | |
| 31 Scotland St. Lot 14-3 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,496.00 |
| Jay's Cafe, Inc. | | | |
| 221-269 North Main St. Lot 27, 27-1 | | | |
| 44-3 | 24.39 A. Land & Bldgs. | 132.00 | 6,949.80 |
| Jason, John L. Jr. & Mary Ann | | | |
| 40 Highland Ave. Lot 7-6 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Jennett, Alton M. & Katherine M. | | | |
| 194 Matfield St. Lot 17 | .91 A. Land & Bldg. | | 704.00 |
| Jensen, Sumner E. & Doris L. | | | |
| 30 Norman Ave. Lot 18-8 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Jezard, Jack F. & Phyllis C. | | | |
| 119 Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater | | | |
| Thayer Ave. Lot 19, 20 | .56 A. Land | | 176.00 |
| Johnson, Arthur G. Jr. & Antoinette | | | |
| 1 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-2C | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Johnson, Audrey E. | | | |
| 111 South St. Lot 13 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| Johnson, Charles H. & Audrey L. | | | |
| 25 Lincoln St. Lot 2, 2-3, 1-4, 1-5 | 1.36 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| Johnson, Carl H. & Gladys M. | | | |
| 222 North Main St. Lot 7-3 | 9.45 A. Land & Bldg. | 22.00 | 1,562.00 |
| Johnson, Harold R. & Gertrude C. | | | |
| 586 North Elm St. Lot 34-14 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 884.00 |
| Johnson, Henry F. & Barbara J. | | | |
| 10 Central Square Lot 12-3 | 1.55 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,672.00 |
| Johnson, Hokan F. & Sons Inc. | | | |
| 248 Belmont St., Brockton | | | |
| Turnpike St. Lot 4-1 | 2.86 A. Land | | 629.20 |
| Johnson, Lorraine M. | | | |
| 24 East St. Lot 73-22 | 2.35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Johnson, Louise S. & Oscar S. | | | |
| 550 North Main St. Lot 6 | 5.78 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |

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| Johnson, Martin W. & Ellen I. 142 Turnpike St. Lot 8 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Johnson, Ralph A. & Dorothy G. 37 South Elm St. Lot 20-8 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Johnson, Rhoda M. 30 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 2 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,152.80 |
| Johnson, Robert E. & Ruth C. 82 Belmont St. Lot 10-1A | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Johnson, Samuel C. & Esther E. 221 West Center St. Lot 73 | .48 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,276.00 |
| Johnson, Walborg c/o Esther Swanson 144 Brooks Place, Brighton | | | |
| Walnut St. Lot 11 | 11.39 A. Land | | 374.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 24 | 23.68 A. Land | | 770.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 1 | 13.56 A. Land | | 294.80 |
| Manley St. Lot 11-1 | 3.79 A. Land | | 110.00 |
| Johnson, Wallace E. & Simonne J. 93 Prospect St. Lot 2 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Johnson, William J. & Helen F. 6 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-74, 6-2AAA | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,320.00 |
| Jollymore, Chester M. & Evelyn 125 Brooks Place Lot 8-1 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Jones, John L. & Jean S. 185 Scotland St. Lot 6-1 | 1.91 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| Scotland St. Lot 78 | 2.50 A. Land | | 52.80 |
| Jones, William M. Jr. & Donna M. 242A East St. Lot 46-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Jopling, Clyde D. & Dolores M. 173 West St. Lot 19 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Julien, Bruce W. & Anania, Denise C. 135 South St. Lot 11-5 | .66 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Julien, John W. & Mary S. 204 Copeland St. Lot 8-2 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Julius, Jack 479 Central St., East Bridgewater 401 North Main St. Lot 2-1, 2-1A | 1.90 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 2,373.80 |
| K. & K. Construction Co., Inc. 226 West Elm St., Brockton | | | |
| 63 Beacon St. Lot 4 | .72 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 46 Beacon St. Lot 1-1 | 1.15 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 50 Beacon St. Lot 2-2 | 1.08 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 54 Beacon St. Lot 2-1 | 1.02 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 55 Beacon St. Lot 4-6 | .78 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 58 Beacon St. Lot 2 | 1.35 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| 59 Beacon St. Lot 4-5 | .70 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| Kalil, David George 179 North Elm St. Lot 11-2 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Kaminsky, Louis R. & Louise H. & Kenneth R. 541 Walnut St. | | | |
| Walnut St. Lot 47 | 13.74 A. Land | 308.00 | 440.00 |
| Kaminsky, Louise 541 Walnut St. Lot 54 | .89 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 37 | 4.18 A. Land | | 902.00 |
| off Manley St. Lot 56 | 4.59 A. Land | | 594.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 33 | 11.57 A. Land | | 242.00 |

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| Kaminsky, Louise (Continued) | | |
| Walnut St. Lot 38 | 84.59 A. Land & Bldgs. | 3,300.00 |
| Kaplan, Cy R. & Loraine F. | | |
| 99 Bryant St. Lot 5-1 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Kardos, Frank | | |
| 39 Overton St., Brockton | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 4,598.00 |
| Karsh, Richard N. & Ann E. | | |
| 74 Plain St. Lot 7-1 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Katarzis, Albert | | |
| 127 Plymouth Dr. Apt. 2A | | |
| Norwood, Ma. | | |
| 184 Crescent St. Lot 2-1A | 1.13 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Kay's Korner Dress Shop | | |
| Center Shopping Plaza | 264.00 | |
| Kazukonis, Harry & Elinor M. | | |
| 45 Sunset Ave. Lot 17, 16-1 | .55 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |
| Keating, Robert L. & Barbara J. | | |
| 44 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 15-2 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Keeler, Florence M. | | |
| 352 West Center St. Lot 59 | 9.67 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,430.00 |
| Keenan, Grace D. | | |
| 457 South Main St. Lot 3 | 8.26 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Keith, Barbara H. | | |
| 405 Crescent St. Lot 10 | 1.39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Keith, George E. & Helen B. | | |
| 74 Samuel Ave., Brockton | | |
| Brooks Place Lot 13-1 | .45 A. Land | 11.00 |
| Keith, Lloyd & Carol A. | | |
| 58 Grant St. Lot 1 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Keith, Roger R. | | |
| 15 Pondview Circle, Brockton | | |
| off Walnut St. Lot 83 | 10.44 A. Land | 220.00 |
| Keith, Stewart M. & Janet S. | | |
| 47 Ash St. Lot 6, 6-1 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 928.40 |
| Kelleher, Gerald P. | | |
| 34 Rutland St., Brockton | | |
| Forest St. Lot 9 | 4.69 A. Land | 101.20 |
| North Elm St. Lot 39-5 | .37 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Kenneth St. Lot 44 | 2.43 A. Land | 52.80 |
| East Center St. Lot 13-3 | .33 A. Land | 6.60 |
| Kelleher, Walter H. & Selene | | |
| 26 Timothy Drive Lot 3-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,518.00 |
| Kelley, Anne | | |
| 17 Emerson Ave. Lot 2 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Kelley, Arthur S. & Mary A. | | |
| 15 Francis Ave. Lot 7, 24-1 | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Kelley, George & Joanne | | |
| 600 East St. Lot 30, 30-1 | 3.53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| East St. Lot 32 | 2.09 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Kelley, Thomas F. & Patricia A. | | |
| 16 Cyr St. Lot 2 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Kellie, Robert L. & Judith E. | | |
| 11 Purchase St. Lot 2-10 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Kelly, Carol & Schraut, Maureen | | |
| 745 Washington St., East Bridgewater | | |
| 26 Plain St. Lot 4-3 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |

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| Kelly, George R. & Clara A. 11 Aldrich Rd. Lot 20-5 | .90 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,337.60 |
| Kemp, Gladys E. 180 East St. Scuth Main St. Lot 9-3 | 4.72 A. Land | 880.00 |
| Kemp, Thomas F. & Gladys E. 180 East St. Lot 13 | 1.75 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,694.00 |
| Union St. Lot 48 | 1.33 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Kennedy, Chester R. & Mae R. 292 Market St., Apt. 29, Rockland East Center St. Lot 23-6 | .75 A. Land | 330.00 |
| Kennedy, Donald & Sophie N. 56 Walnut St. Lot 6-1, 6-2 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Kent, John J. Jr. & Marietta E. 161 South Main St. Lot 10-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Kent, Margaret M. & Mary L. 167 South Main St. Lot 14 | 1.75 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| Kerisza, Vera & Zenkus, Vito 473 Spring St. Lot 50 | 2.73 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,144.00 |
| Ketler, Harry & Lois W. 85 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-18 | 70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,738.00 |
| Keylor, Mary D. 271 South Elm St. Lot 5-6 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Khoury, Joseph W. & Lucille A. 129 Bedford St. Lot 1-11 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Kielty, Donald E. & Joyce M. 232 Turnpike St., South Easton off West St. Lot 1 | 4.91 A. Land | 158.40 |
| Kilchinman, Olive E. 449 North Elm St. Lot 41-1 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Kincade, Mark R. & Shaw, Marilyn 26 Crescent St. Lot 24-3 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| King, Thomas H. & Ella M. 140 West St. Lot 10 | 1.23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Kinney, George W. & Judith A. 95 Crescent St. Lot 21 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Kinney, Jessie M. 509 North Elm St. Lot 42 | 7.94 A. Land | 171.60 |
| Kinney, Orvis & Claire L. 486 North Elm St. Lot 32-4 | .28 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Kinney, Orvis F. & Jessie M., Est. of 509 North Elm St. Lot 40-1 | 2.62 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,342.00 |
| Kipper, Alexander & Madeline 484 East St. Lot 38 | 5.85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,078.00 |
| Kirby, Margaret A. 26 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 18 | .21 A. Land & Bldgs. | 814.00 |
| Kitchener, Ruby D. & Davison, Doris 140 South Main St. Lot 13-1 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | 792.00 |
| Kizirian, Mary 375 South Elm St. Lot 2 | 16.57 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,034.00 |
| Klebash, Kenneth J. & Nancy M. 10 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-19 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Klok, Donald J. & Marianne M. 39 Sunset Ave. Lot 16 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |

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| Knapp King Size Corp. | | | |
| 1 Knapp Centre, Brockton | | | |
| Walnut St. Lot 35 | 10.14 A. Land | | 880.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 53 | 5.49 A. Land | | 484.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 34 | 2.88 A. Land | | 506.00 |
| Knight, Richard A. & Barbara A. | | | |
| 403 East St. Lot 22 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Knox, George A. & Beatrice L. | | | |
| 74 Belmont St. Lot 10 | 1.10 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| 64 Belmont St. Lot 10-3 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | | 638.00 |
| Knox, Sylvester J. & Mary H. | | | |
| 311 East St. Lot 5, 6-1 | 4.66 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,056.00 |
| Korber, Michael & Susan | | | |
| 30 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-24 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Korotsky, Henry & Ethel D. | | | |
| 72 Crescent St. Lot 23-3 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| Kostecki, Eugene & Sylvia J. | | | |
| 12 Crescent St. Lot 18, 18-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 26.40 | 1,012.00 |
| Kourtz, John J. & Frances R. | | | |
| 41 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-14 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,496.00 |
| Kovatis, William & Nancy Ann | | | |
| 367 Manley St. Lot 25-2 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Krachukoski, Chester & Alfreda J. | | | |
| 634 North Main St. Lot 4-2 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Krugger, Richard E. & Shirley L. | | | |
| 71 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-29 | .98 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,232.00 |
| Kuharich, Joseph Jr. & Mary Ellen | | | |
| 41 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-67 | .43 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,364.00 |
| Kulda, Arthur C. Jr. & Irene C. | | | |
| 73 Thayer Ave. Lot 12 | .63 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Kuliesis, Joanna J. & West, Robert F. | | | |
| 97 Belmont St. Lot 3-4 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Kundicz, Richard J. & Isabel P. | | | |
| 254 North Elm St. Lot 9-10 | .17 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Kwash, Robert R. & Maureen R. | | | |
| 21 Brewster Rd. Lot 6-33 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Kyhn, Alice, Est. of | | | |
| 107 Matfield St. Lot 24, 25, 26 | 8.32 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,122.00 |
| Kyhn, Jean C. | | | |
| 107 Matfield St. | | | |
| Matfield St. Lot 12, 13 | 4.18 A. Land | | 242.00 |
| LaBella, Anthony & Theresa M. | | | |
| 178 Forest St. Lot 4-7 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,152.80 |
| LaBrache, Francis W. & G. Marie | | | |
| 76 Bedford St. Lot 7-3, 7-9C | 1.19 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| LaCerde, John A. & Claire M. | | | |
| 212 Forest St. Lot 4-2 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| LaCroix, Emile G. & Mary M. | | | |
| 35 Plain St. Lot 12-3 | .61 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| LaCrosse, Donald E. & Joycelyn L. | | | |
| 42 Highland Ave. Lot 7-5 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Lalli, Charles B. | | | |
| 1340 W. Pleasant St., Brockton | | | |
| off Plain St. Lot 6, 10 | 2.08 A. Land | | 308.00 |

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| Lamoureux, Paul L. & Doris | | | |
| 26 West Center St. | | | |
| 17 West Center St. Lot 81-1, 29-2 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 990.00 |
| Lampos, Paul T. | | | |
| 46 Westwood Ave., Brockton | | | |
| 347 Manley St. Lot 25-6 | 5.65 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 | 25,740.00 |
| Landreville, Joseph M. Sr. & Lylia | | | |
| 165 Turnpike St. Lot 16-6 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Landry, George N. & Delores A. | | | |
| 2 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-43 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Lange, Francis T. Jr. & Sandra | | | |
| 17 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-8 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,113.20 |
| Langer, Robert A. & Rosemarie M. | | | |
| 548 Manley St. Lot 2-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| Langley, Arthur F. & Rita M. | | | |
| 27 Wendell Ave. Lot 55 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 880.00 |
| Lannon, George W. & Sandra J. | | | |
| 24 Walnut St. Lot 4-4 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 880.00 |
| LaPerle, Silva L. & Angelina H. | | | |
| 171 Ash St. Lot 6-7 | .90 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| Larson, Warren & Ruth L. | | | |
| 70 Forest St. Lot 6-1 | 4.03 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 2,068.00 |
| Latremouille, James E. & Sharon M. | | | |
| 630 North Main St. Lot 4-1 | .38 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 924.00 |
| Laughton, Warren P. & Elaine | | | |
| 110 North Main St. Lot 16 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,188.00 |
| Lawson, Lloyd V. & Barbara H. | | | |
| 60 Walnut St. Lot 6-3, 6-2A | .40 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 946.00 |
| Lawson, Myron R. & Meredith A. | | | |
| 289 Matfield St. Lot 72, 73-13 | .66 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| Lawson, Myrtle F. | | | |
| 433 Spring St. Lot 50-1 | .53 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Lawson, Wendall O. & Vera E. | | | |
| 77 Walnut St. Lot 13, 14 | 6.55 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 11 | 15.95 A. Land | | 352.00 |
| Leach, David S. & Jeanne D. | | | |
| 540 North Elm St. Lot 34-7 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 981.20 |
| Leach, David T. & Muriel F. | | | |
| 1 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-6 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,650.00 |
| Leavitt, Stuart E. & Dale | | | |
| 104 Prospect St. Lot 19 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Leavitt, Winfield C. & Trohon, | | | |
| Ethelyn R. & William H. | | | |
| 70 North Main St. Lot 25-1 | .32 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 880.00 |
| LeBaron, Francis & Myrtiedeanne | | | |
| 255 East St. Lot 7-2, 9, 10 | 3.12 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Ledin, William H. & Judith A. | | | |
| 500 East St. Lot 34-1 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Lee, Mary K. | | | |
| 214 Copeland St. Lot 8-4, 8-5 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | | 858.00 |
| Legault, Alfred A. & Marie I. | | | |
| 56 Pleasant St. Lot 9-2 | .68 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 858.00 |
| Legge, Robert W. & Marilyn E. | | | |
| 870 West Center St. Lot 4-1 | 3.90 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Leighton, Douglas W. & Charlene M. | | | |
| 91 River St. Lot 8, 8-1 | 2.18 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,848.00 |

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| Lemieux, Louis E. & R. Yvone Park 60 Crescent St., Duxbury off South St. Lot 19 | 8.96 A. Land | 198.00 |
| off Maple St. Lot 97 | 48.21 A. Land | 1,056.00 |
| Lendh, Alton & Marjorie J. 47 Sunset Ave. Lot 18 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Lenehan, Howard J. & Vivian M. 438 East Center St. Lot 13-1 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Leonard, Charles E. & Muriel F. 11 Willow St. Lot 43 | 17.75 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,178.00 |
| 31 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 5 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| 154 & 156 North Main St. Lot 11 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,716.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 41 | 2.80 A. Land | 61.60 |
| North Main St. Lot 23 | 2.39 A. Land | 48.40 |
| North Main St. Lot 47 | 4.99 A. Land | 105.60 |
| North Main St. Lot 58 | 3.06 A. Land | 96.80 |
| North Main St. Lot 70 | 5.95 A. Land | 193.60 |
| Leonard, Donald H. & Caroline D. 34 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-21 | .48 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,056.00 |
| 275 East Center St. Lot 9-1B | 3.29 A. Land | 286.00 |
| Leonard, Donald M. 1 Live Oak Drive, South Easton West St. Lot 38-3 | 2.00 A. Land | 440.00 |
| West St. Lot 9 | 2.00 A. Land | 440.00 |
| West & Manley St. Lot 9-1 | 2.00 A. Land | 440.00 |
| Leonard, Richard A. & Mary L. 14 Timothy Drive Lot 5-18 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,804.00 |
| Leonard, Robert A. & Marion L. 7 Highland Ave. Lot 6-1 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| LePage, John J. & Patricia H. 70 Progressive Ave. Lot 6 | .94 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| LePage, Robert E. & Linda M. & White, Harriet L. 423 North Elm St. Lot 42-1, 42-3, 29-3 | 2.12 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| LePage, Ronald R. & Carolyn A. 465 East Center St. Lot 21 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Lepine, George J. Jr. & Eva M. 67 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-25 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Leslee Amusement Corp. 44 South St. Lot 5 | 18.40 A. Land & Bldg. | 3,832.00 |
| Lewis, Joseph C. & Eva 322 Manley St. Lot 29-4 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | 748.00 |
| Libby, Charles D. & Darleen 66 Pleasant St. Lot 8 | .24 A. Land & Bldgs. | 638.00 |
| Lightfoot, Austin R. & Meredith L. 41 Highland Ave. Lot 3 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Lincoln, Calvin E. & Myrtle G. 71 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 18 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 726.00 |
| Lincoln, Robert W. & Joanne 15 Buttonwood Ave. Lot 10 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Lincoln, Stephen B. Jr. & Janice M. 3 Shagbark Rd. Lot 1-2 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Lindberg, Charles R. & Beverly F. 201 Spring St. Lot 52-14 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Lindgren, Robert E. & Mary Jane 237 Forest St. Lot 5-4 | 2.99 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |

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| Lindquist, Claire M. 440 Walnut St. Lot 51-1 | 1.14 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Lindquist, George J. & Lorraine M. 30 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 16 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Lindskog, Harold O. & Elizabeth A. 69 Belmont St. Lot 4-1 | .75 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 990.00 |
| Lindstedt, Douglas S. & Mary F. 92 Copeland St. Lot 1-4 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Linehan, Joseph F. & Mary K. 26 Ellis Ave. Lot 11, 12 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| Littlehale, Scott H. & Diana C. 34 Cross St. Lot 4-5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Litwinczuk, Gertrude L. 50 Matfield St. Lot 5 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Livie, Gordon M. & Vivian J. 46 North Main St. Lot 26 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Lojko, Joseph P. Jr. & Eileen M. 5 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-5 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,452.00 |
| Loneragan, James E. & Ruth E. 17 Purchase St. Lot 2-11 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Long, Michael F. 10 Brooks Place Lot 12,13 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | | 880.00 |
| Lopes, Eugene D. 40 Pleasant St. Lot 27-1 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Lordan, Thomas C. Jr. & June M. 22 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-48 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,210.00 |
| Loring, Joseph & Mary A. 19 Vital Ave. Lot 4 | .12 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Lorray, Joseph J. & Mariann 141 Spring St. Lot 52-16 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Lorray, Mary J. 38 Sunset Ave. Lot 5 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Lothrop, Ervin G. 50 North Elm St. Lot 72-6 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Loughman, Arthur M. Jr. & Marion 46 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-58 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Lovell, Gordon M. & Virginia P. 16 Oliver St. Lot 4-8 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |
| Lubinski, Helen V. & Kaminski, Alice E. 53 Grant St. Lot 40-2, 40-3 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Luca, Gerald R. & Sally Ann 608 East St. Lot 29 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Lucchetti, Paul & Kathleen 159 Wilson St., Brockton Thayer Ave. Lot 22 | .26 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Luciano, Pasqualina 327 South Main St. Lot 7 | 6.94 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Lucier, Mildred H. 11 Ellis Ave. Lot 1-1 | .17 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Lucier, Mildred H. & Swan, Richard L. 11 Ellis Ave. West Center St. Lot 69 | .15 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 | 1,201.20 |
| Luce, Arvin A., c/o Mrs. David Barstow 129 Hudson St., Somerville off Howard St. Lot 79-1 | .98 A. Land | | 176.00 |

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| Lucier, William E. & Mary E. | | |
| 75 Pleasant St. Lot 3-4 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 3 | 1.40 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Lucini, Albert D. & Kathleen | | |
| 342 South Main St. Lot 6-3 | 1.10 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Lucini, Augustino M. & Josephine M. | | |
| 425 South Main St. Lot 2-1 | 1.32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Lucini, Corina | | |
| 365 South Main St. Lot 8-3 | .15 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,029.60 |
| Lucini, Julian E. & Kathryn K. | | |
| 330 South Main St. Lot 6-2 | 9.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,738.00 |
| Lucini, Julian E., Augustino M. | | |
| Albert D. & Hallisey, Ann T. | | |
| 330 South Main St. | | |
| 45 Keenan St. Lot 2-1A, 2-1B | 2.92 A. Land & Bldg. | 976.80 |
| Lucini, Motor Sales Inc. | | |
| 367 South Main St. Lot 8-2 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,428.80 |
| Lucini Realty Inc. | | |
| 370 South Main St. Lot 6 | 6.72 A. Land & Bldg. | 9,438.00 |
| 375 South Main St. Lot 1 | 1.10 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,201.20 |
| Keenan St. Lot 2, 3 | 1.92 A. Land & Bldg. | 264.00 |
| Lucini Corp, William E. | | |
| 375 South Main St. | | 220.00 |
| Ludwig, Elvin C. & Dorothy C. | | |
| 135 North Elm St. Lot 5-1 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Lundgren, Howard S. & Grace I. | | |
| 121 Belmont St., East Bridgewater | | |
| Belmont St. Lot 103 | 5.21 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Belmont St. Lot 10 | 3.19 A. Land | 66.00 |
| Lundquist, Harold W. & Anna I. | | |
| 189 Copeland St. Lot 4-7 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Lunn, Clarence, c/o F. C. Mercier | | |
| 34 Rochelle St., Brockton | | |
| off Turnpike St. Lot 6 | .18 A. Land | 39.60 |
| Lydon, Thomas J. & Helen M. | | |
| 139 North Elm St. Lot 10-11 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Lynch, Francis J. & Evelyn M. | | |
| 189 Matfield St. Lot 20-1, 20-1A | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Lynch, John J. & Barbara J. | | |
| 165 Pine St. Easton | | |
| 480 West St. Lot 3, 4-1, 4-2, 6-1 | 15.25 A. Land & Bldgs. | 3,784.00 |
| 715 North Main St. Lot 57, 50-4, 92 | 14.26 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,515.80 |
| North Main St. Lot 52 | 5.61 A. Land | 123.20 |
| North Main St. Lot 55 | 3.26 A. Land | 70.40 |
| Lynch, John T. & Anna L. | | |
| 69 South Elm St. Lot 20 | 8.52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Lynch, Joseph F. & Alice V. | | |
| 120 Matfield St. Lot 12-2 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Lynch, Thomas C. | | |
| 14 Ellis Ave. Lot 15 | .22 A. Land & Bldgs. | 946.00 |
| Lyon, Harold S. Jr. | | |
| 35 Ashley Drive, East Bridgewater | | |
| Howard St. Lot 7B | 7.62 A. Land | 440.00 |
| Lyons, Michael F. & Mary | | |
| 90 Howard St. Lot 79-3 | .31 A. Land & Bldgs. | 968.00 |

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| MacDonald, Edward J. & Kenneth, Trustee | | |
| KENED Realty Trust | | |
| 90 Pleasant St. Lot 62-1 | 26.15 A. Land & Bldgs. | 17,996.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 9-1 | 1.69 A. Land | 369.60 |
| MacDonald, Marion S. | | |
| 35 East Center St. Lot 35 | 9.13 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,398.00 |
| MacDonald, John H. & Marjorie H. | | |
| 51 River St. Lot 10 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| MacDonald, Richard G. | | |
| 369 East Center St. Lot 25, 25-1 | 3.12 A. Land & Bldgs. | 2,068.00 |
| Mace, George A. & Mary A. | | |
| 185 Spring St. Lot 52-6 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldgs. | 827.20 |
| MacGibbon, Donald C. & Lois E. | | |
| 660 North Main St. Lot 4-3 | .71 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| MacHardy, Francis X. & Mary L. | | |
| 470 Matfield St. Lot 104 | 1.65 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| MacIver, Donald L. & Mary L. | | |
| 145 Bedford St. Lot 1-7, 1-16 | .81 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| MacKenzie, Richard A. | | |
| 288 North Elm St. Lot 25-11 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 660.00 |
| MacKenzie, Ronald F. & Donna L. | | |
| 34 South Elm St. Lot 24 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 704.00 |
| MacLean, Douglas A. & Janet M. | | |
| 31 Hillside Ave. Lot 5 | .22 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| MacLean, Malcolm A. & Priscilla A. | | |
| 268 North Elm St. Lot 25-7 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| MacLellan, Daniel & Judith E. | | |
| 8 Purchase St. Lot 2-3 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| MacMullen, Donald G. & Gwendolyn S. | | |
| 42 Brooks Place Lot 18, 19, 20 | .89 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,012.00 |
| MacQuinn, Barbara F. | | |
| 40 Ash St. Lot 3 | 3.91 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,320.00 |
| Maculewicz, William Jr. | | |
| 75 Spring St., East Bridgewater | | |
| 97 Brooks Place Lot 9-1 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| MacWilliams, Benjamin H. Jr. & Shirley | | |
| 376 North Elm St. Lot 15-1, 15-6 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| MacWilliams, Robert W. | | |
| 196 Alden St., Duxbury | | |
| 415 North Elm St. Lot 29-1, 42 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,156.00 |
| Madan, Doris May | | |
| 104 Turnpike St. Lot 7 | 1.98 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Madden, Leo T. | | |
| 18 Thayer Ave. Lot 1-1 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Madden, Thomas L. | | |
| 102 Matfield St., East Bridgewater | | |
| Matfield St. Lot 82-1 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 8.80 |
| Magee, Frederic L. & Carlene J. | | |
| 148 Turnpike St. Lot 13 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Maglathlin, Adele B. | | |
| 16 Howard St. Lot 24, 80-1 | .61 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Mailloux, Henry M. & Marie-Claire | | |
| 30 Keenan St. Lot 8-5 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| Main, James | | |
| 26 Norman Ave. Lot 18-7 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |

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| Maker, Maxwell M. & Louise R. 540 Manley St. Lot 2-1 | 21.44 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,266.00 |
| Maloney, Francis W. & Barbara 20 West St. Lot 36 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Maloney, Joseph J. & Mabel K. 273 South St. Lot 15-2 | 2.24 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Manchester, Clyde H. & Ruth H. 27 Walnut St. Lot 8, 10-1 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Manchester, Edna J., c/o Ralph Manchester 136 Turnpike St., Easton Manley St. Lot 21-1 | 3.89 A. Land | 83.60 |
| Mandeville, Arthur W. & Jeanette J. 20 Scotland St. Lot 13-3 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Mandeville, Richard K. & Janet L. 234 South Elm St. Lot 9-1B | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Mann, John J. Jr. & Joan F. 45 Brewster Blvd. | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Mansfield, David F. Jr. & Nancy M. 25 Aldrich Rd. Lot 20-7 | .43 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,342.00 |
| Mansulla, Anthony J. 603 Montello St., Brockton 734 North Main St. Lot 3-2 North Main St. Lot 3-1, 4-1A | .44 A. Land & Bldg. 4.95 A. Land & Bldgs. | 704.00 2,002.00 |
| Manugian, Michael & Alice M. 16 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-7, 1-7A | 1.67 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,452.00 |
| Manzer, Neil R. & Elizabeth A. 123 Turnpike St. Lot 10-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Manzer, Ronald A. & Lois M. 147 Turnpike St. Lot 11-1 | .17 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Manzer, Winifred 129 Turnpike St. Lot 10 Turnpike St. Lot 11 129 Turnpike St. Lot 17-1 | 5.87 A. Land & Bldg. 2.06 A. Land 4.00 A. Land | 1,210.00 198.00 88.00 |
| Maraglia, William V. & Roberta G. 123 South St. Lot 12 | 1.92 A. Land | 880.00 |
| Marble, Charles A. & Catherine E. 108 Union St. Lot 11 Union St. Lot 77 | 4.00 A. Land & Bldgs. 18.47 A. Land | 1,056.00 396.00 |
| Marble, Charles A. & Louis T. Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater Thayer Ave. Lot 26, 27 | .23 A. Land | 79.20 |
| Marci's Inc. 105 Copeland St. Lot 13, 13-1 Rear's 103 Copeland St. Lot 14 off Copeland St. Lot 12-1 | 1.06 A. Land & Bldgs. 1.82 A. Land .40 A. Land | 2,684.00 39.60 11.00 |
| Marganian, Vahe & Linda J. 49 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-14, 1-14A | 1.62 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,694.00 |
| Maroney, William P. & Marie G. 130 Bedford St. Lot 3-5 | .63 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Marsh, Ian J. & Karen M. 50 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-85 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |

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| Marshall, George | | | |
| Star Route, Bethel Maine | | | |
| 636 North Elm St. Lot 35-2 | .58 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| North Elm St. Lot 35-3, 36 | .79 A. Land | | 176.00 |
| 71 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 34-1 | 2.33 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Martelli, Joseph J. | | | |
| 590 East St. Lot 34-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| Martelli, Reno P. & Marion V. | | | |
| 393 Matfield St. Lot 87-2 | 1.25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Martelli, Reno P. & Pearl V. | | | |
| 393 Matfield St. Lot 11 | | | |
| 22 Sinnott St. Lot 11 | .68 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 814.00 |
| Martelli, Victor & Asunta | | | |
| 625 East St. Lot 4 | .81 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Martin, John L. & Arleen C. | | | |
| 30 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-80 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| Martin, Richard F. & Anthina R. | | | |
| 430 East Center St. Lot 13-3A, 13-2 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| | Trailer | | 220.00 |
| Marzelli, Emma M. | | | |
| 21 Spring St. Lot 56 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Masefield, Kerry & Maureen A. | | | |
| 5 Timothy Drive Lot 5-10 | .72 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,694.00 |
| Mason, Allan C. & Alice G. | | | |
| 92 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-22 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,716.00 |
| Mather, George, Trustee MAT Realty | | | |
| 600 North Main St. Lot 4,5 | 1.21 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,452.00 |
| Mather, Timothy C. & Marilyn R. | | | |
| 88 Bedford St. Lot 7-1 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Matta, Gary J. & Joanne | | | |
| 147 Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater | | | |
| Thayer Ave. Lot 23 | .22 A. Land | | 74.80 |
| Matta, Lillian | | | |
| 220 North Main St., Brockton | | | |
| 233 Matfield St. Lot 73-2 | .24 A. Land | | 132.00 |
| Matthews, Frank E. Jr. & Rosemarie | | | |
| 248 Spring St. Lot 26-5 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Mattie, Angelo E. & Mary L. | | | |
| 229 Matfield St. Lot 73-24 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 176.00 | 1,980.00 |
| Maturo, William J. & Jeanne B. | | | |
| 45 Hartshorn Rd. Lot 6-68 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| Mazza, Matthew & Elinor R. | | | |
| 154 Matfield St. Lot 15-1 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| McAndrew, Thomas J. & Joan M. | | | |
| 42 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-27 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,210.00 |
| McCabe, James F. & Helen I. | | | |
| 277 Spring St. Lot 17-6 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| McCaffrey, Francis, & Hope M. | | | |
| 285 East St. Lot 8 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| McCann, James I. | | | |
| 115 Thayer Ave., East Bridgewater | | | |
| 85 Thayer Ave. Lot 17 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 858.00 |
| McCann, Joseph F. & Ruth M. | | | |
| 22 High St. Lot 7 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | | 660.00 |
| McCann, Thomas A. & Meredith D. | | | |
| 196 West Center St. Lot 69-6 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 770.00 |

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| McCann, William J. & Bernice M. 137 Bedford St. Lot 1-9, 1-20 | 1.49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| McCarthy, Frederick J. & Florence E. 76 Crescent St. Lot 23-2 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| McCarthy, Timothy E. 4 Oliver St. Lot 4-5 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| McCormick, Rosella 160 South Main St. Lot 13-2 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| McDonald, Gordon A. & Ina M. 61 South Elm St. Lot 20-2 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| McDonough, Patrick V. & Eileen H. 437 North Elm St. Lot 41-2, 41-3 | 1.17 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| McDougal, Albert A. Jr. & Ilse E. 186 Forest St. Lot 4-9 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| McFadden, Robert E. & Bernice O. 55 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-22 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| McFarlan, Robert W. & Willis, Iva N., McFarlan, Marjorie E. L.T. 387 Crecent St. Lot 27 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| West & Crescent St. Lot 25-1 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 22.00 |
| McGarry, Matthew E. & Mary Ruth 21 Emerson Ave. Lot 3, 4 | .60 A. Land & Bldgs. | 836.00 |
| McGarry, Stephen J. Jr. & Mary Louise 10 Timothy Drive Lot 5-17 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,540.00 |
| McGlaston, Eula S. 262 South Main St. Lot 5-3, 5-4 | 2.88 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,284.80 |
| South Main St. Lot 5-3 | Trailer | 506.00 |
| McGonigle, Daniel V. 380 South Elm St. Lot 6-2 | .44 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,606.00 |
| McGranachan, Gerard L. & Juanita 289 South St. Lot 18 | 19.93 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,364.00 |
| McGuigan, James A. & Therese I. 59 Prospect St. Lot 4-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| McGunnigle, John E. & Linda 34 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-81 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| McIntyre, John A. & Barbara L. 126 Belmont St. Lot 12-1 | .72 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,188.00 |
| McKearney, Donald & Claire A. 15 Sinnott St. Lot 8 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| McLeod, Frank T. Jr. & Barbara E. 131 West St. Lot 22-2 | 1.18 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |
| 111 West St. Lot 22 | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | 501.60 1,078.00 |
| McMahon, Paul & Catherine I. 260 Crescent St. Lot 2 | 7.57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,496.00 |
| McMahon, Richard H. & Elizabeth C. 324 Walnut St. Lot 23-1 | .16 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| McMakin, Lena G. 10 Merritt St. Lot 16 | .43 A. Land & Bldgs. | 924.00 |
| McMann, William M. & Jacqueline L. 32 Wendell Ave. Lot 56, 58 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 726.00 |
| McMorrow, Joseph L. & Dora M. 13 Pleasant St. Lot 1 | 2.24 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 17-1 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 352.00 |
| McMullen, Thomas A. & Rochefort, Diane M. 23 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-2B | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |

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| McNally, Philip P. 380 Central St. East Bridgewater Plain St. Lot 8-2 | 2.56 A. Land | | 83.60 |
| McNeil, Daniel W. & Barbara J. 330 Spring St. Lot 64, 41-1 | .72 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 | 1,034.00 |
| McPhail, Peter M. & Sylvia J. 24 Maolis Ave. Lot 25-1 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Meade, David F. Jr. & Judith M. 126 Prospect St. Lot 22, 23A | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Meadows, Robert E. & Marie A. 76 Prospect St. Lot 24 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Meal, James D. & Diane M. 65 Pleasant St. Lot 3-1 | 3.28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Meaney, Thomas F. & Janis L. 66 Prospect St. Lot 13 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Meaney, Thomas J. & Marilyn L. 218 South St. Lot 8-4 | .63 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Mehl, William L. & Sandra M. 384 West Center St. Lot 58-2 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Melendy, Clyde J. Sr. & Arlene 85 Walnut St. Lot 14-2, 15 | 1.06 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Mendes, David J. & Joan A. 368 South Elm St. Lot 6-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| South Elm St. Lot 7-5 | .43 A. Land | | 110.00 |
| Merlino, Priscilla M. 148 North Main St. Lot 12 | .54 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Merola, Paul & Laura 55 Bryant St. Lot 5-3 | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,496.00 |
| 12 South St. Lot 1-2, 1-3 | 1.83 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,459.60 |
| Merrey, Robina 30 Charles St. Lot 5 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | | 594.00 |
| Merrill, Charles F. Jr. & Theresa F. 58 South Elm St. Lot 23 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Merritt, George O. & Janet 195 Lincoln St. Lot 2-1 | 2.22 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,364.00 |
| Merzi, James F. & Elizabeth 78 Forest St. Lot 7-1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Metcalf, Ronald E. & June C. 268 River St. Lot 2-1 | 2.71 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Meurling, George A. & Maria A. 109 Copeland St. Lot 12 | .55 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 836.00 |
| Micciantuono, Jon P. & Joyce P. 17 Timothy Drive Lot 5-13 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,672.00 |
| Michael, William G. & Virginia T. 369 North Elm St. Lot 22 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| Michelson, Harry R. & Charles L., Trustees Michelson Realty Trust 146 High St., Hingham | | | |
| 763 West Center St. Lot 12 | 24.08 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 6,006.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 22 | 1.22 A. Land | | 26.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 6 | 6.17 A. Land | | 162.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 7 | 5.40 A. Land | | 140.80 |
| West Center St. Lot 11 | 6.76 A. Land | | 220.00 |
| West Center St. Lot 21 | 10.88 A. Land | | 220.00 |
| off Pleasant St. Lot 26 | 6.19 A. Land | | 132.00 |

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| Michelson, Harry R. & Charles L., Trustees Michelson Realty Trust (Cont.) 146 High St., Hingham South Main St. Lot 17-1 Pleasant St. Lot 12 | 16.00 A. Land 1.69 A. Land | 660.00 35.20 |
| Migliorini, Bruno L. & Judith Ames 286 South St. Lot 20-2 | .44 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,188.00 |
| Milan, John F. & Kathleen R. 141 West St. Lot 20-5 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Milcendeau, Paul & Olivera 25 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 3, 4 | 1.34 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Milcendeau, Yann P.O. Box No. 307 | | 132.00 |
| Miles, Howard G. & Ruth M. 404 Crescent St. Lot 34 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Miller, Emmett S. & Agnes M. 420 Crescent St. Lot 12 | .94 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Miller, Frank S. & Betty A. 32 Spring St. Lot 59-2 Spring St. Lot 59-1 | 6.00 A. Land & Bldg. 3.00 A. Land | 1,386.00 66.00 |
| Miller, George A. & Frances M. 331 West Center St. Lot 6 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Millet, Charles S. & Helen S. 312 East St. Lot 43 | 1.85 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| Miskinis, Robert W. & Carol J. 393 Ash St. Lot 1-1 436 South Main St. Lot 1 12 Milebrook Rd. Lot 17-11 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. .64 A. Land & Bldg. .56 A. Land | 858.00 1,342.00 242.00 |
| Mitchell, George H. & Beverly A. 208 West Center St. Lot 69-3 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Mitchell, Howard I. 314 South St. Lot 17-4 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Mitchell, Thomas E. & Elizabeth M. 49 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-40 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Mitchell, Wayne H. & Sharon 249 North Elm St. Lot 12-6 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Mold Makers, Inc. 175 Broadway, Taunton 197 West St. Lot 14 | 5.91 A. Land | 1,276.00 |
| Molla, Ernest & Margaret Wall St., Bridgewater 634 East St. Lot 1-1 | .17 A. Land & Bldgs. | 660.00 |
| Molla, Margaret M. & Martelli, Frank Wall St., Bridgewater off East St. Lot 6 off East St. Lot 8 | .22 A. Land .18 A. Land | 17.60 13.20 |
| Molla, Margaret M. & Ernest J. Jr. Wall St., Bridgewater off East St. Lot 7 off East St. Lot 9 | .36 A. Land .22 A. Land | 22.00 13.20 |
| Monahan, Herbert F. & Dorothy M. 283 West Center St. Lot 72-7 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Mondeau, Roy H. & Brenda L. 325 Crescent St. Lot 6-1, 6-2 Crescent St. Lot 6-3 | 1.55 A. Land & Bldgs. 1.48 A. Land | 1,672.00 176.00 |

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| Moneghan, Katherine E. | | | |
| 190 Copeland St. Lot 3-1 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | 418.00 | 1,210.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 75-1 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,059.20 |
| Monsini, Joseph F. & Josephine M. | | | |
| 351 Manley St. Lot 25-4 | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Montaup Electric Co., Inc. | | | |
| P.O. Box 391, Fall River | | 5,297.60 | |
| Maple St. Lot 67-1, 72-1, 72-2 | 3.57 A. Land | | 785.40 |
| West Center St. Lot 41 | 6.86 A. Land | | 1,496.00 |
| Maple St., Lot 10 | 7.65 A. Land | | 1,683.00 |
| Maple St. Lot 6 | 7.33 A. Land | | 1,606.00 |
| off Maple St. Lot 15 | 2.45 A. Land | | 539.00 |
| Moore, Frank W. & Ethel A. | | | |
| 220 West Center St. Lot 69-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Moore, Olive M. | | | |
| 25 Emerson Ave. Lot 5, 6 | .61 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 792.00 |
| Moore, Robert W. | | | |
| 1000 Main St., Brockton | | | |
| 220 Walnut St. Lot 28 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | | 352.00 |
| Morehardt, Peter J. & Marjorie E. | | | |
| 161 Turnpike St. Lot 16-5, 16-7 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Moreira, Eldon F. & Madeline M. | | | |
| 30 Grant St. Lot 8 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Moreira, Joseph S. & Emma C. | | | |
| 139 Copeland St. Lot 3, 4, 5 | 2.48 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,100.00 |
| Morey, Disney A. & Lula E. | | | |
| 230 South Elm St. Lot 10-1 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Moroni, Leo E. & Marie L. | | | |
| 199 Forest St. Lot 5, 5-3 | 6.89 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,210.00 |
| Morrison, John A. Jr. & Nancy J. | | | |
| 424 Forest St. Lot 109-6 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Morrison, Lawrence J. & Evelyn W. | | | |
| 118 Spring St. Lot 57-5 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Morrison, Peter L. & Nancy L. | | | |
| 23 Progressive Ave. Lot 2-5 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Morse, Blanche M. | | | |
| 243 South St. Lot 16-3 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Morse, Grace R. | | | |
| 607 East St. Lot 17 | 29.43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,606.00 |
| Morse, Harland A. & Vivian F. | | | |
| 272 Matfield St. Lot 55 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| Morse, Harold J. & Edna M. | | | |
| 589 East St. Lot 25-2 | 2.60 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Morse, Thornton G. | | | |
| 601 East St. Lot 17-1 | 1.32 A. Land & Bldg. | | 704.00 |
| Mortarelli, Dalfina | | | |
| 117 Bedford St. Lot 6-1, 6-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 770.00 |
| Mosses, Harrison C. & Gertrude | | | |
| 145 Matfield St. Lot 22 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Mucci, Alvero A., Est. Of | | | |
| 30 Chester Ave., Brockton | | | |
| West Center St. Lot 14-1, 18, 19, 20 | 24.53 A. Land | | 5,368.00 |
| Muchenthaler, Florian A. & Elizabeth | | | |
| 14 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-76 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Mulcahy, Edwin A. & Hazel H. | | | |
| 402 North Elm St. Lot 16 | .14 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |

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| Murad, Richard J. & Helen L. 364 Walnut St. Lot 23-3 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | | 660.00 |
| Murch, Kenneth C. & LeRoux, Rita A. 36 Plain St. Lot 4-5 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Murphy, Albert J. & Mary R. 121 South Main St. Lot 10-2 | .91 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,716.00 |
| Murphy, Donald E. & Ann P. 417 Matfield St. Lot 87 | 1.68 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Murphy, Ellen L. 51 Bryant St. Lot 5-5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Murphy, Kathleen H. 2 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-73 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Murphy, William J. & Catherine L. 173 West Center St. Lot 75-3 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| Murphy, William J. & Dorothy M. 234 North Elm St. Lot 9-6, 9-7, 15 | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Murray, James 238 South St. | | | |
| 236 South St. Lot 8-4 | 1.47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| off Bedford St. Lot 1-13 | 4.48 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| South St. Lot 16-1 | .66 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| Murray, James & Anne 238 South St. Lot 8-10 | 1.07 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,628.00 |
| Murray, John J. & Helen J. 34 Columbus Ave. Lot 5 | 4.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Murray, Paul C. & Hilary A. 258 Pleasant St. Lot 53-1 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,056.00 |
| Murray, Richard W. 34 Columbus Ave. | | | |
| Columbus Ave. Lot 4-1 | .58 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| Murray, William J. & Marie C. 196 Howard St. Lot 7-1, 7-2 | .96 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| McMorrow, Joseph L. & Dora M. 13 Pleasant St. | | | |
| Pleasant St. Lot 1-1 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 154.00 |
| N & D Realty Corp. 136 Lincoln St. Lot 10 | 15.50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,640.00 |
| Nadeau, Roland L. & M. Beverly 392 Pleasant St. Lot 75-1, 75-2 | 5.40 A. Land & Bldg. | 176.00 | 1,342.00 |
| Nelson, A. Stuart & Phyllis M. 293 North Elm St. Lot 26-11 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Nelson, Carl H. & Ruth M. 60 Prospect St. Lot 12 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Nelson, Elizabeth W. & Johnson, Laurel A. 365 Spring St. Lot 47 | 2.77 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,188.00 |
| Nelson, Frank W. Jr. & Pearl E. 451 Walnut St. Lot 50 | 1.02 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,298.00 |
| Nelson, Harry E. & Helen A. 253 South St. Lot 16-6 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Nelson, John S. & Mary A. 8 Arch St. Lot 4-1 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Nelson, Mary E. 238 North Elm St. Lot 9-8 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Nelson, Robert L. & Walter E. & Everett G. Rear of 35 Plain St. Lot 12-1 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Nelson, Walborg E. 67 Thayer Ave. Lot 9 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |

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| Ness, Herbert W. Jr. & Judith A. 23 Woodland Rd. Lot 15-3 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co. c/o W. H. Thomae 230 Congress St., Boston Bedford St. Lot 1-2A | .23 A. Land | 29,774.80 330.00 |
| Newgate Corp. 1459 Main St., Springfield 393 Manley St. Lot 24 | 10.61 A. Land & Bldg. | 45,207.80 |
| Newman, Donald E. & Christine B. 135 Prospect St. Lot 1 | 2.57 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Newman, Ronald B. & Jeanne 13 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-31 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Nickerson, Albert E. & Helen F. 47 Plain St. Lot 12-2, 12-4 | 1.76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Nickerson, Bradford A. & Dorothy A. 25 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-34 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Nickerson, Frank E. & Ruth S. 621 North Elm St. Lot 38-5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,518.00 |
| Nickerson, Frank R. & Jeanne A. 182 Forest St. Lot 4-8 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Nickerson, Kenneth C. & Constance A. 23 Vital Ave. Lot 5 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Nickerson, William E. & Ruth K. 21 Cross St. Lot 1 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Nihan, Lee J. & Arlene F. 93 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-20 | 1.49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Nolan, Virginia A. 61 Howard St. Lot 5 | 1.39 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Noonan, John P., Trustee Linden Trust 436 West St. Lot 7-2 | 3.06 A. Land & Bldg. | 5,676.00 |
| Norcross, James R. & Gail P. 20 Arch St. Lot 1 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Nordgren, Robert W. & Mary A. 481 Spring St. Lot 40, 40-5 | 6.20 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Norris, Beatrice M. 445 Spring St. Lot 50-2, 50-4 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Norris, Eliza A. 519 Spring St. Lot 40-6 | 1.83 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Norris, Joseph 519 Spring St. Stony Rd. Lot 1 | 10.08 A. Land | 220.00 |
| Norris, Richard E. 51 North Main St. Lot 33, 30-2 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| Norrman, Arno R. & Mary H. 10 Columbus Ave., North Easton 11 Walnut St. Lot 10 | 1.72 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| North, Wilfred W. & Lucille C. 67 Ash St. Lot 6-4 Ash St. Lot 15, 15-1 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. .43 A. Land | 968.00 132.00 |
| Noyes, George I. & Rena E. 449 Spring St. Lot 50-3 | .17 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Noyes, John W. & Fay P. 267 Spring St. Lot 17-8 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Noyes, Lester H. & Barbara A. 11 Progressive Ave. Lot 50-7, 50-8, 50-5 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |

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| Noyes, William W. & Mamie R. 455 Spring St. Lot 50-6 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Noyes, William W. Jr. & June L. 376 Spring St. Lot 46-2 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Nystrom, Theodore F. 93 Crescent St. Lot 21-1 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Oakdale Packing Co., Inc. 378 Pleasant St., East Bridgewater off Belmont St. Lot 11-1A | .28 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Oakhem, Robert A. Jr. & Carol A. 408 Crescent St. Lot 35 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 954.80 |
| O'Bannon, Walter H. & Irene 24 Woodland Rd. Lot 14-3 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| O'Brien, Arthur H. & Dorothy F. 32 Plain St. Lot 4-4 | .45 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| O'Brien, Charles A. & Helen L. 60 Plain St. Lot 5-1 | .97 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| O'Brien, Daniel F. & Evelyn M. 197 Copeland St. Lot 4-11 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| O'Brien, Daniel F. Jr. & Carol M. 17 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-32 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| O'Brien, John D. & Joanne R. 18 Hazel St., Brockton 24 Tiffany Circle Lot 43-32 | .83 A. Land | 198.00 |
| O'Connor, Joseph F. Jr. & Carol Ann 102 Lincoln St. Lot 8 | 5.85 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| O'Connor, Joseph F. Jr. & Carol Ann 102 Lincoln St. Lot 8 | Trailer | 330.00 |
| O'Connor, Robert S. & Rita 22 Crescent St. Lot 24-2 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Office Holding Trust, Trustees Brenton, Frank, Zaff, Alan & Reynolds, Thomas 321 Manley St. Lot 25-8 Manley St. Lot 25, 49-1, 52-1 | 11.22 A. Land & Bldg. 12.07 A. Land | 28,600.00 2,640.00 |
| Ohlson, Carl R. Jr. & Marjorie A. 157 Spring St. Lot 52-9 | 1.37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,188.00 |
| Ohlson, Lance & Joan M. 34 Keenan St. Lot 8-4 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Ohlson, Richard B. & Cheryl 297 Crescent St. Lot 5-3 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Ohlson, Sumner H. & Catherine M. 116 Prospect St. Lot 21 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Ohman, Emil H. & Ethel S. 5 Norman Ave. Lot 18-17 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Okerstrom, Lars O. 92 Prospect St. Lot 17 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Olive, Richard D. Jr. & Catherine J. 26 Emerson Ave. Lot 7, 8 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Olivieri, John K. & Barbara J. 17 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-61 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| Olson, C. Kenneth & Barbara 111 Prospect St. Lot 1-2A | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |

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| Olson, Lawrence E. & Marjorie E. 431 North Elm St. Lot 41-5 | .59 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 946.00 |
| Olson, Sigyn 314 Matfield St. Lot 64 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Olson, Walter R. & Eleanor J. 15 Prospect St. Lot 11 | .74 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,144.00 |
| Oman, Kenneth D. & Lillian A. 131 Matfield St. Lot 23 | 1.49 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 924.00 |
| O'Neil, John J. & Kathleen 111 Crescent St. Lot 11-4 | 2.17 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| O'Neil, Robert F. & Marcia E. 22 Progressive Ave. Lot 3-9 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Onulak, Kathryn & June A. 25 Belmont St. Lot 7-1 | 2.09 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,012.00 |
| Orlando, Albert J. & Geraldine A. 130 Copeland St. Lot 3-7 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| O'Rourke, Donald B. 50 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-8 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Ortenzi, Armand & Sylvia M. 154 Pleasant St., East Bridgewater 246 Matfield St. Lot 52-1 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Osborne, Galen E. & Marie A. 15 Thayer Ave. Lot 83-1 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| O'Shaughnessy, Thomas F. & Dorothy J. 25 Hillside Ave. Lot 4 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| O'Sullivan, Jeremiah, & Marion E. 28 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 15-3 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Oswell, Margaret S. 160 Matfield St. Lot 15, 16 | 4.65 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Oteri, John D. & Jeanette 59 Thayer Ave. Lot 7, 8, 10 | .89 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,408.00 |
| Ouderkirk, Merton H. & Barbara M. 300 West Center St. Lot 60, 20-1 | 36.20 A. Land & Bldgs. | 66.00 | 4,180.00 |
| South Elm St. Lot 20-9 | 1.65 A. Land | | 35.20 |
| Prospect St. Lot 1-2, 1-3 | 3.80 A. Land | | 123.20 |
| Prospect St. Lot 3 | .62 A. Land | | 17.60 |
| Prospect St. Lot 1-1B, 1-1A | 4.26 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| North Elm St. Lot 6-2B | 5.10 A. Land | | 110.00 |
| Owens, Mathew J. & Gladys M. 205 Copeland St. Lot 4-9 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Copeland St. Lot 4-10 | .20 A. Land | | 4.40 |
| Owens, R. F. Co., Inc. 12 Chandler Ave., Taunton | | | |
| East Center St. Lot 1 | 54.84 A. Land & Bldg. | | 12,355.20 |
| 63 East Center St. Lot 1-1 | 3.33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| East Center St. Lot 4 | 4.82 A. Land | | 1,056.00 |
| Packard, Grace 380 Spring St. Lot 46-1 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Packard, M. Frances 381 Spring St. Lot 47-2 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | | 858.00 |
| Packard, Richard K. & Ann C. 471 Matfield St. Lot 83 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Pagani, Arthur Faunce Mt. Rd., Sandwich 357 South Main St. Lot 8 | 6.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 220.00 | 2,974.40 |

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| Pagani, Arthur C. & Nando A., Trustees | | |
| Pagani Realty Trust | | |
| Faunce Mt. Rd., Sandwich | | |
| Stony Rd. Lot 3 | 37.84 A. Land | 1,038.40 |
| West Meadow (Spring St.) Lot 5 | 7.81 A. Land | 1,029.60 |
| Pagani, Arthur C. & E. Lorraine | | |
| Faunce Mt. Rd., Sandwich | | |
| Keenan St. Lot 8-1 | .50 A. Land | 147.40 |
| Pagani Realty Trust | | |
| Faunce Mt. Rd., Sandwich | | |
| 2-24 South Main St. Lot 5-1, 5-2, 5-3 | 1.55 A. Land & Bldg. | 9,152.00 |
| Palie, John J. & Joan E. | | |
| 4 Pamela Lane, Canton | | |
| West St., Lot 7-1 | 1.17 A. Land | 255.20 |
| 400 West St. Lot 7-4 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 9,636.00 |
| West St. Lot 7-5 | 3.30 A. Land | 726.00 |
| West St. Lot 7-3 | 4.50 A. Land | 990.00 |
| Palmieri, Matthew E. & Marie A. | | |
| 544 North Elm St. Lot 34-8 | .21 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Panello, Gloria | | |
| 321 North Main St. Lot 2-6 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| North Main St. Lot 2-1B | .86 A. Land | 352.00 |
| Panza, William F. & Darlene S. | | |
| 273 Spring St. Lot 17-7 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Paquette, Ernest F. & Florence M. | | |
| 687 North Main St. Lot 50-7 | .52 A. Land & Bldgs. | 990.00 |
| Packard, Ruby | | |
| 450 Walnut St. Lot 51-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Paquette, Robert L. & Carol J. | | |
| 268 Crescent St. Lot 2-8 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Paradise Land Development Invest. Corp. | | |
| 53 Paddock St., Bridgewater | | |
| Brooks Place Lot 8 | 14.28 A. Land | 462.00 |
| Brooks Place Lot 12 | 22.97 A. Land | 748.00 |
| Walnut St. Lot 60-2 | 7.00 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Samuel Ave. Lot 60-6 | .38 A. Land | 88.00 |
| Samuel Ave. Lot 60 | 132.79 A. Land | 4,378.00 |
| Parent, Kenneth W. & Marjorie A. | | |
| 73 Plain St. Lot 10-1 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Parenteau, Henry J. & Florence L. | | |
| 356 North Elm St. Lot 15-6 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Parker, Charles L. & Barbara E. | | |
| 253 Matfield St. Lot 71-2, 71-3, 73-16 | .64 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Parker, Frank E. & Evelyn D. | | |
| 138 East St. Lot 51 | 4.26 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,496.00 |
| 142 East St. Lot 51-1A | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| East St. Lot 13 | 7.66 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Union St. Lot 5 | 7.01 A. Land | 228.80 |
| Union St. Lot 8-1 | 3.17 A. Land | 101.20 |
| Union St. Lot 6-1, 6-2 | 1.40 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Union St. Lot 3 | .74 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Parker, Irene C. | | |
| 17 Walnut St. Lot 7-2, 7-4 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Paschal, William J. & Ann T. | | |
| 279 Pleasant St. Lot 65 | 2.81 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |

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| Patterson, Ralph E. & Beverly A. 86 Matfield St. Lot 9, 8-1 | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| Paulding, Lloyd I. & Florence L. 104 Copeland St. Lot 1-4B | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Paynter, Alfred F. & Margaret C. 389 East St. Lot 22-2 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Pazasis, Richard A. 9 Crescent St. Lot 32 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Pearson, M. Joel & Ellen E. 4 Crescent St. Lot 12-5 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Pederson, Ralph J. & Martha E. 21 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-9 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Penn Central Trans Co. c/o R. A. Short Tax Agent Philadelphia, Pa. off East St. Lot 1-1 | 1.41 A. Land | 6.60 |
| East St. Lot 1-1 | .19 A. Land | 1.10 |
| East St. Lot 2-1 | .37 A. Land | 2.64 |
| East St. Lot 13-1 | .22 | 2.20 |
| East St. Lot 51-1 | .53 A. Land | 4.40 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 78 | 6.25 A. Land | 202.40 |
| Matfield St. Lot 78 | .35 A. Land | 11.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 78 | 12.23 A. Land | 396.00 |
| Matfield St. Part of Lot 96 | .06 A. Land | 2.20 |
| Matfield St. Part of Lot 96 | .95 A. Land | 30.80 |
| off Matfield St. Lot 31-1 | .12 A. Land | 3.96 |
| off Thayer Ave. Lot 11-1 | .02 A. Land | .22 |
| Penney, Richard P. & Diane L. 294 Matfield St. Lot 57 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Pensinger, Howard & Dorothy E. 625 South Elm St. Lot 64-1 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Perkins, Charles 2nd 96 Howard St. Lot 79-5 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Perkins, David Lee & Ruth C. 63 Sunset Ave. Lot 22, 22-1 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Perkins, David L. & Ruth C. 63 Sunset Ave. Sunset Ave. Lot 23 | .42 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Perkins, Edgar E. & Frieda G. 16 Francis Ave. Lot 16 | .24 A. Land & Bldgs. | 748.00 |
| Perkins, Mary MacDonald 610 Cortlandt Ave., Mamaroneck, N.Y. 26 Prospect St. Lot 10 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Perkins, Margaret A. 210 North Elm St. Francis Ave. Lot 11 | .25 A. Land | 74.80 |
| Perrotta, Lawrence A. & Dahlia E. 213 Spring St. Lot 52-11 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Perry, Alice 28 Highland Ave. Lot 7-4 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Perry, Arthur A. & Joan M. 539 North Elm St. Lot 39-1 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Perry, Charles B. & Thelma M. 21 Purchase St. Lot 2-12 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Perry, David D. & Jean M. 565 North Elm St. Lot 38-7, 39-7 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |

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| Perry, Edward A. & Mary F. 55 Forest St. Lot 3-3 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Perry, Evelyn A. 90 Ash St. Lot 5-2 | 1.44 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Perry, Francelina & David A. 21 Bryant St. Lot 10 | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Perry, Francis L. & Antoinette M. 89 West St. Lot 27-1, 28-1 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Perry, George L. & Ruth A. 108 Ash St. Lot 5-1 | 5.53 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Perry, Henry Lincoln Jr. & Karen T. 31 Wendell Ave. Lot 57 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Perry, Kenneth A. 416 Main St., Bridgewater 640 East St. Lot 1 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Perry, John & Therese 101 Belmont St. Lot 3-5 | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Perry, Lester B. & Elsie M. 38 South Elm St. Lot 24-2, 24-1 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Perry, Quintino A. 543 North Elm St. Lot 39-2 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Perry, Reginald L. & Pok Sun 80 Crescent St. Lot 23-1 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Perry, Robert D. & Rita I. 78 Copeland St. Lot 1-2 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Perry, Robert F. & Dorothy 29 West St. Lot 31 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Perry, Ronald H. & Jeanne R. 256 Matfield St. Lot 53 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Peters, Antone 71 West St. Lot 8-1C, 28-3 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Peters, Herbert & Laura 93 West St. Lot 27 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 638.00 |
| Peters, Joseph E. Jr. 56 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-6 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Peters, Manuel J. & Madeline L. 77 West St. Lot 28-2, 8-1B | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Peters, Mary 93 West St. off West St. Lot 28-2 | .47 A. Land | 8.80 |
| Peterson, Ernest R. & Roberta E. 171 North Elm St. Lot 10-3, 10-4 | 1.06 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Peterson, John S. 22 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 2 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 3 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. .22 A. Land | 858.00 110.00 |
| Peterson, Wiktor W.M. est of 63 Maple St. Lot 3 Maple St. Lot 70 | 3.05 A. Land & Bldg. 62.10 A. Land | 506.00 2,112.00 |
| Petrie, Robert J. & Mary E. 432 West Center St. Lot 57 | 2.27 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Peteroleum Facilities, Inc. c/o Chevron Oil Co. Perth Amboy, N.J. | | 33.00 |
| Cor. Copeland St. & North Elm Lot 37 | .66 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,059.20 |
| Petrone, Geraldine J. 141 Bedford St. Lot 1, 1-8 | 1.45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,553.20 |

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| Petronelli, Nicholas P. & Rita M. | | |
| 1029 Ash St., Brockton | | |
| off Manley St. Lot 10-1 | 5.72 A. Land | 110.00 |
| off Manley St. Lot 10-2 | 4.08 A. Land | 88.00 |
| 446 Walnut St. Lot 51 | 18.31 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Petronelli, Nicholas & Guido | | |
| 1029 Ash St., Brockton | | |
| off Walnut St. Lot 82, 73 | 8.16 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Petronelli, Ronald R. & Anne C. | | |
| 51 Belmont St. Lot 5 | 1.67 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Petti, Sandra L. | | |
| 54 Grant St. Lot 1-1 | .13 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Pettinelli, John D. & Nancy M. | | |
| 190 Forest St. Lot 4-10 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,152.80 |
| Pettengill, Clara F. & Crone, Mary F. | | |
| Perry Ave. Lot 38-2 | .56 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,144.00 |
| Phalen, Robert F. & Rose M. | | |
| 149 South Main St. Lot 10-5 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Phelan, Thomas J. Jr. & Carol M. | | |
| 130 Ash St. Lot 13-3 | 2.68 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Philippart, Caroline | | |
| 31 Charles St. Lot 2-1, 2-2 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,474.00 |
| Philippart, Arvin Jr. | 220.00 | |
| Phillips, Alma C. | | |
| 402 West Center St. Lot 58 | 6.57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,262.80 |
| Phillips, Ellis C. & Charlotte A. | | |
| 537 Turnpike St., Easton | | |
| 895 West Center St. Lot 14 | 1.80 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Phillips, Laurence A. & Athena L. | | |
| 23 Walnut St. Lot 7 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Phoenix Management, Inc. | | |
| c/o South Easton Construction Co. | | |
| 859 Washington St., South Easton | | |
| 129 Brooks Place Lot 8-2 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| 115 Brooks Place Lot 8-4 | .63 A. Land & Bldg. | 704.00 |
| Piasecki, Charles J. & Mildred R. | | |
| 62 Grant St. Lot 2 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Picchione, Anthony J. & Gloria P. | | |
| 22 Timothy Drive Lot 3-1, 3-1A | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,672.00 |
| Pickering, Charles A. & Dorothy C. | | |
| 84 Columbus Ave. Lot 7-24 | 1.23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| 648 West Center St. Lot 27-1 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,459.60 |
| Piepiora, Harry R. & Evelyn M. | | |
| 140 Spring St. Lot 57-4, 57-3 | 1.23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Pierce, Albert C. Jr. & Harriet J. | | |
| 116 Scotland St. Lot 5-1 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Pierce, Leslie W. & Louise D. | | |
| 439 East Center St. Lot 23-6 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| 387 North Elm St. Lot 25, 26 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,760.00 |
| Piers, John E. & Barbara J. | | |
| 264 Matfield St. Lot 54 | 1.16 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Pierson, Harry G. Jr. & Louise M. | | |
| 109 Spring St. Lot 53 | 8.88 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Piesco, Marjorie A., Trustee | | |
| Piesco Family Trust | | |
| 60 North Main St. Lot 25 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |

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| Pike, Carroll S. & Doris J. 63 Grant St. Lot 5-1, 40-4 | .58 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,848.00 |
| Pike, Carroll S. & Williams, Marion H. 141 Copeland St. Grant St. Lot 5 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | | 176.00 |
| Pike, H. Nelson & Leola E. 36 Ellis Ave. Lot 10 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Pike, Louise G. 25 Laurel Drive, Holbrook 199 Ash St. Lot 10 | 4.11 A. Land | | 352.00 |
| Pilla, Alphonse & Ann 283 South Main St. Lot 7-12, 7-13 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Pingree, Edward M. 438 Spring St. 420 Spring St. Lot 48-3 | .89 A. Land | | 220.00 |
| Pingree, Mikel & Frances 438 Spring St. Lot 48 | 4.39 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Piona, Albert M. & Carol T. 36 Norfolk Place, Sharon West St. Lot 89-1 | 3.25 A. Land | | 704.00 |
| Piscitelli, Domenico, Est. of 9 Eisenhower Drive, South Easton 698 North Main St. Lot 4-5 South Main St. Lot 5 | 2.63 A. Land & Bldg. 5.51 A. Land & Bldg. | 198.00 | 1,172.60 2,574.00 |
| Pistone, Agnes M. 547 North Elm St. Lot 39-3, 39-4 | .58 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Pitta, Edward & Laura 18 Progressive Ave. Lot 3-4, 3-11 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Piver, Edwin B. P.O. Box No. 333 Ozona, Fla. Copeland St. Lot 1-3A Copeland St. Lot 4, 4-3 Copeland St. Lot 4-4 | .45 A. Land 12.30 A. Land .85 A. Land | | 11.00 264.00 17.60 |
| Piver, Lucy A., Est. of 103 Copeland St. Lot 13 | .12 A. Land | | 4.40 |
| Piver, Lucy T. 63 Brooks Place Lot 29 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Piver, Manuel B. & Hilda 173 Copeland St. Lot 4-3 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Piver, Manuel B. 173 Copeland St. Copeland St. Lot 4-4 Copeland St. Lot 4-5 | .36 A. Land .76 A. Land | | 6.60 154.00 |
| Piver, Roy H. & Mary R. 76 Copeland St. Lot 1-1 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Pizzanello, Eugene A. & Barbara 54 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-7 | .69 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 1,078.00 |
| Plotner, Clarence O. & Elizabeth 55 Woodland Rd. Lot 29-2 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 330.00 |
| Pocius, Mary 457 East St. Lot 24 | 3.49 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Podolsky, Henry & Dorothy E. 18 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-47 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Pomeroy, John E. 54 Bedford St. Lot 7-7, 7-9 | .63 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |

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| Pomeroy, Joseph L. & Rena P. 25 Oliver St. Lot 4-15 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | 176.00 | 1,100.00 |
| Ponte, John B. & Alice M. 5 Arch St. Lot 6 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,210.00 |
| Poole, Robert E. & Ruth T. 563 North Elm St. Lot 39-6 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Pope, Bessie M. 252 North Elm St. Lot 9-11 | .10 A. Land & Bldg. | | 484.00 |
| Pope, Sanford E. & Rose A. 294 Summer St., Brockton Manley St. Lot 27, 31-1 | 4.47 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Pope, William D. & Judith A. 43 Crescent St. Lot 11-6 | 1.45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Porter, Donald W. & Gertrude H. 396 West Center St. Lot 58-1 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Porter, Mary J. 55 Maolis Ave. Lot 8-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Poudrier, Richard W. & Sharon R. 125 Bedford St. Lot 1-12, 1-17 | 1.52 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Powell, Robert J. & Iris J. 343 West Center St. Lot 4 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Powers, John E. & Bernice I. 28 Oliver St. Lot 4-11 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Pratt, Carlton D. & Marylyn A. 148 Bedford St. Lot 1-3, 1-1B | 1.84 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Pratt, E. Thurston & Gail R. 75 Forest St. Lot 3-1 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Pratt, Eula C. & Maida 5 Willow St. Lot 44-2 | 2.20 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,106.60 |
| Pratt, George F. 32 Prospect St. Lot 8 North Elm St., W. Center & Prospect Lot 72-2 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. 4.61 A. Land & Billboard | | 1,144.00 1,848.00 |
| Pratt, Ralph A. & Nancy E. 332 Matfield St. Lot 67, 68 | .90 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Pratt, Richard C. & Eleanor M. 152 Walnut St. Lot 18 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Preston, John F. & Carmella M. 737 West Center St. Lot 12-1, 12-5 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Prime, Charles B. & Elizabeth A. 20 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 19 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Prime, Muriel R. 39 Brooks Place Lot 24 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Propas, Frederick & Julia A. 29 Timothy Drive Lot 3-11 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,672.00 |
| Propas, Frederick 29 Timothy Drive Brooks Place & Prog. Ave. Lot 3 | 15.06 A. Land | | 374.00 |
| Propas, Frederick & Julia 29 Timothy Drive Highland Ave. Lot 5 | 5.52 A. Land | | 176.00 |
| Roosevelt Ave. Lot 12, 13, 14 | .59 A. Land | | 132.00 |
| Roosevelt Ave. Lot 15, 16 | .39 A. Land | | 96.80 |
| Roosevelt Ave. Lot 19 | 5.00 A. Land | | 220.00 |

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| Propas, Frederick & Silva, Manuel F. 29 Timothy Drive off Copeland St. Lot 10 | 5.71 A. Land | | 132.00 |
| Prosper, Richard A. & R. Elaine 36 Shaw Rd., Brockton 172 Crescent St. Lot 2-7, 2-7A | 5.65 A. Land | | 484.00 |
| Pross, William H. & Agnes R. 316 North Elm St. Lot 25-1 | 1.63 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Puffer, Irving W. & Susan J. 500 Spring St. Lot 49-3, 49-6, 49-7 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Pulsinelli, Robert B. & Pearl M. 13 Central St., South Easton 749 North Main St. Lot 50-1B | .46 A. Land | | 202.40 |
| Purcell, John C. Jr. & Arlene G. 39 Bedford St. Lot 3, 4 | 4.42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Purdy, Grace M. 121 East Center St. Lot 2, 3 | 2.89 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Purpura, James F. & Eleanor M. 76 Lincoln St. Lot 58-7 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Query, Alberta T. 25 Ash St. Lot 4-1 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Quigley, Walter T. & Verian E. 8 Union St., East Bridgewater 400 East Center St. Lot 12 | 2.15 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 | 1,254.00 |
| 392 East Center St. Lot 11 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| Quist, Alan S. & Jeanne C. 36 Thayer Ave. Lot 1-2 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Rafalko, Stanley J. & Sheila M. 13 Columbus Ave. Lot 3 | 1.47 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Rainbow Plastics Inc. 380 West Center St. Lot 58-3, 58-5 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,980.00 |
| Raleigh, Harry D. & Marilyn A. 448 West Center St. Lot 54, 55 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Raleigh, John S. & Alma H. 57 Francis Ave. Lot 1, 1-1, 2-2 2-3, 2-4 | 5.17 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Ransenberg, Freidel F. 49 Walnut St. Lot 12 | 5.03 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| Ransitt, Virginia L. 31 Woodland Rd. Lot 30-1 | .82 A. Land & Bldg. | | 704.00 |
| Rasciot, Albert B. & Barbara E. 37 Harthorn St. Lot 6-66 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Ratcliffe, Alan L. Hillcrest Rd., East Bridgewater off North Elm St. Lot 6-2AA | 1.52 A. Land | | 35.20 |
| Ray, Kenneth B. & Ruth E. 24 Turnpike St. Eastondale Turnpike St. Lot 16-1 | 9.57 A. Land & Bldg. | | 704.00 |
| Raymond, Milton J. & Edith 34 Norman Ave. Lot 18-9 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Read, Gladys E. 156 South Main St. Lot 1 | .39 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 858.00 |
| Read, Samuel A. Jr. & Joan A. 67 Plain St. Lot 10-2 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,078.00 |

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| Reckard, Hiram L. & Mildred W. | | |
| 186 Copeland St. Lot 3-3, 3-5 | 1.58 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Copeland St. Lot 8, 8-1, 8-10 | 14.71 A. Land | 528.00 |
| Redmann, Dorothy F. & Helen C. | | |
| c/o Dorothy Williams | | |
| 231 River St. | | |
| River St. Lot 6 | 1.36 A. Land & Trailer | 286.00 |
| Redmann, Robert H. | | |
| c/o Dorothy Williams | | |
| 231 River St. | | |
| North Main St. Lot 56 | 5.96 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 41 | 7.58 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Reed, Fred L. Jr. & Joyce A. | | |
| 106 Brooks Place Lot 3-2 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Reed, Jean J. | | |
| Samuel Ave., Brockton | | |
| Samuel Ave. Lot 60-1 | .24 A. Land | 13.20 |
| Reed, Richard C. | | |
| 124 Samuel Ave., Brockton | | |
| 132 Samuel Ave. Lot 60-2 | 2.49 A. Land | 660.00 |
| Reed, Stanley C. & Helen P. | | |
| 325 West Center St. Lot 7 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Regional Realty Trust, Trustee | | |
| Russell W. Lane | | |
| 710 Adams St., N. Abington | | |
| 37 Thayer Ave. Lot 5, 86 | 10.32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,650.00 |
| Reid, Lillian M. & Anne P. | | |
| 504 Manley St. Lot 5-1, 5-2 | 8.64 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Reid, Thomas & Donna | | |
| 61 Belmont St. Lot 4, 4-2 | 1.03 A. Land & Bldg. | 734.80 |
| Reilly, Walter J. Jr. & Maria | | |
| 132 Brooks Place Lot 3-8 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Renker Corp. | | |
| 65 Magnolia Ave., Brockton | | |
| Manley St. Lot 29, 29-1, 29-2, 29-3 | 9.59 A. Land | 2,090.00 |
| 294 Manley St. Lot 54, 31 | 13.99 A. Land | 3,058.00 |
| Manley St. Lot 22, 23-1 | 8.48 A. Land | 1,848.00 |
| Resmini, Geraldine, & Pratti, Dorothy R. | | |
| 30 Bolton Place, Bridgewater | | |
| off Ash St. Lot 17 | 2.77 A. Land | 57.20 |
| Reynolds, Marion H. | | |
| 3 Crescent St. Lot 26-7 | 1.71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Reynolds, Robert W. & Beverly | | |
| 96 Crescent St. Lot 22 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Rezendes, Joseph & Josephine P. | | |
| 16 Keenan St. Lot 4-2 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Rhodes, Harry M. | | |
| 121 Ash St. Lot 6-6, 6-6A | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Richard, David C. & Janice L. | | |
| 260 Matfield St. Lot 54-1 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Richards, Albert F. & Phyllis M. | | |
| 29 Belmont St., East Bridgewater | | |
| South Elm St. Lot 12, 5, 5-1 through 5-5 | 25.11 A. Land A. & H. Classification | 193.60 |
| Corner Plain & Belmont St. Lot 1 | .08 A. Land | 242.00 |

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| Richards, Albert F. | | |
| 29 Belmont St., East Bridgewater | | |
| 44 West Center St. Lot 84-1 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| 48 West Center St. Lot 84-2 | 3.07 A. Land | 1,350.80 |
| Richards, Albert F., Trustee Beaver Realty Trust | | |
| 29 Belmont St., E. Bridgewater | | |
| 1 Plain St. Lot 2 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Richards, Donald A. & Brigitte K. | | |
| 45 Howard St. Lot 4 | 1.07 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Richardson, George E. & Alice B. | | |
| 487 East St. Lot 16-3, 16-2, 16-1 | 5.24 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Richardson, Harry G. & Ellen R. | | |
| 320 Walnut St. Lot 25-1 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Richardson, John D. & Gail A. | | |
| 16 Scotland St. Lot 13-2 | 1.29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Richardson, Robert E. & Dorothy A. | | |
| 410 North Elm St. Lot 30-1A | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,342.00 |
| Richardson, Frederick H. Jr. & Virginia D. | | |
| 223 North Elm St. Lot 11-6 | 1.27 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Ricker, Frederick E. & Una E. | | |
| 52 Walnut St. Lot 20 | 1.03 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Riordan, Michael O. | | |
| 21 Merritt St. Lot 4, 11, 12 | 2.44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Ripley, Elena R. & Louise H. | | |
| 495 East Center St. Lot 19 | 1.70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| Ripley, Henrietta H. | | |
| 200 South St. Lot 7 | 1.03 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Ritchie, Lois M. | | |
| 12 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-5 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Ritucci, Joseph R. & Carolyn A. | | |
| 274 Copeland St., Brockton | | |
| 25 Timothy Drive Lot 3-3 | .74 A. Land | 220.00 |
| Rix, Arthur E. & Patricia | | |
| 93 East St. Lot 20-1, 20-5 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Rizel, Richard & Theresa | | |
| 25 Prospect St. Lot 5-3, 5-4 | 1.21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Robbins, David M. & Lana E. | | |
| 32 Cyr St. Lot 59 | 5.82 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Robbins, Joel C. & Sharon S. | | |
| 20 Cyr St. Lot 3 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Robert, Theodore & Isabelle | | |
| 290 South St. Lot 17-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Robery, Russell P. & Florence M. | | |
| 123 North Elm St. Lot 4, 5, 10-2 | 26.02 A. Land & Bldg. A. & H. Clsftcn | 1,674.42 |
| Roche, William H. & Annie L. | | |
| 9 Turnpike St., Eastondale | | |
| Turnpike St. Lot 14 | .04 A. Land | 4.40 |
| Roffinolli, Rino J. & Helen V. | | |
| 462 Matfield St. Lot 104-3 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Rogers, Lillian W. | | |
| 77 Plain St. Lot | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Rogers, Richard D. & Elaine L. | | |
| 24 Vital Ave. Lot 54-3 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Rohnstrom, Alfred E. | | |
| 278 Pleasant St. Lot 53-3 | 3.45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |

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| Rohnstrom, Clifford T. & Nina M. 266 Pleasant St. Lot 53-1A | 3.54 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Rolfe, Frank C. & Joan M. 153 Bryant St. Lot 1-3, 2 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,302.40 |
| Rear of 34 South St. Lot 1-6 | .53 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Rolfe, William C. & Jeannette M. 77 Belmont St. Lot 3-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston 103 North Main St. | | |
| 107 North Main St. Lot 38 | 1.63 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,540.00 |
| 115 North Main St. Lot 39 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Roscoe, Norman & Jeanne C. 80 Columbus Ave. Lot 7-25 | 1.09 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,738.00 |
| Rosnell, Charles J. & Chester, Irma F. 21 Hillside Ave. Lot 3 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Ross, Colin & Ruth M. 445 West Center St. Lot 52 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Ross, Gordon K. 37 Francis Ave. Lot 4 | 1.75 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Francis Ave. Lot 5, 6 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 198.00 |
| Ross, James A. & Florence H. 177 South Main St. Lot 9-1 | 2.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Ross, Robert E. & Janice C. 163 Forest St. Lot 4-1 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,562.00 |
| Rossi, Chester J. & Rose K. 63 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4-24 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Rothenhafer, Henry G. & Alice F. 150 Brooks Place Lot 4-4 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Roulstone, Thomas R. & Barbara Marie 17 Spring St. Lot 67 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Rounds, Walter M. & Marjorie J. 27 Charles St. Lot 2-3 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Roussel, Charles M. & Dorothee M. 89 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-19 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,738.00 |
| Rowe, George W. & Edna A. 10 Progressive Ave. Lot 4 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Rubeski, Russell J. & Marine F. 153 Turnpike St. Lot 16-3 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Rubeski, Sophie E. 17 West St. Lot 33 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Rubin, Frederic G. & Nancy L. c/o Robert White 274 Pleasant St. | | |
| 26 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-23 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Ruprecht, Edward J. & Paula H. 441 East Center St. Lot 23-2 | 1.74 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Ryan, Lawrence H. Jr. & Ruthann 22 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-10 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,518.00 |
| Ryan, Margaret N. 39 Maolis Ave. Lot 3-1 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Ryan, Thomas J. & Marie G. 613 East St. Lot 20-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Ryan, William & Myrtle A. 14 Sinnott St. Lot 9 | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Cor. North Elm & Sinnott St. Lot 34-16 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 |

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| Ryder, Marguerite S. 15 Charles St. Lot 2 | .87 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Saline, Ronald A. & Helen R. 34 Matfield St. Lot 2-1, 2-14 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Salvador, Frank M. c/o Raymond Silva 11 Arch St. 7 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-1 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| Progressive Ave. Lot 2 | 5.08 A. Land | 110.00 |
| 1 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-5 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 |
| Brooks Place Lot 5-8 | 1.92 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 30 | 8.70 A. Land | 191.40 |
| Salvador, John M. & Angelina M. 11 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-2 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 616.00 |
| Salvador, Paul J. & Lynne F. 404 East St. Lot 39-2 | 1.46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,540.00 |
| Salvador, Walter W. & Esther M. 246 South St. Lot 1-2 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Samoset Rod & Gun Club, Inc. 350 Matfield St. Lot 70 | .64 A. Land & Bldg. | 572.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 69-1 | 1.65 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Sampson, George C. & Louise M. 90 Lincoln St. Lot 58-8 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,452.00 |
| Sanborn, Frank 155 Howard St. Lot 76-1, 76-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Sandrock, Doris V. 121 Prospect St. Lot 1-5 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Sanford, Clyde B. & Elsie T. 47 Prospect St. Lot 5-1 | 1.04 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Sansoucie, Oliver P. & Joanne F. 70 Prospect St. Lot 14, 14-1 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Sargent, George S. & Rose A. 175 Brooks Place Lot 7-1 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Satucket Athletic Ass'n. c/o Richard C. Reed Esq. 231 Main St., Brockton Walnut St. Lot 72, 88, 89, 90, 9-1 | 51.63 A. Land | 3,344.00 |
| Savage, Helen E. & Sawyer, Harry J. Sr. 170 North Elm St. Stony Rd. Lot 9 | 4.60 A. Land | 149.60 |
| Savage, Richard A. & Rita F. 18 Ellis Ave. Lot 14 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Savicki, Adolf J. & Alice 2A Plain St. Lot 8-1A | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Sawyer, Harry J. & Edna B. 170 North Elm St. Lot 7-3 | 1.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Sawyer, Harry J. Jr. & Jeanne M. 254 South St. Lot 1-4 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Sawyer, Herbert S. Jr. & Jeanette B. 480 West Center St. Lot 1-2 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Sawyer, Ronald B. & Carole J. 88 Crescent St. Lot 22-1 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Scalia, Ralph M. & Evy V. 324 South Elm St. Lot 7-3 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Schill, Carl E. & Emily 448 Matfield St. Lot 104-1 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |

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| Schmitz, Norma D. 166 Ash St. Lot 12-1 | 5.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Schneider, Mildred 30 Oak St., Ext., Brockton 279 East Center St. Lot 9-1 | 4.71 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Schwartz, Douglas L. & Eva Hildred 7 Shagbark Rd. Lot 1-2A | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Scienzo, Richard F. & Lillian A. 685 North Main St. Lot 50-3B | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Scranton, Harvey A. Jr. & Alice M. 255 Pleasant St. Lot 64 off Pleasant St. Lot 64-2 South Elm St. Lot 64-3 | 17.86 A. Land & Bldgs. .09 A. Land 5.30 A. Land | 1,795.20 4.40 110.00 |
| Scranton, Harvey A. 54 Prospect St. Lot 9, 25 | 1.09 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Scudder, Herbert F. & Doris A. 18 East St. Lot 73-23 | .61 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Seablom, David & Hilda S. 6 Norman Ave. Lot 18-2A | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Seablom, Donald H. & Judith A. 131 South St. Lot 12-4, 12-5 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Seablom, Donald H. & Judith A. South St. Lot 12-2 | 2.48 A. Land | 52.80 |
| Seablom, Donald & Noella M. 57 South Elm St. Lot 20-3 | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Seablom, Dorothy E. 29 Spring St. Lot 55 | 1.40 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Seager, Donald E. & Mary 61 Plain St. Lot 11-1 | .84 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Sears, Lloyd W. & Evangeline L. 30 Maolis Ave. Lot 2, 4, 50 | .61 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,452.00 |
| Sears, Lloyd Ashton & Mary O. 40 Maolis Ave. Lot 50-1 | .72 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,254.00 |
| Sederberg, Warren & Edna 1 Stony Rd. Lot 49-7 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Selila, Joseph A. & Marion H. 11 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-60 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Sera, Anthony J. & Catherine 30 Cross St. Lot 4-4 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Setterlund, Charles E. & Dorothy H. 138 North Elm St. Lot 7 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Settles, Richard C., Trustee Settles Realty Trust 196 Washington St., Quincy 5 South Main St. Lot 18 | .43 A. Land | 440.00 |
| Sevruk, Helen 122 Lincoln St. Lot 9, 8-1 | 6.31 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Seyfert, Mac G. & Ethel M. 61 Ash St. Lot 6-2, 6-3, 13, 14 | 1.28 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Sharp, Roy E. & Priscilla S. 19 High St. Lot 8 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Shave, Warren S. & Edna L. 50 Pleasant St. Lot 9-3 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Shaw, Frederick V. Jr. & Judith A. 187 Matfield St. Lot 20-2, 20-5 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |

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| Shaw, Marjorie I. 420 North Elm St. Lot 30, 30-2 | 1.35 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Shea, Robert F. Jr. & Patricia A. 1 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-57 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Sheedy, Paul J. & Joan F. 408 Spring St. Lot 63 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Sheehan, David X. & Willa Anne 361 Spring St. Lot 19 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Shell Oil Co., P.O. Box 2237 Princeton, N.J. 510 West Center St. Lot 35, 36 | 1.20 A. Land & Bldg. | 3,630.00 |
| Shemeta, Joseph E. & Alice E. 15 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 10 | 3.96 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Shepard, Lester J. & Alice M. 21 Vital Ave. Lot 4-1, 5-1, 5-2 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Sher, Harry, Trustee Martin Acceptance Trust 200 Boylston St., Chestnut Hill 362 Manley St. Lot 23 | 10.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 3,036.00 |
| Sherman, Harold E. & Eleanor E. 597 Manley St. Lot 10 | 19.14 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,562.00 |
| Sherron, Carmela L. 400 South Main St. Lot 6-1 | 1.42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Shurtleff, Jason W. & Marjorie 53 South Elm St. Lot 20-4 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Sigren, Fred S. & Catherine 75 East St. Lot 20-6 | 1.53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Sigren, Hjalmar 223 Matfield St. Lot 20 East St. Lot 15 | 12.15 A. Land & Bldg. 14.59 A. Land | 1,496.00 308.00 |
| Sigren, Robert A. & Sonja E. 195 Matfield St. Lot 20-3 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Sillars, John B. & Joan P. 91 Pleasant St. Lot 3-2A | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Silva, Oscar M. & Joseph J. 295 Walnut St., Stoughton 97 Crescent St. Lot 11-8, 11-5 | 19.16 A. Land & Bldg. | 550.00 |
| Silva, Oscar M. & Barbara L. 295 Walnut St., Stoughton Crescent St. Lot 11-7 | .59 A. Land | 154.00 |
| Silva, Raymond L. 11 Arch St. Lot 6-1 | .73 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Silva, Vincent & Anna 114 Brooks Place Lot 3-1 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Silva & Teeves, Inc. 704 Bedford St., Fall River | | 132.00 |
| Silveria, John 32 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 1 Roosevelt Ave. Lot 8 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. .24 A. Land | 814.00 101.20 |
| Silverleib, Eva, Trustee E. & M. Realty Trust 196 Plain St., Stoughton 863 North Main St. Lot 78 | 1.64 A. Land | 858.00 |
| Simcik, Robert J. & Brenda P. 355 North Elm St. Lot 19 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |

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| Simison, Anne B. 565 Manley St. Lot 8 | 1.29 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Simmons, Carl W. & Betty L. 53 Sunset Ave. Lot 19 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Simmons, William A. Jr. & Eunice E. 21 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 1,2 | .94 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Simpson, John Jr. & Barbara R. 42 South St. Lot 6-2 | .36 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,452.00 |
| Sinclair, Mabel E. 46 Belmont St. Lot 9 | .90 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Sinkevich, Frank M. & Eutropya 288 Crescent St. Lot 15 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Skelton, Mary E. 29 Highland Ave. Lot 5-2 | .31 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Skinner, Leslie A. & Hazel V. 209 Spring St. Lot 52-12 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Skrejans, Zina Captain Greaves Rd., East Sandwich 165 Spring St. Lot 52-1 | 8.57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Slack, Leo F. & Dorothy A. 60 Harthorn St. Lot 6-87 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Slapik, Mitchel & Gladys B. 488 Spring St. Lot 48-1 | 6.66 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Slater, Lester & Mary E. & Christopher B. 375 Ash St. Lot 2 | 11.02 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Slater, Robert B. & Barbara A. 58 Bedford St. Lot 7-6 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,298.00 |
| Slowey, Robert J. & Geraldine A. 17 Thayer Ave. Lot 83-2 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Slupski, Ladislav & M. Madeleine 41 South Elm St. Lot 20-7 | .30 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Smith, Albert A. Jr. & Dorothy L. 57 Plain St. Lot 12-2A | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Smith, Albert F. & Margaret A. 32 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 15 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Smith, Allen E. 548 North Elm St. Lot 34-9 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Smith, Edward A. c/o Mrs. Joseph McCann 22 High St. 43 Highland Ave. Lot 4 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Smith, Fred F. & Beatrice L. 6 Shawnee Ave., East Bridgewater Thayer Ave. Lot 2-2 | .15 A. Land | 48.40 |
| Smith, Henry C. & Patricia A. 205 Spring St. Lot 52-13 | .53 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Smith, Hiran E. 242 East St. Lot 46 | 2.30 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| East St. | Bldg. | 638.00 |
| East St. Lot 23-3 | 1.13 A. Land & Bldg. | 39.60 |
| East St. Lot 45 | 1.52 A. Land | 26.40 |
| Smith, Ira S. & Elaine F. 482 East Center St. Lot 16 | 2.18 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,562.00 |
| East Center St. Lot 21-1 | 1.70 A. Land | 37.40 |

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| Smith, Joseph L. & Harriet J. | | |
| 86 East St. Lot 2-2 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| off Samuel Ave. Lot 13 | 3.01 A. Land | 132.00 |
| off North Elm St. Lot 34 | 8.83 A. Land | 748.00 |
| Roosevelt Ave. Lot 34-2 | .32 A. Land | 30.80 |
| Smith, Michael A. & Carol G. | | |
| 46 River St. Lot 12 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Smith, Raymond J. & Grace E. | | |
| 44 Matfield St. Lot 4-3 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Smith, Richard G. | | |
| 20 Oliver St. Lot 4-9 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Smith, Robert D. & Jeanne A. | | |
| 54 Matfield St. Lot 4-1, 6 | 1.23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Smith, Robert L. & Jeanne C. | | |
| 134 North Elm St. Lot 6-1 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,452.00 |
| Smith, Svea A. & Donald P. | | |
| 400 Forest St. Lot 109-11 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| 390 Forest St. Lot 109-15 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 418.00 |
| 394 Forest St. Lot 109-17 | .34 A. Land & Trailer | 594.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 109-13 | .29 A. Land | 110.00 |
| Snelgrove, Douglas & Thelma G. | | |
| 66 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 4 | 1.01 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Snell, Christopher R. & Joyce C. | | |
| 217 North Elm St. Lot 11-1 | 1.51 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| North Elm St. Lot 11-7 | .59 A. Land | 44.00 |
| 352 Spring St. Lot 43-1 | 1.04 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Snell, Ronald P. & Jane E. | | |
| 332 North Elm St. Lot 13 | 2.42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,606.00 |
| 88 North Main St. Lot 1 | .81 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Snell, Ronald | | |
| 332 North Elm St. | | |
| 547 Manley St. Lot 7 | 3.71 A. Land & Bldg. | 462.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 67 | 1.00 A. Land | 22.00 |
| Snow, Holly L. & Jane M. | | |
| 187 North Elm St. Lot 11-4 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Soares, Manuel III & Betty A. | | |
| 188 South Main St. Lot 13-6 | 1.18 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Soderholm, Bruce C. Jr. & Janice L. | | |
| 38 Hartshorn St. Lot 82 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,562.00 |
| Soderholm, Hjalmar F. & Winnifred H. & Bruce C. | | |
| 325 North Main St. Lot 2-3 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Soell, Frederick R. & Olga A. | | |
| 40 Walnut St. Lot 4-2 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Sofka, Theodore & Cynthia J. | | |
| 205 West Center St. Lot 75-2 | .29 A. Land & Bldgs. | 1,100.00 |
| Soles, James D. & Louise E. | | |
| 37 Ellis Ave. Lot 5, 6 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Somers, Robert A. Sr. & Doris C. | | |
| 440 West Center St. Lot 56-56-1 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Sousa, Alcide & Anne | | |
| 416 East St. Lot 39-5 | 2.29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,474.00 |
| Sousa, Antone & Elma | | |
| 79 Howard St. Lot 5-5 | .17 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Howard St. Lot 5-6 | .17 A. Land | 11.00 |
| Cor. Howard & Spring St. Lot 5-1 | .17 A. Land | 11.00 |

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| Sousa, George R. & Joan L. | | | |
| 248 North Elm St. Lot 9-9 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Sousa, Gilbert A. & Grace C. | | | |
| 381 North Elm St. Lot 24 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Southern Mass. Oil Corp. | | | |
| 63 Broadway St., Taunton | | | |
| North Main St. Lot 75-2 | .46 A. Land & Tank | | 1,544.40 |
| Southworth, Francis L. & Gail V. | | | |
| 93 Belmont St. Lot 3-3 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,320.00 |
| Southworth, Howard F. & Dorothy A. | | | |
| 96 North Main St. Lot 17-1 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Souza, Joseph & Lucille | | | |
| 9 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-6 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Souza, Ralph B. & Judith M. | | | |
| 18 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-21 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Spadea, Joseph R. | | | |
| 586 Manley St. | | | |
| Manley St. Lot 52-1 | 6.81 A. Land | 44.00 | 176.00 |
| off Crescent St. Lot 4 | 18.92 A. Land | | 396.00 |
| off Manley St. Lot 48-1 | .21 A. Land | | 4.40 |
| off Manley St. Lot 48 | 34.57 A. Land | | 748.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 7 | 3.41 A. Land | | 448.80 |
| off Manley St. Lot 85 | 6.20 A. Land | | 132.00 |
| off Manley St. Lot 46 | .36 A. Land | | 6.60 |
| 269 West St. Lot 14-1 | 46.74 A. Land | | 10,252.00 |
| West St. Lot 15 | 7.54 A. Land | | 154.00 |
| West St. Lot 47 | 1.45 A. Land | | 308.00 |
| West St. Lot 42 | 10.24 A. Land | | 2,288.00 |
| West St. Lot 6 | 4.18 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| West St. Lot 15A | 13.49 A. Land | | 264.00 |
| Spadea, Joseph R. & Gladys | | | |
| 586 Manley St. Lot 1 | 42.00 A. Land & Bldg. A. & H. Clsfcctn | | 1,609.56 |
| Spadea, Robert A. & Janice E. | | | |
| 275 Crescent St. Lot 3-1 | 1.24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,672.00 |
| Spencer, Gerald W. & Barbara W. | | | |
| 264 Crescent St. Lot 2-9 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Spencer, Richard A. & Ruth L. | | | |
| 54 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-86 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Spencer, William E. & Jeannette E. | | | |
| 340 South Elm St. Lot 7-4 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Spillane, Daniel J. & Lula | | | |
| 236 Matfield St. Lot 51-1 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | | 946.00 |
| Splaine, Beverly A. | | | |
| 291 West Center St. | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Splitz, Robert J. & Jane A. | | | |
| 19 Woodland Rd. Lot 15-2 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Sprague, William R. | | | |
| Turnpike St., Eastondale | | | |
| Turnpike St. Lot 15 | .30 A. Land | | 66.00 |
| Springhetti, Edward H. & Janice R. | | | |
| 189 West St. Lot 18 | 4.25 A. Land & Bldgs. | | 946.00 |
| West St. Lot 16 | 3.50 A. Land | | 66.00 |
| Sproules, Richard J. & Quintina M. | | | |
| 122 North Elm St. Lot 6-1A | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Spry, Robert C. & Florence T. | | | |
| 245 South St. Lot 16-4 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,113.20 |

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| Squizzero, Joseph D. & Elizabeth A. 38 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-26 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| St. George, Leo H. & Jane E. 81 Belmont St. Lot 3-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 704.00 |
| St. Onge, Ovila & Frances 28 Vital Ave. Lot 54-4 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Stadelmann, Thomas M. & Mary E. 282 North Elm St. Lot 25-10 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 792.00 |
| Stankus, Anna D. 59 Maolis Ave. Lot 9 | .37 A. Land & Bldgs. | 902.00 |
| Staples, Lloyd E. Jr. & Margaret B. 57 Grant St. Lot 40-5 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Stearns, Dorothy E. 388 Ash St. Lot 14 | 17.41 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Steeves, John P. & Alberta B. 299 North Elm St. Lot 26-12 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Steffen, Irving L. E. & Genevieve L. 14 Norman Ave. Lot 18-4 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Stesney, Karl J. & Janice M. 20 Woodland Rd. Lot 14-1 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| Steptoe, Arthur W. & Marie J. 24 Oliver St. Lot 4-10 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Stetson, Charles P. & Darlene A. 494 Manley St. Lot 5-1 | .81 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Still, Franklin H. Jr. & Kathleen A., Trustees MICMAR Realty Trust 16 Hillside Ave. Lot 15 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Stockman, Wallace A. & Mildred H. 35 Columbus Ave. Lot 2 | 1.69 A. Land & Bldg. | 660.00 |
| Stone, Norman R. & Rita N. 136 Copeland St. Lot 3-2 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Stork, John A. & Lorraine H. 22 Highland Ave. Lot 7-3 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Highland Ave. Lot 7 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 110.00 |
| Stork, Robert E. & Joann M. 419 Spring St. Lot 51-1, 7-1 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Traffin, Richard W. & Frances 20 Sinnott St. Lot 10 | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Strollo, William & Edith M. 48 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 15-1 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Stuart, Donald M. & Betsy M. 12 East St. Lot 73-21, 73-20 | 5.09 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Stulpin, Alfred F. & Mary F. 727 North Main St. Lot 50-5 | .52 A. Land & Bldg. | 836.00 |
| Sulinski, Albert C. & Barbara A. 6 Joseph Ave. Lot 6-25 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Sullivan, Donald E. & Norma 140 South St. Lot 5 | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Sullivan, Ethel H. 326 Matfield St. Lot 66 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Sullivan, Mary E. 52 Maolis Ave. Lot 12 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Sullivan, Michael & Marion M. 105 West Center St. Lot 79-4 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Sullivan, Richard H. & Maureen R. 29 Hartshorn Dr. Lot 6-64 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |

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| Sullivan, Robert J. & Dorothy A. | | |
| 46 Chittendon Rd., Scituate | | |
| Manley St. Lot 35 | 6.00 A. Land | 132.00 |
| Spring St. Lot 58 | 2.28 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Sullivan, Robert J. & Eleanor M. | | |
| 134 Matfield St. Lot 14-3 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Surette, Alphee W. & Frances V. | | |
| 11 Shagbark Rd., Lot 1-2B | .32 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Surgens, Donald E. & Betty E. | | |
| 411 Spring St. Lot 51-4, 51-2 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Swann, Richard E. & Paula | | |
| 145 Bryant St. Lot 3 | .67 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,540.00 |
| Swanson, Mary | | |
| 188 Matfield St. Lot 17-1, 17-2 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Swanson, Raymond & Greeta O. | | |
| 163 Copeland St. Lot 4-1 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Swanson, Robert S. & Donna M. | | |
| 33 North Main St. Lot 35-2, 35-4 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Swanson, Ronald A. & Laurel S. | | |
| 323 Matfield St. Lot 73-17 | 4.50 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Swartz, Ralph B. & Mildred V. | | |
| 41 South Main St. Lot 19 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Swartz, Ralph B. | | |
| 41 South Main St. | | |
| South Main St. Lot 11 | 13.93 A. Land | 286.00 |
| Swasky, Stanley F. & Julia Rose | | |
| Rear 19 Vital Ave. Lot 4-3 | .11 A. Land & Bldg. | 594.00 |
| Sweeney, Paul J. & Ellen J. | | |
| 406 Forest St. Lot 109-10, 109-9 | | |
| 109-14 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 440.00 |
| Swift, Richard W. & Carol A. | | |
| 15 Crescent St. Lot 31 | .20 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Sylvester, Irving G. & Jane E. | | |
| 75 Union St. Lot 1-3 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Sylvester, John A. & Mary N. | | |
| 18 Timothy Drive Lot 5-19 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Tabaroni, Robert F. & Janel A. | | |
| 305 Matfield St. Lot 73-18A | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,408.00 |
| Talanian, Robert, Nishan & Ralph | | |
| 5 Union St., Weymouth | | |
| Milebrook Rd., Lot 17, 17-5, 17-6 | 2.62 A. Land | 88.00 |
| Tamulevicz, Juluis J. & Helen U. | | |
| 57 North Main St. Lot 32 | .38 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Tanner, David J. & Barbara A. | | |
| 10 Norman Ave. Lot 18-3 | .55 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Tattie, Donald W. & Rosemary L. | | |
| 262 North Elm St. Lot 25-6 | .25 A. Land & Bldgs. | 814.00 |
| Taylor, Albert E. & Dorothy H. | | |
| 23 Norman Ave. Lot 18-12 | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Taylor, Bruce E. & Elisabeth P. | | |
| 20 Cross St. Lot 3-11 | 8.02 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Taylor, Frank B. & Elizabeth M. | | |
| 334 Spring St. Lot 41 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Taylor, John J. Jr. | | |
| 53 Old Bedford Rd., Westport | | |
| off Walnut St. Lot 31-1 | 15.46 A. Land & Bldg. | 7,942.00 |

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| Teed, Arthur W. Jr. & Kathleen A. 479 West Center St. Lot 48 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Tegu, Anita C. 10506 Weymouth St., Bethesda, Md. 83-85 Crescent St. Lot 11 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | 660.00 |
| Teixeira, Frank & Eleanor M. 76 South Elm St. Lot 22 | 2.45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,584.00 |
| Trixeira, John & Theresa A. 45 Sinnott St. Lot 2, 1 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Tessier, Gordon F. & Marilyn R. 16 Milebrook Rd. Lot 1-10, 17-10A | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,628.00 |
| Thayer, Edna A. 6 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-6, 1-15 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Thayer, Erland W. 16 Union St. Lot 12 | 1.02 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Thayer, Walter L. Jr. & Mary J. 3 Milebrook Rd. Lot 20-9 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Thibeault, George O. 721 Plain St. Brockton Plain St. Lot 7-3 | .14 A. Land | 44.00 |
| Thomas, Anna Mae 311 River St. Lot 22-2 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Thomas, Beatrice R. 142 North Elm St. Lot 7-1 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 462.00 |
| Thomas, Edward F. D. & Bertha 55 Thayer Ave. Lot 6 | .10 A. Land & Bldg. | 880.00 |
| Thomas, Linwood R. & Jeanne M. 2 Cyr St. Lot 1 | .27 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Thomas, Melvin E. & Barbara A. 50 Bedford St. Lot 7-8 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Thompson, Charles D. & Mary H. 107 West St. Lot 22-1 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Thompson, David H. & Martha L. 609 East St. Lot 18 | 9.28 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Thompson, Joseph H. & Joan L. 95 Bryant St. Lot 5-2 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Thompson, Linwood K. & Elizabeth H. 171 Crescent St. Lot 16 | 2.40 A. Land & Bldg. | 682.00 |
| Thompson, Morton R. & Joan D. 298 Matfield St. Lot 62 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Thompson, Richard S. 39 Walnut St. Lot 9 | 2.01 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Thorpe, Alfred C. Jr. & Shirley B. 486 East St. Lot 36-1, 36 | 4.90 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Tibbetts, Paul J. & Diane L. 33 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-12 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Ticchi, Andrew P. & Mary A. 454 South Main St. Lot 17 | 6.60 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Tingley, Chester D. & Dolores M. 147 West St. Lot 20-3 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,214.40 |
| Tofias, Juluis & Co., Inc. 26 School St., Brockton Matfield St. Lot 31 | 7.94 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Tosches, Christina 3 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-4 1 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-3 | .61 A. Land & Bldg. .44 A. Land | 1,364.00 140.80 |

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| Tracey, John B. & Kathleen L. 493 Manley St. Lot 14 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.00 |
| Trager, Nathan, Trustee Airways Realty Trust 568 Boulevard, Revere North Main St. Lot 1 | 4.52 A. Land | 1,122.00 |
| Travers, Manuel C., Sophia I. & David J. Box 432 148 Copeland St. Lot 3 | 4.72 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,540.00 |
| Tremarco, Corp. P.O. Box No. 8056 Philidelphia, Pa. 189 South Main St. Lot 9-5 | .77 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,543.20 |
| Trenholm, Robert E. & Beverly A. 32 Vital Ave. Lot 54-5 | .18 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Trevains, Gail 25 West St. Lot 32 | .28 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,496.00 |
| TriCounty Realty Co., Inc. 96 West Elm St., Brockton Wendell Ave. Lot 5 through 18 | 5.27 A. Land | 902.00 |
| Tripp, Jon E. Sr. & Patricia L. 101 Union St. Lot 1-5 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Trites, Lena M. 295 Matfield St. Lot 72-1 Matfield St. Lot 73-14 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. .32 A. Land | 880.00 13.20 |
| Trundy, Arlene 265 West Center St. Lot 72-10 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |
| Truskowski, Walter W. & Elizabeth P. 262 Oldham St., Pembroke 75 Woodland Rd. Lot 12-3 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | 396.00 |
| Tsiasas, Costas & Daphne E. 378 Matfield St. Lot 105 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.00 |
| Tsika, Henry A. & Geraldine V. 1 Leo Park Drive Lot 10-9 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.00 |
| Tuck, Charles E. & Foris L. 156 Spring St. Lot 57, 57-2 | 7.00 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,381.60 |
| Tuck, Lawrence C. & Marjorie F. 188 Spring St. Lot 57-6, 57-9 | 2.79 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.00 |
| Tuck, Philip C. & Margaret B. 192 Spring St. Lot 57-1 Spring St. Lot 12-1 | 1.32 A. Land & Bldg. .05 A. Land | 1,056.00 4.40 |
| Tufts, Everett B. Jr. & Barbara A. 41 Commonwealth Ave. Lot 7 | 1.48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,284.80 |
| Tully, Arthur D. & Irving, Madeline 9 Norman Ave. Lot 18-16 | 2.9 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Turner, Kenneth A. & Paula A. 88 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-23 | .76 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,782.00 |
| Turner, Roy M. & Patricia M. 14 Aldrich Rd. Lot 1-6, 1-6A | 1.71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Turner, Warren A. 24 Scotland St. Lot 13 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Turner, Warren E. & Elizabeth G. 18 Aldrich Rd. Lot 8-1 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,320.00 |
| Turner, William E. & Claire F. 130 North Main St. Lot 14-3, 14, 15 | 2.31 A. Land & Bldgs. | 3,542.00 |
| Turner, William E. Jr. & Elene L. 134 Bedford St. Lot 1-1, 1-1A, 1-1B | 2.85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,518.00 |

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| Turpin, John J. & Cynthia G. 382 Matfield St. Lot 108-2, 106 | .50 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.0 |
| Turpin, Joseph E. & Victoria P. 612 East St. Lot 29-1 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.0 |
| Tyrrell, William F. & Blanche M. 61 Union St. Lot 1-1 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,144.0 |
| Tzvetinovitch, Alexandre & Jeanne 485 Matfield St. Lot 82 | .70 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.0 |
| Uburtis, Aina H.D. 179 Crescent St. Lot 16-2 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,086.8 |
| Uhlman, Peter A. & Gail K. 125 South Elm St. Lot 19-1A | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.0 |
| Underhill, Charles A. 307 West Center St. Lot 11, 12 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.0 |
| Urban, Stanley B. & Stephanie A. 60 Lincoln St. Lot 7-2 | 1.22 A. Land & Bldg. | 2,112.0 |
| Utka, Joseph M. & Margaret M. 31 Glenmere St. Lot 2, 3, 4 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.0 |
| Uva, Joseph A. & Barbara M. 50 Belmont St. Lot 10-2 | .86 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.0 |
| Valeri, Alfred J. & Jennie L. 42 Auston St., Bridgewater Columbus Ave. Lot 4-1A | .52 A. Land | 22.0 |
| Valla, Juluis & Jean M. 620 East St. Lot 27 | 1.11 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,672.0 |
| Valet Cleaners Center Shopping Plaza | | 176.00 |
| Vallon, Joseph J. & Patricia J. 36 Walnut St. Lot 4-3 | .19 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.0 |
| Vandemoer, Elizabeth P. 22 Shaw Ave. Lot 4, 1-1 | 1.10 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.0 |
| Van Dyke Barber Shop 13 North Main St. | | 44.00 |
| VanDyke, Thurston E. & Barbara 26 Woodland Rd. Lot 14-4 | .22 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,210.0 |
| VanLaarhoven, Henry W. & Nancy L. 250 Matfield St. Lot 52, 52-2 | 1.37 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.0 |
| Vaughn, John E. & Eliza M. 347 Spring St. Lot 13-1B | .33 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,012.0 |
| Vavolotis, Andrew C. & Nancy C. 225 South St. Lot 10-2A | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,650.0 |
| Vavolotis, Andrew C. & Nancy 225 South St. | | |
| off West St. Lot 20 | 3.70 A. Land | 814.0 |
| off West St. Lot 17, 21 | 3.97 A. Land | 858.0 |
| 365 Crescent St. Lot 8 | .97 A. Land & Bldg. | 3,762.0 |
| Crescent St. Lot 7 | 6.41 A. Land & Bldg. | 3,325.0 |
| off Crescent St. Lot 8-2 | 6.08 A. Land | 1,122.0 |
| Crescent St. Lot 5-1 | 14.52 A. Land | 506.0 |
| Veader, Anthony & Irene 401 Pleasant St. Lot 70 | 8.05 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,364.0 |
| Maple St. Lot 68-1A | 9.02 A. Land | 297.0 |
| Maple St. Lot 74 | 5.72 A. Land | 123.2 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 68, 68-1 | 3.58 A. Land | 748.0 |

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| Vega Social Club, Inc. 895 Maion Ave. Lot 73 | 5.48 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Vella, Angelo J. & Elsie E. 140 Brooks Place Lot 3-10 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Ventura, Antone & Beatrice 75 Pinecrest Rd. Lot 12-3 | .85 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,276.00 |
| Vera, Leonard J. & Georgia Ruth 23 Scotland St. Lot 14-1 | .88 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,386.00 |
| Vieira, Joseph Garcia 117 Forest St. Lot 4 | 1.04 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| 159 Forest St. Lot 4-2 | .69 A. Land | 176.00 |
| 155 Forest St. Lot 4-3 | .69 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Vincent, Frank W. & Gertrude M. 85 Bedford St. Lot 6 | .74 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Vincent, Valena H. 29 Sinnott St. Lot 4,5 | .58 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Vinton, George C. & Martha F. 34 Susan Rd., Brockton East St. Lot 25 | 3.27 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Vinton, Kenneth F. & Carolyn W. 499 East St. Lot 25-1 | 2.43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Visnauskas, John & Ada Eastondale off Walnut St. Lot 4-1 | .12 A. Land | 4.40 |
| V.S.H. Realty, Inc. 777 Dedham St., Canton 41-47 North Main St. Lot 34 | .51 A. Land & Bldg. | 5,060.00 |
| Waite, Earl H. & Rose M. 12 Hillside Ave. Lot 16 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Wakeman, Margaret M. 55 Prospect St. Lot 4, 3-1 | 1.91 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Walker, Elmer & Florence 94 Belmont St. Lot 11-1 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,100.00 |
| Walker, Joseph R. & Janice A. 284 Crescent St. Lot 2-2 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,122.00 |
| Wall, Ralph E. & Stephanie G. 81 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-17 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,650.00 |
| Wallace, Patricia L. 355 Matfield St. Lot 90, 74-1 | .48 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Walsh, Charles A. & Maureen 296 North Elm St. Lot 25-13 | .57 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,166.00 |
| Walsh, David F. & Karen A. 143 Copeland St. Lot 5-2 | .45 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Walsh, Fred R. & Marjorie L. 391 Pearl St., Brockton 581 Manley St. Lot 9 | 1.09 A. Land & Bldg. | 968.00 |
| Walsh, John H. & Beverly A. 6 Timothy Drive Lot 5-16 | .95 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,936.00 |
| Walsh, Patrick J. & Katherine A. 803 North Main St., Raynham North Main St. Lot 3-3 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,172.60 |
| Ward, Lois C. 32 Merritt St. Lot 8, 9, 10 | 1.41 A. Land & Bldg. | 946.00 |
| Wardwell, Lawrence W. & Alberta G. 14 South St. Lot 1-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |

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| Wardwell, Lawrence W. & Alberta G. 14 South St. Lots 1-1 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | 814.00 |
| Wardwell, Ralph M. & Mildred A. 64 Walnut St. Lot 6-4 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | 902.00 |
| Warmington, Richard E. & Faith E. 220 South St. Lot 8-5 | .47 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Warren, Don Lee & Susan L. 11 Oliver St. Lot 4-12, 5-1 | .64 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,232.00 |
| Wass, Ronald C. & Melvin W., Trustee B & R Realty Trust 108 Connolly Rd. | | |
| 84 Scotland St. Lot 4-8 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 88 Scotland St. Lot 4-7 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 92 Scotland St. Lot 4-6 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 96 Scotland St. Lot 4-5 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 100 Scotland St. Lot 4-4 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 104 Scotland St. Lot 4-3 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 108 Scotland St. Lot 4-2 | .43 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 112 Scotland St. Lot 4-1 | .45 A. Land | 198.00 |
| 260 South Elm St. Lot 9-1C | .55 A. Land | 198.00 |
| Waterman, Charles P. & Eleanor 190 West Center St. Lot 70 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 748.00 |
| Watson, Henry L. & Joan L. 69 Columbus Ave. Lot 1-15 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,540.00 |
| Watts, Richard A. & Rosemary 112 Bedford St. Lot 9-1A | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 976.80 |
| Waugh, Richard G. & Eldona S. 56 Woodland Rd. Lot 28 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Woodland Rd. Lot 12-1 | 1.12 A. Land | 242.00 |
| Way, Sally J. 29 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-11 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,430.00 |
| Weatherby, Winfield R., Trustee W. Richard Weatherby Trust 39 Short St., South Easton | | |
| 308 South Main St. Lot 5-5A | .62 A. Land & Bldg. | 770.00 |
| 124 Crescent St. Lot 20-3 | .69 A. Land | 176.00 |
| Weatherby, Wendell W. & Norma 391 North Elm St. Lot 27 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,056.00 |
| Webb, Julia C. 142 Brooks Place Lot 4-1 | .24 A. Land & Bldg. | 743.60 |
| Weber, John L. & Sandra K. 15 Grant St. Lot 40-7 | .92 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,518.00 |
| Webster, Paul C. & Lillian G. 59 Sunset Ave. Lot 21 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | 924.00 |
| Welch, John F. & Rita J. 87 Pleasant St. Lot 3-2B | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,034.00 |
| Wells, Alfred T. & Ruth M. 69 Howard St. Lot 5-2 | .40 A. Land & Bldg. | 990.00 |
| Howard St. Lot 5-3 | .72 A. Land | 30.80 |
| Howard St. Lot 5-7 | .72 A. Land | 30.80 |
| Wells, Lee W. & Caroline J. 613 North Elm St. Lot 38-1, 38-3 | .93 A. Land & Bldg. | 858.00 |
| Wells, Richard J. & Bronie T. 359 Manley St. Lot 25-3 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,188.00 |
| Walsh, Robert A. & Karen M. 256 Spring St. Lot 26-3 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | 1,078.00 |

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| Wennerholm, Nellie I. 412 Spring St. Lot 63-2 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Wentworth, Esther R. & Elizabeth E. 64 South Elm St. Lot 22-1 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,584.00 |
| Wentzell, William & Gertrude I. 428 Forest St. Lot 109-5, 109-7 | .66 A. Land & Bldg. | | 748.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 109-4 | .24 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Forest St. Lot 110-1 | .30 A. Land | | 6.60 |
| Werner, Robert T. & Ann M. 57 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-71 | .78 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| West Bridgewater Music Shop Center Shopping Plaza | | 68.00 | |
| Wetterburg, George W. & Edith E. 304 Matfield St. Lot 62-2 | .54 A. Land & Bldg. | | 814.00 |
| Whelan, Lawrence J. Jr. & Laurie L. 80 Prospect St. Lot 15 | .37 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Whitaker, Albert P. Jr., Trustee Cochesett Realty Trust 652 West Center St. Lot 27, 27-2 | 4.70 A. Land & Bldg. | 132.00 | 3,124.00 |
| White, Arthur W. & Fayette A. 268 South Elm St. Lot 8-2 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| White, Charles H. & Mary E. 6 Leo Park Drive Lot 10-10 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,364.00 |
| White, Donald S. & Sandra A. 15 Forest St. Lot 1 | 2.20 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| 266 Pleasant St. Lot 54 | 1.50 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| White, Ernest A. & Evangeline L. 30 Progressive Ave. Lot 3-6 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| White, Frederick A. & Barbara A. 32 Progressive Ave. Lot 3-7 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,254.00 |
| White, Inez M. 55 Crescent St. Lot 28 | 1.36 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| White, Robert A. & Anne E. 274 Pleasant St. Lot 53-2 | 3.49 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,430.00 |
| White, Robert E. & Valere M. 27 Woodland Rd. Lot 15-4 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,210.00 |
| Whittier, Richard & Carol F. 2 Joseph Ave. Lot 6-38 | .42 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,122.00 |
| Whynot, Clarence D. & Moniria I. 354 Pleasant St. Lot 50 | 30.15 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,892.00 |
| Pleasant St. Lot 69 | 1.79 A. Land | | 374.00 |
| Wilbur, Anna H. 11 Lincoln St. Lot 2-1, 2-2 | 1.10 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Wilbur, Barry W. & Deborah L. 53 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-70 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,386.00 |
| Wilbur, Geraldine L. c/o Edward E. Wilbur 351 Purchase St., South Easton | | | |
| West St. Lot 1 | 17.70 A. Land | | 2,332.00 |
| West St. Lot 89 | 3.63 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Wilbur, Laurier A. & Elsie W. 373 North Elm St. Lot 23 | .23 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Will, James A. & Sophie G. 301 Matfield St. Lot 73-5, 73-8, 73-15 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |

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| Williams, Albert E. & Dorothy F. 231 River St. Lot 5-1 | .83 A. Land & Bldg. | | 44.00 |
| Williams, Dorothy F. 231 River St. Lot 4 | 2.17 A. Land & Bldg. | | 968.00 |
| Matfield St. Lot 35, 36 | 4.38 A. Land | | 88.00 |
| Williams, Herbert I. & Ellen G. 64 Plain St. Lot 5-3 | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Williams, Malvina A., Est. of c/o Edward M. Williams, Jr. 29 Kenneth St. Lot 15-1 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 352.00 |
| Williams, Marion H. & Marilyn 141 Copeland St. Lot 4 | .39 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Williams, Richard C. 187 Crescent St. Lot 1-1 | 1.00 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Williams, Robert C. & Liboria 304 North Elm St. Lot 25-15 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Williams, Robert E. & Beverly A. 62 Bedford St. Lot 7-5, 7-9B | .68 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,034.00 |
| Williams, Thomas B. & Frances A. 294 East St. Lot 44 | 2.80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,606.00 |
| Willis, Albert E. & Geraldine C. 239 Spring St. Lot 52-4 | 2.08 A. Land & Bldg. | | 550.00 |
| Willis, Albert W. & Nancy J. 292 North Elm St. Lot 25-12 | .56 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Willis, Harold H. & Beverly M. 65 Plain St. Lot 11, 11-2 | .80 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,628.00 |
| Willis, Lawrence S. & Marie 20 Purchase St. Lot 2-6 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Willis, Richard E. & Joan E. 10 Francis Ave. Lot 17 | .25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 990.00 |
| Willis, Robert B. & Marjorie E. 1 Timothy Drive Lot 5-9 | .72 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,650.00 |
| Willis, Ruth M. & Chandler, Barbara A. 347 North Elm St. Lot 17-2 | .21 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,144.00 |
| Willis, Stanley W. & Irene R. 194 Forest St. Lot 4-1 | 1.83 A. Land & Bldg. | | 726.00 |
| 194 Forest St. | Trailer | | 264.00 |
| Willwerth, Norman N. & Ethel C. 14 Goldie Rd. Lot 6-20 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,210.00 |
| Wilmot, Clifford A. & Dorothy E. 500 East Center St. Lot 15, 14, 18, 17-1 | 17.86 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,408.00 |
| Winberg, Arvid L. 686 Manley St. Lot 1-1 | 2.25 A. Land & Bldg. | | 352.00 |
| Winchell, Robert L. & Morma J. 42 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-83 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,276.00 |
| Winfrey, George B. & Gladys M. 69 Union St. Lot 1-2 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,342.00 |
| Wingren, James K. & Virginia C. 618 West Center St. Lot 28-1 | .49 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Winslow, Alvin J. & Esther A. 320 Pearl St., Brockton 411 West St. Lot 8-3 | 1.60 A. Land & Bldg. | 88.00 | 4,444.00 |
| Wipperman, Elmer C. & Irene 17 Oliver St. Lot 4-13, 4-30 | .59 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |

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| Wohlen, John C. & Linda M. 8 East St. Lot 73-19 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Wolfsberg, James A. & Jean M. 10 Hartshorn St. Lot 6-75 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,298.00 |
| Wong, David 52 Rene Rd., Brockton | | | |
| West Center St. Lot 38-1 | 1.97 A. Land | | 431.20 |
| West Center St. Lot 38 | 20.50 A. Land | | 4,510.00 |
| Cor. West Center & Manley Lot 13-1 | 2.80 A. Land | | 616.00 |
| West St. Lot 12-2 | 6.20 A. Land | | 1,364.00 |
| Manley St. Ext. Lot 13-A | 6.50 A. Land | | 1,430.00 |
| Manley St. Ext. Lot 13-15 to 13-19 | 11.20 A. Land | | 2,464.00 |
| Wood, Donald & Helen G. 426 East Center St. Lot 13 | 11.83 A. Land & Bldgs. | 52.80 | 2,442.00 |
| Wood, James W. & Lois A. 17 Belmont St. Lot 7 | .79 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| Wood, Kenneth A. & Jane G. 19 Ash St. Lot 4 | .83 A. Land & Bldg. | | 2,758.80 |
| Wood, Russell C. & Jeanette 9 Vital Ave. Lot 2 | .34 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Woodlock, Gerard J. & Bernice A. 37 Brewster Blvd. Lot 6-37 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,166.00 |
| Woodward, Harlow E. & Anna A. 265 Spring St. Lot 17-9 | .26 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| Woodward, Lucy C. 54 Sunset Ave. Lot 8, 9 | .60 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |
| Worcester, Edward W. & Eva C. 261 South St. Lot 15 | 4.60 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,012.00 |
| Wright, David A. & Gertrude E. 90 Matfield St. Lot 10 | .46 A. Land & Bldg. | | 858.00 |
| Wright, Fred L. Jr. & Phyllis G. 384 East Center St. Lot 39 | 2.52 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,716.00 |
| Yafrate, James N. & Jacqueline 20 Milebrook Rd. Lot 17-9 | .43 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,100.00 |
| Yankowski, Chester E. & Dorothy M. 17 Merritt St. Lot 2, 3 | .69 A. Land & Bldg. | | 836.00 |
| Yermolovicz, Felix P. & Alberta A. 193 Copeland St. Lot 4-12 | .44 A. Land & Bldg. | | 924.00 |
| York, Murton A. & Jean M. 413 Crescent St. Lot 11 | .41 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,188.00 |
| Young, Hazel F. 257 West Center St. Lot 72-11 | 2.24 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,738.00 |
| Yucius, Mary A. 48 Clinton Rd. Lot 102-4, 102-5 | .35 A. Land & Bldg. | | 418.00 |
| Zamaitis, Edward J. & Elizabeth 18 Central Square Lot 12-2 | .75 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,232.00 |
| Zenavich, Roger P. & Evelyn F. 597 East St. Lot 26 | .65 A. Land & Bldg. | | 792.00 |
| 783 North Main St. Lot 75-3 | .29 A. Land & Bldg. | | 352.00 |
| Zeuli, Lucia 142 North Main St. | | | |
| Beacon St. Lot 38-2 | 11.53 A. Land | | 506.00 |
| Zolna, Kenneth M. & Mary M. 183 Brooks Place Lot 6-1 | .71 A. Land & Bldg. | | 902.00 |
| Zevitas, George J. & Dorothy M. 62 Progressive Ave. Lot 5-4 | 1.04 A. Land & Bldg. | | 1,056.00 |

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Office Hours for Town Offices

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| Assessors | Daily 8:30 – 12:00, 1:00 – 4:30 |
| Board of Health | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Planning Board | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Selectmen | Daily 8:30 – 12:30 Meeting – Monday Eve. 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Tax Collector & Treasurer | Daily 9:00 – 4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Town Clerk | Daily 9 – 12, 1 – 4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. |
| Veterans' Services | Daily 9:00 – 12:00 A.M. |
| Water Department | 1st & 3rd Wednesday Eve. 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
West Bridgewater, Massachusetts 02379
Telephone 617-588-4820

ACT NOW TO SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY!

Town government needs citizens who are willing to give time in the service of their community. The Board of Selectmen plans to organize a Talent Bank as a means of compiling names of citizens willing to serve, voluntarily, on boards, committees and as resource people. Names in our file will be available for use by the public as well as all town offices, the Selectmen and the Moderator.

If you wish to participate, please complete this form, indicate your areas of interest and return to:

Selectmen's Office
Town Hall
West Bridgewater, MA 02379

NAME _____ TEL. NO. _____

ADDRESS _____ OCCUPATION _____

BACKGROUND _____

LIST ORDER OF PREFERENCE:

PLANNING & PRESERVATION

Conservation Commission
Industrial Development Commission
Planning Board
Appeals Board

OTHER

Housing Authority
Council on Aging
Bicentennial Commission
Construction Committee

EDUCATION

School Committee Activities
Resource person for schools
Other

GOVERNMENT

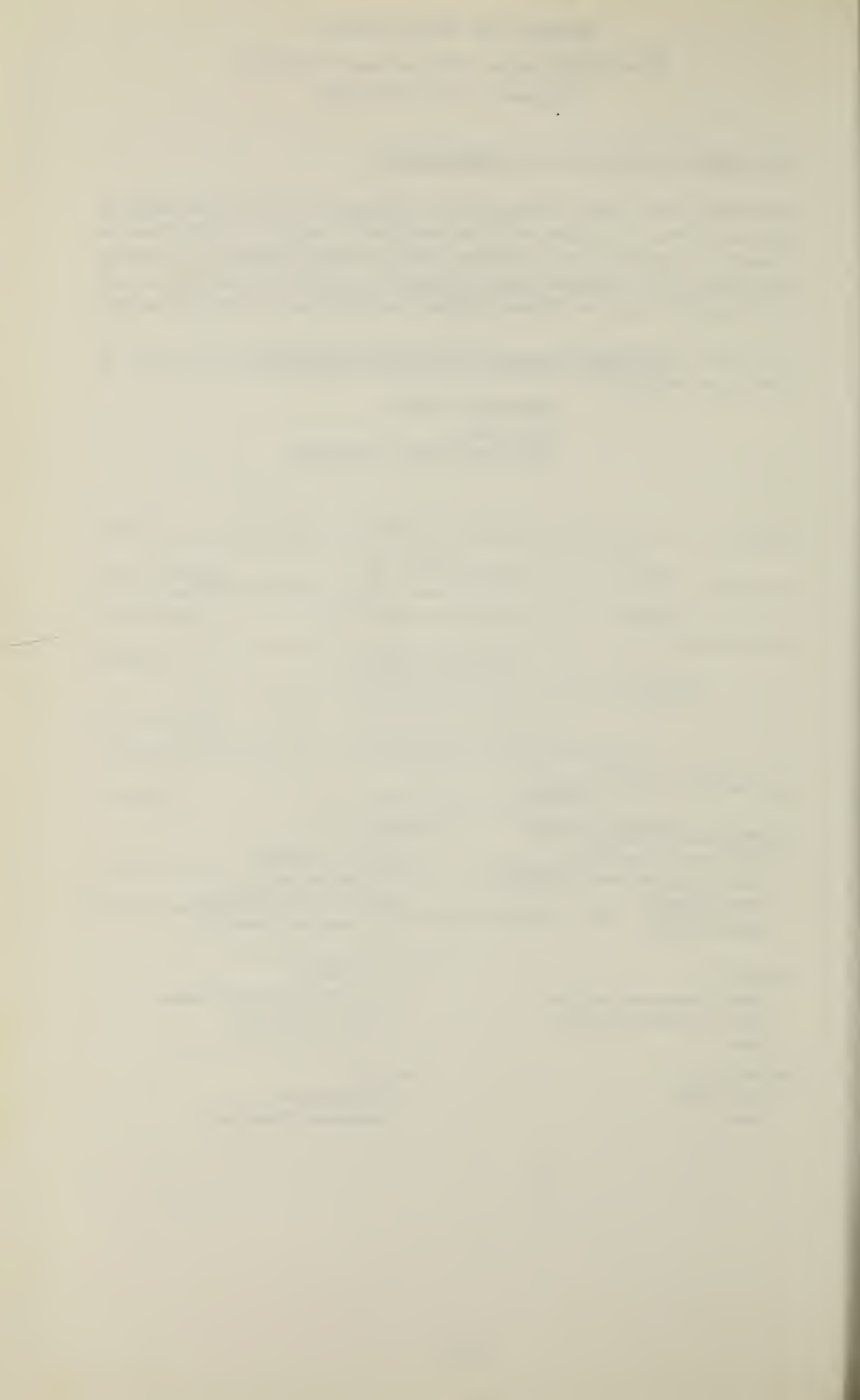
Committee Studying Changes
Finance Committee

RECREATION

Youth Work
Other

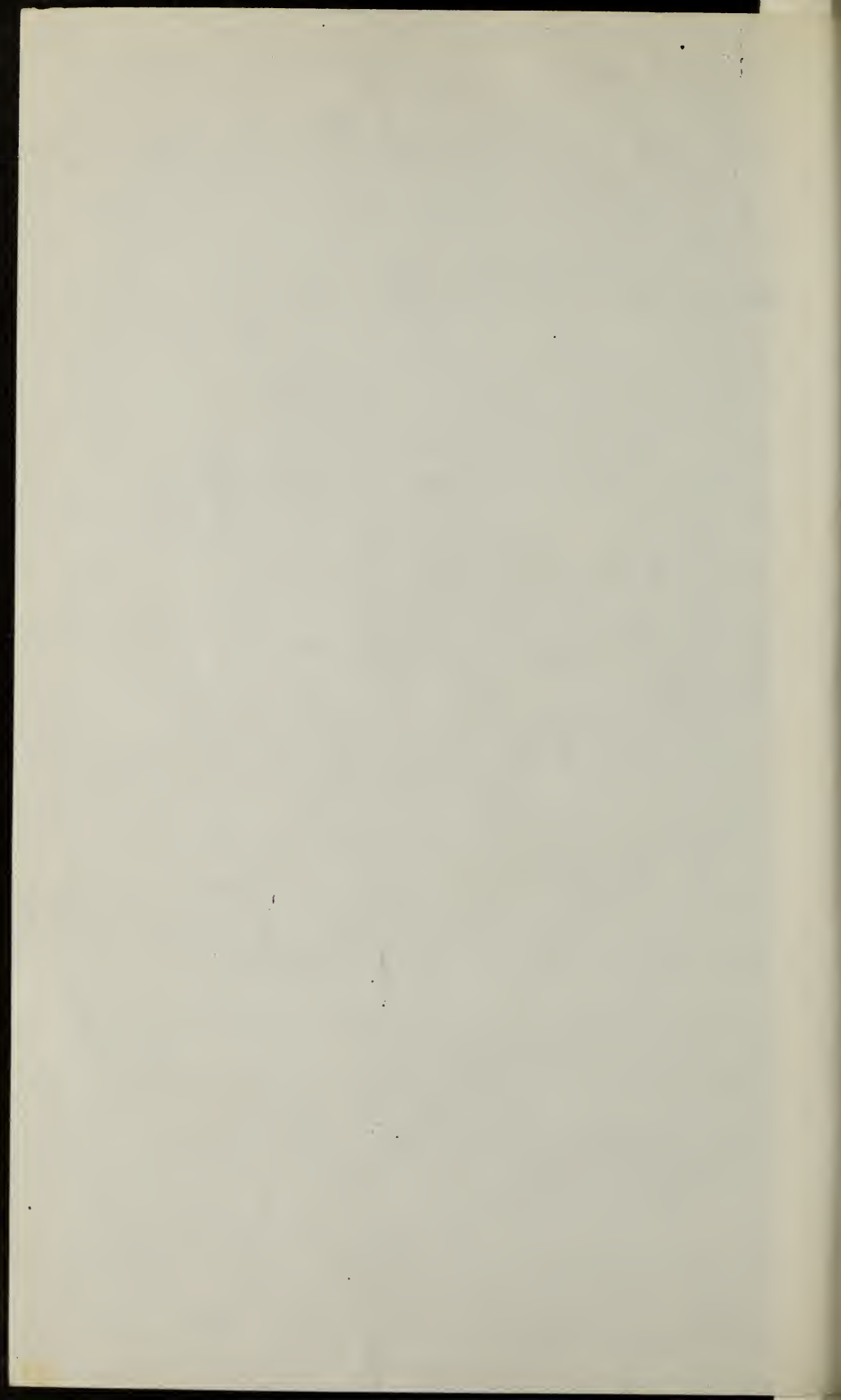
HEALTH

Social Services
Ambulance Committee



Interim Report of the Ambulance Committee

Michael Manugian, Chairman
Charles Johnson, Selectman
Richard Krugger, Selectman
Dr. Joseph Calitri
Police Chief, Erwin Lothrop
Fire Chief, Edwin Gibson
Eldon Moreira, Finance Committee
James Purpura, Bd of Health



We are pleased to announce the purchase of an ambulance for your use on March 15, 1976. This vehicle which will be completely equipped and will conform with the requirements of Federal Specification, KKK-A-1822, January 2, 1974, and Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 111C, February 1975, should be in service by September 1976.

Your ambulance will be manned by 1 member each from the Fire and Police Departments, respectively. It will be available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The vehicle will be housed in the fire station. At the present time, a total of 10 men have qualified as Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT's), per MGL, Chapter 111C. All members of the Police and Fire Departments will be qualified as EMT's by July 1977, per MGL, Chapter 111C.

By a majority vote, the Ambulance Committee moved that they be discharged at the annual town meeting, April 5, 1976. They feel that they have complied with your wishes and should be relieved of their duties.

Budget as of March 29, 1976

Appropriated.....\$40,000.00

Expended :

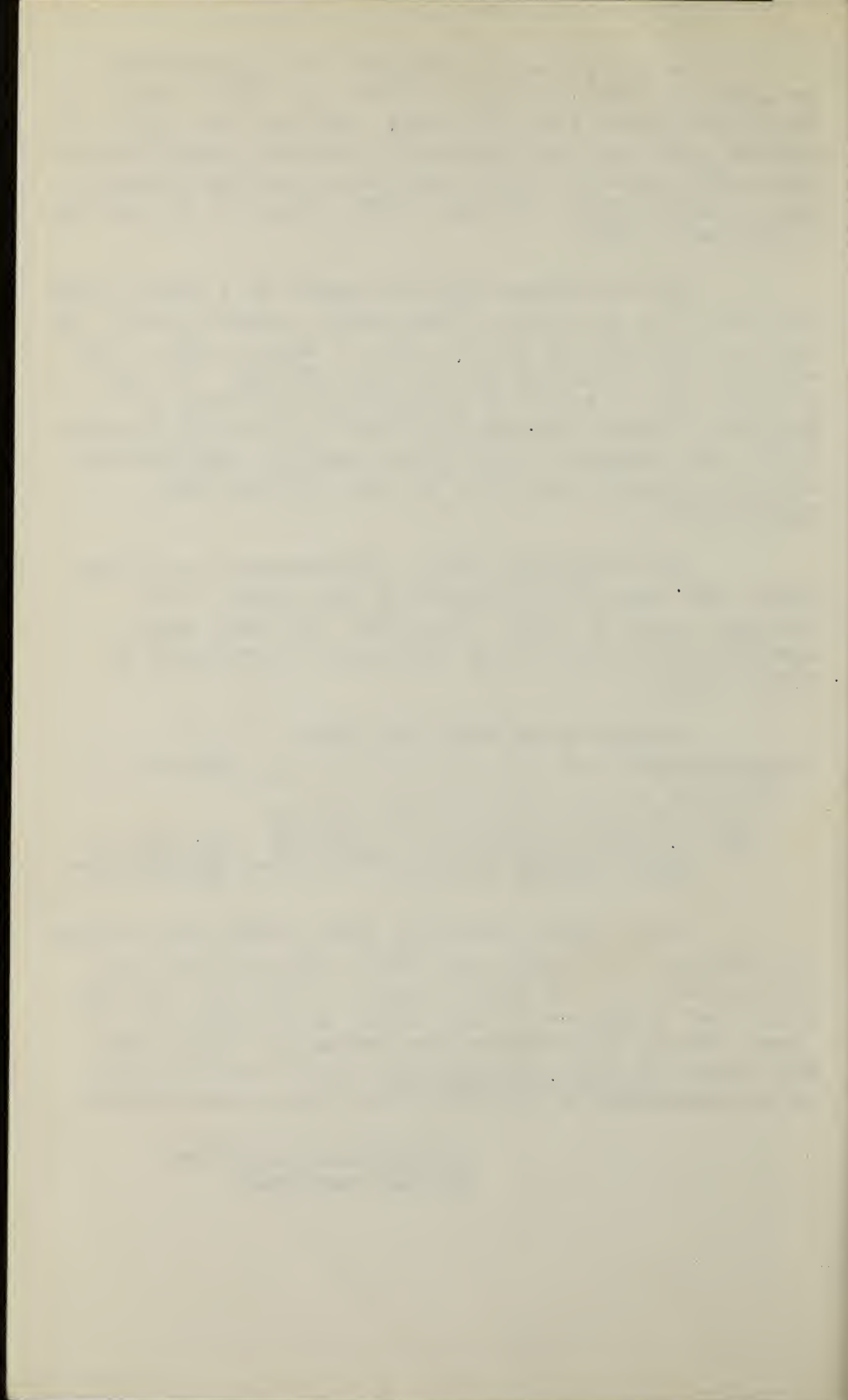
Cost of Horton Ambulance \$31,353.50

EMT training (Personnel) 4,321.07 \$35,674.57

March 29, 1976 Balance \$4,325.43

Many times you and I, have become discouraged by complacent attitudes and "let's not get involved" philosophies of this day and age. It is with extreme pride that I pass on to you a most gratifying bit of news. Two(2) Call Firemen are presently taking the EMT Course at their own expense. Isn't this typical of the character of your Fire and Police Departments?

Respectfully submitted
Michael Manugian.



WEST BRIDGEWATER



TOWN REPORT 1776 ~ 1976



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**THIS ANNUAL REPORT
IS DEDICATED TO:**

**WEST BRIDGEWATER
BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION**

Marjorie MacDonald, Vice-Chairman
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Frank Sanborn

This Commission has worked many hours to make the celebration of our nation's Bicentennial more meaningful.

It is hoped a new committee will be established as a vehicle with which the works of the Bicentennial Commission will be continued.

In Memoriam

Matthew Mazza

Finance Committee

1962 – 1971

Deceased May 10, 1976

J. Layton Hayward

Conservation Commission

1965 – 1976

Deceased May 9, 1976

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers and Committees
OF THE TOWN OF
WEST BRIDGEWATER



For the Year Ending December 31

1976

STATISTICS of the Town of West Bridgewater

1970 – Federal Census – 7152

1976 – Town Census – 6525

Total Registered Voters – 3632

PRECINCT I

Republican 631

Democrat 437

Unenrolled 729

PRECINCT II

Republican 619

Democrat 462

American 2

Unenrolled 760

Number of Residences – 1988

Area of Town – 15.75 Square Miles

Miles of Water Mains – 56

Local Road Mileage – 58

COUNCILLOR – FIRST DISTRICT

John Britland

SENATOR – BRISTOL, PLYMOUTH, NORFOLK DISTRICT

Robert McCarthy

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

14th PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Karen Swanson

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

10th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Margaret Heckler

Town Meeting – March 14

1977

Town Election – March 19

Town Officers for 1976

MODERATOR

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Charles L. Hill | 1976 | 1977 |

TOWN CLERK

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|---------------|---------|--------------|
| Anna E. Brown | 1976 | 1979 |

SELECTMEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Charles H. Johnson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Michael Manugian | 1975 | 1978 |
| Richard E. Krugger | 1976 | 1979 |

ASSESSORS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|---------------------|---------|--------------|
| Irving Puffer | 1974 | 1977 |
| Sherwood W. Jackson | 1975 | 1978 |
| Gary A. Boyd | 1976 | 1979 |

TREASURER-COLLECTOR

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| Joseph F. McCann | 1975 | 1978 |

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-------------------|---------|--------------|
| Jessie Anderson | 1974 | 1977 |
| John B. Sillars | 1976 | 1977 |
| Priscilla Grippen | 1975 | 1978 |
| Edith Wolfsberg | 1975 | 1978 |
| Joan F. Sheedy | 1976 | 1979 |
| Ethel T. Fisher | 1976 | 1979 |

REGIONAL-VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Eugene Kostecki | 1975 | 1978 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|
| Charles Barros | 1974 | 1977 |
| Patricia R. Alger | 1976 | 1977 |
| Nicholas Palmieri | 1975 | 1978 |
| George Lepine | 1975 | 1978 |
| Robert White | 1976 | 1979 |
| William P. Bystrom | 1976 | 1979 |

WATER COMMISSIONERS

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Donald Davock | 1976 | 1977 |
| John W. Noyes | 1975 | 1978 |
| Edward G. Asack | 1976 | 1979 |

TREE WARDEN

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1974 | 1977 |

CONSTABLES

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Edwin T. Gibson | 1974 | 1977 |
| Raymond L. Silva | 1974 | 1977 |

BOARD OF HEALTH

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| James F. Purpura | 1974 | 1977 |
| Kenneth Turner | 1975 | 1978 |
| Edward F. Cruz | 1976 | 1979 |

PLANNING BOARD

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Donald Seablom | 1975 | 1977 |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | 1973 | 1978 |
| Donald Asack | 1976 | 1979 |
| Merton Ouderkirk | 1975 | 1980 |
| Ronald P. Snell | 1976 | 1981 |

HOUSING AUTHORITY

| | Elected | Term Expires |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1972 | 1977 |
| Richard C. Williams | 1974 | 1979 |
| Kevin Kelley | 1975 | 1980 |
| George A. Miller | 1976 | 1981 |
| Armen Amerigan (Appointed by State) | 1976 | 1979 |

Appointments Town Meeting

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER, WOOD AND BARK

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|---------------|
| Ronald Snell | Clinton Howard | Lans Anderson |
|--------------|----------------|---------------|

FIELD DRIVERS

| | | |
|------------|---------------|------------------|
| Leo Moroni | Janet Merritt | Edward Hackenson |
|------------|---------------|------------------|

FENCE VIEWERS

| | | |
|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
| Robert Reynolds | Frank McLeod | Richard Anderson |
|-----------------|--------------|------------------|

Officers Appointed By Selectmen

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Irving G. Sylvester

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Arthur E. Chaves

CHIEF OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Ervin G. Lothrop

CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Edwin T. Gibson

SUPERINTENDENT OF PEST CONTROL, 3 Yrs.

Thomas B. MacQuinn

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Edwin T. Gibson

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Warren A. Turner

DEPUTY SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Warren E. Turner

DOG OFFICER

Robert Etsell

VETERAN'S BURIAL AGENT

Armen Amerigian

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

Robert W. Anderson

DEPUTY CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

John C. Eldridge

GAS INSPECTOR

Wallace Engstrom

TOWN COUNSEL

Francis J. Lynch II

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Edward M. Pingree | 1974 | 1977 |
| Lance R. Ohlson | 1975 | 1978 |
| Francis J. Boyd | 1976 | 1979 |

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Albert Greiner

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

Thomas B. MacQuinn

Richard E. Norris

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

Ernest R. Peterson

MEMORIAL FIELD COMMITTEE

Charles Hill

William R. Brown

Armen Amerigian

HERRING WARDEN

Philip C. Tuck

DEPUTY HERRING WARDENS

Thomas B. MacQuinn

Joseph Souza

LOCKUP KEEPER

Walter Thayer

ADMINISTRATOR OF INSURANCE

Joseph F. McCann

BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Julian Lucini | 1974 | 1977 |
| H. Kingman Burrill | 1975 | 1978 |
| John D. Pettinelli | 1975 | 1978 |
| William E. Turner, Jr. | 1976 | 1979 |
| John H. Hamilton, Jr. | 1976 | 1979 |

Associate Members:

Henry Podolsky and Ronald S. Alger

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Frank Miller | 1977 |
| George Hollertz, Jr. | 1978 |
| Francis LeBarron | 1979 |
| Leon Beaulieu | 1980 |
| Ronald Brodrick | 1981 |

ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

| | Term Expires |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Freeman Bowden | 1977 |
| Robert Bowman | 1978 |
| Henry Bradford | 1979 |
| Charles Higgins | 1980 |
| Carl R. Bystrom | 1981 |

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Thomas B. MacQuinn | 1974 | 1977 |
| Janet Merritt | 1976 | 1977 |
| Philip C. Tuck | 1975 | 1978 |
| Joseph Souza | 1975 | 1978 |
| Russell Hart | 1975 | 1978 |
| Richard Burton | 1976 | 1979 |
| Donald E. Surgens | 1976 | 1979 |

BY-LAW STUDY COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Gilbert Baker | 1974 | 1977 |
| Robert White | 1974 | 1978 |
| Lawrence Conant | 1974 | 1978 |
| George V. Hollertz, Jr. | 1974 | 1979 |
| George Merritt | 1974 | 1979 |
| Gary Boyd | 1975 | 1980 |
| Geraldine Hamilton | 1976 | 1981 |

RECREATION COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Pasquale Grosso, Jr. | 1973 | 1977 |
| Carmella Preston | 1973 | 1978 |
| Ethel Fisher | 1974 | 1979 |
| Eugene Kostecki | 1975 | 1980 |
| Artemis Bucci | 1976 | 1981 |

COUNCIL ON AGING

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Susan D. Puffer | 1974 | 1977 |
| Lloyd A. Sears | 1974 | 1977 |
| John C. Eldridge | 1974 | 1977 |
| Lucille North | 1975 | 1978 |
| Marjorie E. MacDonald | 1975 | 1978 |
| Virginia Michael | 1976 | 1979 |
| Beth Burgess | 1976 | 1979 |
| Clifford Carlson | 1976 | 1979 |
| Evelyn Thayer | 1976 | 1979 |

DATA PROCESSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Lawrence D. Conant

Everett B. Tufts

William R. Brown, Jr.

BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Charles Pickering

Wallace Johnson

Grace Keenan

Charles S. Millet

Robert D. Bevis

Lloyd A. Sears

Marie Murray

Dorothy Seablom

Jessie Anderson

Marjorie MacDonald

Albert B. Cook

Lucille North

George Merritt

Eugene Kostecki

Ethel T. Fisher

Richard K. Manderville

William R. Brown

Paul C. Murray

Hillary A. Murray

Florence M. Keeler

Frank Sanborn

MULTI SERVICE HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE

Margaret C. Tuck

REPRESENTATIVE TO SELF-HELP INC.

Matthew A. Chauncey

ECONOMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE FOR OCPC

Samuel Read, Jr.

OLD COLONY PLANNING COUNCIL TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Erland W. Thayer

AMBULANCE COMMITTEE

Michael Manugian

Charles Johnson

Edwin T. Gibson

Richard E. Krugger

Ervin G. Lothrop

CETA DESIGNEE

Richard E. Krugger

TENNIS COMMITTEE

Donald A. Fisher

Frank Miller

Thomas B. MacQuinn

Robert Lindgren

Arthur Chaves

DRURY BELL COMMITTEE

Marjorie E. MacDonald

Charles H. Johnson

Richard E. Krugger

Michael Manugian

LOCAL GROWTH COMMITTEE

Charles Johnson

Merton Ouderkirk

Philip C. Tuck

Carl R. Bystrom

Edward F. Cruz

Rhoda Johnson

Geraldine Hamilton

Shirley Bowman

Charles Alex Pickering

Marie Murray

BIKEWAY COMMITTEE

Alphee Surette

Catherine Chaves

Robert Lindgren

Susan Anderson

Ann Karsh



Appointments by Board of Health

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Leo F. Moroni

BOARD OF HEALTH PHYSICIAN

Dr. Joseph F. Calitri

BURIAL AGENT

Anna E. Brown

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

Wallace Engstrom

ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

William L. Pike

Appointments by Chief of Fire Department

DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

William E. Gibson

DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

Francis J. Crowley

William E. Gibson

Edward Asack

Thomas B. MacQuinn

Clinton Howard

Irving Sylvester

Appointments by Moderator

COMMITTEE TO APPOINT A FINANCE COMMITTEE

Warren E. Turner

William E. Turner, Jr.

Howard G. Miles

Edward Asack

Henry Bishop

STREET LIGHTING COMMITTEE

John B. Sillars

Angelo E. Mattie

Donald A. Seablom

Raymond L. Silva

John Daly

James F. Purpura

WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

Thomas MacQuinn

Philip C. Tuck

Donald E. Surgens

Merton H. Ouderkirk

Richard E. Krugger

FINANCE COMMITTEE

| | Appointed | Term Expires |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Wayne Asker | 1974 | 1977 |
| Robert L. Smith | 1974 | 1977 |
| William Ledin | 1975 | 1977 |
| Barbara Ginn | 1975 | 1978 |
| John Simpson, Jr. | 1975 | 1978 |
| Lawrence D. Conant | 1975 | 1978 |
| John B. Baker | 1976 | 1979 |
| Eldon Moreira | 1976 | 1979 |
| Doris Haight | 1976 | 1979 |

POLICE BUILDING COMMITTEE

Charles M. Roussel

Joseph L. McMorrow

George V. Hollertz, Jr.

Richard C. Williams

Leonard P. Bucci

TOWN CLERK REPORT

Appointments

March 15 — Joseph Souza, 9 Goldie Road appointed Permanent Full Time Police Officer

April 26 — Merton Ouderkirk, 300 W. Center Street and Ronald P. Snell, 332 N. Elm Street appointed to Old Colony Planning Council.

June 21 — John B. Sillars, 91 Pleasant Street appointed Trustee of Public Library until next Annual Election.

September 7 — Marjorie E. MacDonald, 51 River Street, appointed member of the Historical Commission.

October 6 — Neil R. Manzer, 123 Turnpike Street appointed member of the Finance Committee.

Ann P. Judson, 145 Spring Street appointed member of the Finance Committee.

October 25 — John Lee appoint Labor Negotiator.

October 25 — William R. Brown, Sr. 178 So. Main Street appoint to Memorial Day Committee.

December 27 — John C. Eldridge appointed to the new Landfill Study Committee.

Resignations

April 14 — Gary A. Boyd resignation received from By-Law Committee.

April 14 — Robert A. White resignation received from By-Law Committee.

May 20 — Pasquale Grosso, Jr. resignation received from Recreation Committee.

June 7 — Richard Worcester resignation received from Trustees of Public Library.

August 26 — Wallace Johnson resignation received from Historical Commission.

September 15 — Donald Seablom resignation received from Planning Board.

September 24 — John Simpson, Jr. resignation received from John Simpson, Jr. from the Finance Committee.

September 24 — Wayne Asker resignation received from the Finance Committee.

Presidential Primary

March 2, 1976

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in Primaries were duly warned, was held and polls opened at 10 A.M. by the Wardens, Warren A. Turner, Precinct 1; John Sillars, Precinct 2, at the Spring Street Elementary School.

The results follow:

Precinct I:

Ballot Box inspected by the Police Officer and the Warden, registers set at 0000. 700 Republican Ballots, 700 Democratic Ballots, 101 American Ballots delivered to Precinct I by the Town Clerk and receipt given for same.

Election Officers: Joan Ohlson, Mary Cogswell, Lillian Cheyunski, Patricia Berry, Checkers.

Warden Warren A. Turner, Clerk Edythe Baker

Counters and Observers: Marie Murray, Helen Souza, Belle Baker, Doris Haight

Total Tally: Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock.

Close of the Polls at 8 P.M. 515 Ballots had been cast: 249 Republicans and 265 Democratic with 1 American

Precinct II:

Ballot Box inspected by the Police Officer and the Warden, register set at 0000. 1300 Republican Ballots, 1000 Democratic Ballots and 78 American Ballots delivered to Warden by the Town Clerk and Receipt given for same.

Election Officers: Shirley Almquist, Hope McCaffrey, Eva Lepine, Adeline Isenberg—Checkers.

Warden: John Sillars, Robert Kellie, Clerk.

Counters and Observers: Beulah Alger, Emma Marzelli, Alice Richardson, Eutropyia Sinkevich.

Total Tally: William R. Brown, Jr. and Joseph Souza.

Close of the Polls at 8 P.M. 563 Ballots had been cast: 246 Republican Ballots. 316 Democratic Ballots and 1 American Ballot.

REPUBLICAN BALLOT

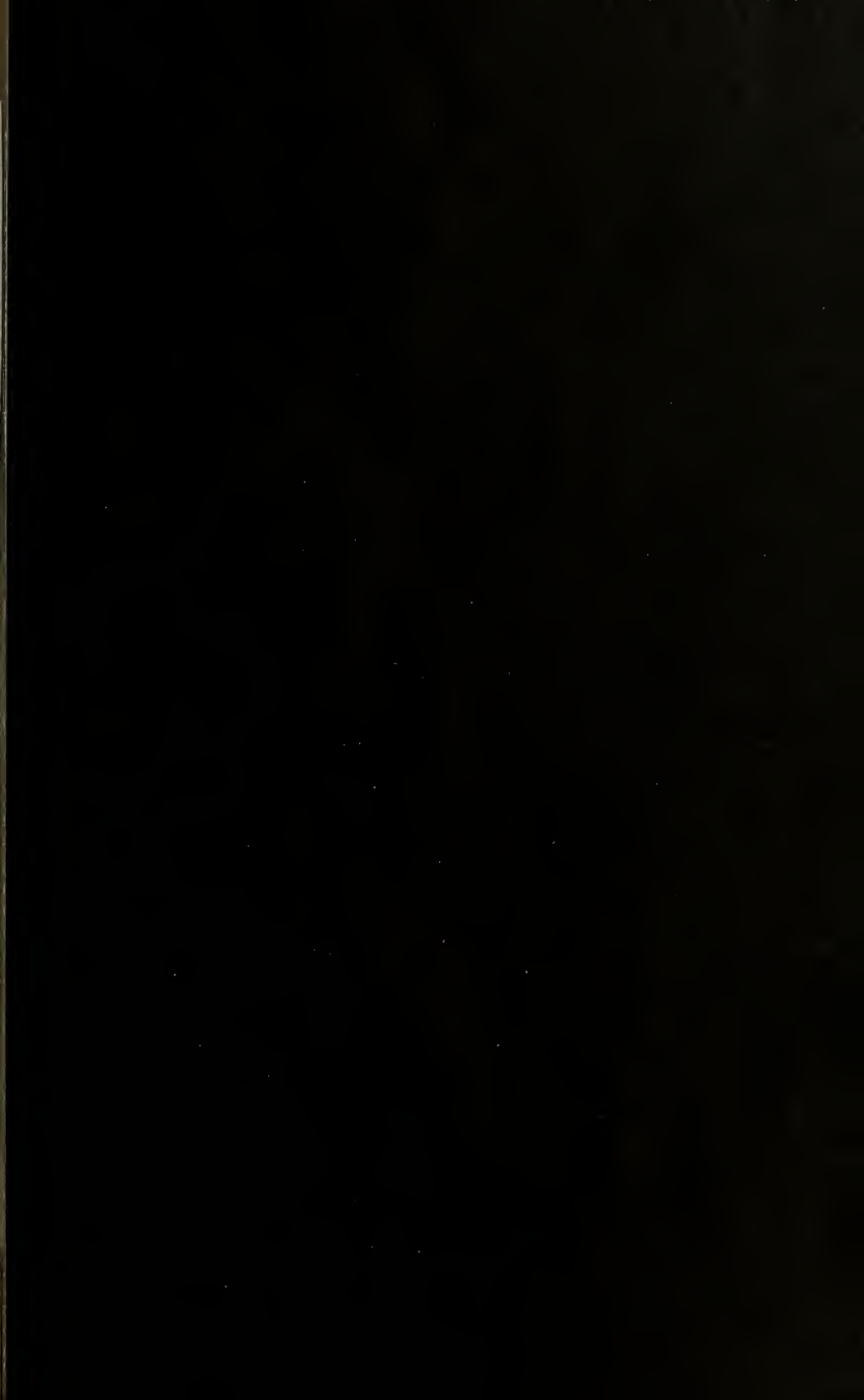
| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|-------|
| PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE: | | | |
| Ronald Reagan | 107 | 103 | 210 |
| Gerald R. Ford | 120 | 125 | 245 |
| No Preference | 8 | 7 | 15 |
| Jimmy Carter | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Wallace | 5 | | 5 |
| Milton Shapp | | 1 | 1 |
| Goldwater | 1 | | 1 |
| Elliot Richardson | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Howard Baker | | 1 | 1 |
| Frank Zappa | | 1 | 1 |
| Blanks | 5 | 2 | 7 |

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|-------|
| STATE COMMITTEE MAN: | | | |
| Thomas J. Barry | 93 | 100 | 193 |
| Curtis Dahl | 101 | 99 | 200 |
| Jones | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 54 | 47 | 101 |
| STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN: | | | |
| Claire Chilari | 177 | 168 | 345 |
| Chisholm | 2 | | 2 |
| Blanks | 70 | 78 | 148 |
| TOWN COMMITTEE: | | | |
| Warren E. Turner | 184 | 186 | 370 |
| Elizabeth G. Turner | 148 | 160 | 308 |
| Michael Manugian | 178 | 189 | 367 |
| Warren A. Turner | 164 | 166 | 330 |
| Robert L. Smith | 151 | 167 | 318 |
| John C. Eldridge | 178 | 187 | 365 |
| Robert Werner | 144 | 154 | 298 |
| Emil A. Lawson | 152 | 169 | 321 |
| Evelyn Lawson | 151 | 164 | 315 |
| Eldon Moreira | 148 | 173 | 321 |
| Marjorie MacDonald | 189 | 187 | 376 |
| Eugene Kostecki | 152 | 161 | 313 |
| Charles Johnson | 150 | 169 | 319 |
| Dorothy Holmgren | 171 | 184 | 355 |
| Mildred Lucier | 135 | 149 | 284 |
| Gary Boyd | 154 | 166 | 320 |
| Frank Miller | 156 | 165 | 321 |
| Fiona Miller | 139 | 155 | 294 |
| Betty Miller | 140 | 156 | 296 |
| Ann Werner | 144 | 148 | 292 |
| Robert Kellie | 149 | 160 | 309 |
| DeSales Heath | 161 | 176 | 337 |
| Richard Heath | 145 | 160 | 305 |
| William Matro | | 1 | 1 |
| Frank Sanborn | | 1 | 1 |
| Blanks | 3887 | 3527 | 7414 |

DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE:

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|-----|
| Robert Kelleher | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| George C. Wallace | 61 | 57 | 118 |
| Ellen McCormack | 6 | 6 | 12 |
| Terry Sanford | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lloyd Bentsen | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fred R. Harris | 23 | 26 | 49 |
| Milton J. Shapp | 2 | 8 | 10 |
| Birch Bayh | 18 | 31 | 49 |
| Jimmy Carter | 48 | 61 | 109 |
| R. Sargent Shriver | 20 | 20 | 40 |
| Henry M. Jackson | 50 | 61 | 111 |
| Morris K. Udall | 30 | 34 | 64 |
| No Preference | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Hubert Humphrey | 4 | 7 | 11 |
| Kennedy | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 1 | 3 | 4 |



DEMOCRATIC BALLOT (contd.)

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|-------|
| STATE COMMITTEE MAN: | | | |
| Gary D. Jones | 138 | 152 | 290 |
| William J. Morse | 75 | 121 | 196 |
| Blanks | 52 | 43 | 95 |
| STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN: | | | |
| Arlene R. Chisholm | 61 | 68 | 129 |
| Carolyn Morwich | 143 | 196 | 339 |
| Blanks | 61 | 52 | 113 |
| TOWN COMMITTEE: | | | |
| Richard E. Krugger | 180 | 214 | 394 |
| Margaret M. Ryan | 151 | 169 | 320 |
| Rosella W. McCormick | 136 | 166 | 302 |
| Margaret M. Kent | 149 | 189 | 322 |
| John J. Kent | 140 | 182 | 322 |
| Joseph F. Linehan | 145 | 181 | 326 |
| Irving W. Puffer | 126 | 168 | 294 |
| Edward M. Pingree | 136 | 184 | 320 |
| Edith M. Wolfsberg | 132 | 170 | 302 |
| John B. Sillars | 139 | 182 | 321 |
| Catherine M. Chaves | 133 | 178 | 311 |
| Francis J. Boyd | 145 | 171 | 316 |
| Shirley L. Krugger | 138 | 174 | 312 |
| Joan F. Sheedy | 146 | 185 | 331 |
| Kevin H. Kelley | 139 | 174 | 313 |
| John S. Hamilton | 143 | 197 | 340 |
| Mary E. Petrie | 139 | 171 | 310 |
| Michael F. Long | 146 | 182 | 328 |
| Ann Long | 147 | 180 | 327 |
| Francis Lynch | 5 | | 5 |
| Dave Cockey | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 2584 | 2903 | 5487 |

AMERICAN BALLOT

| | | | |
|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE: | | | |
| Ronald Regan | | 1 | 1 |
| No Preference | 1 | | 1 |
| STATE COMMITTEE MAN: | | | |
| Leo F. Kahian | | 1 | 1 |
| Blanks | 1 | | 1 |
| STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN: | | | |
| Eva M. Kahian | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | | 1 | 1 |

A true copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

Annual Town Election

April 10, 1976

The Annual Town Election was held at the Spring Street School on Saturday, April 10, 1976. Warrant issued by the Selectmen was posted by the Constable, Edwin T. Gibson, on March 26, 1976, in accordance with the provisions of the Town By-Laws.

Specimen ballots, cards of instructions and abstracts of the laws, imposing penalties upon voters, were posted as required by the laws of the Commonwealth.

The polls were opened at 9 A.M. the Ballot boxes in both precincts were and inspected the registers set at 0000. 1400 Ballots were given to the Warden in Precinct I and 1550 Ballots to the Warden in Precinct II and receipts given to the Town Clerk for the same.

At the close of the polls at 8 P.M. the ballot box registers showed the following number of ballots cast.

| | |
|-------------|------------|
| Precinct I | 881 |
| Precinct II | <u>939</u> |
| Total | 1820 |

The following workers were sworn in:

Precinct I.—Frank Miller, Warden; Edythe Baker, Clerk; Joan Ohlson, Mary Cogswell, Lillian Cheyunski, Patricia Berry, Checkers; Helen Souza, Marie Murray, Edith Wolfsberg, Belle Baker, Catherine Bird, Marjorie Ohlson, Alice Richardson, Janet Merritt—Counters and Observers; Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock—Total Tally.

Precinct II.—John Sillars, Warden; Warren Turner, Clerk; Shirley Almquist, Hope McCaffrey, Eva Lepine, Adeline Isenberg, Checkers; Eutropy Sinkevich, Catherine Chaves, Ann Long, Dorothy Holmgren, John Hamilton, Carolyn Boyd, Counters and Observers; Joseph Souza, William R. Brown, Jr., Total Tally.

The results were declared as follows:

| | Precinct 1 | Precinct II | Total |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| MODERATOR, 1 year | | | |
| Charles L. Hill | 730 | 819 | 1549 |
| Scattered | 2 | | 2 |
| Blanks | 149 | 120 | 269 |
| Charles L. Hill declared elected. | | | |
| TOWN CLERK | | | |
| Anna E. Brown | 730 | 811 | 1541 |
| Rhoda Johnson | | 1 | 1 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 150 | 127 | 277 |
| Anna E. Brown declared elected. | | | |
| SELECTMAN, 3 years | | | |
| Richard E. Krugger | 479 | 503 | 982 |
| Eldon F. Moreira | 389 | 419 | 808 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 12 | 17 | 29 |
| Richard E. Krugger declared elected | | | |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|--|------------|-------------|-------|
| ASSESSOR, 3 years | | | |
| Herbert A. Holmes | 326 | 317 | 643 |
| Gary A. Boyd | 503 | 577 | 1080 |
| Blanks | 52 | 45 | 97 |
| Gary A. Boyd declared elected. | | | |
| TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, 3 years | | | |
| Ethel T. Fisher | 554 | 553 | 1107 |
| Roger A. Coelho | 408 | 434 | 842 |
| Joan F. Sheedy | 461 | 524 | 985 |
| Blanks | 339 | 367 | 706 |
| Ethel T. Fisher and Joan F. Sheedy declared elected. | | | |
| SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 3 years | | | |
| Harry D. Raleigh | 385 | 447 | 832 |
| William P. Bystrom | 480 | 558 | 1038 |
| Robert A. White | 604 | 578 | 1182 |
| Blanks | 293 | 295 | 588 |
| William P. Bystrom and Robert A. White declared elected. | | | |
| SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 1 year | | | |
| Patricia R. Alger | 516 | 510 | 1026 |
| Patricia Denise Holmes | 90 | 98 | 188 |
| Thomas F. Kelley | 232 | 267 | 499 |
| Blanks | 43 | 64 | 107 |
| Patricia R. Alger was declared elected. | | | |
| WATER COMMISSIONER, 3 years | | | |
| Edward G. Asack | 759 | 822 | 1581 |
| Scattered | 2 | | 2 |
| Blanks | 120 | 117 | 237 |
| Edward G. Asack declared elected. | | | |
| WATER COMMISSIONER, 1 yr. | | | |
| Jimmy C. Ames | 344 | 365 | 709 |
| Donald N. Davock | 465 | 507 | 972 |
| Blanks | 72 | 67 | 139 |
| Donald N. Davock was declared elected. | | | |
| BOARD OF HEALTH, 3 years | | | |
| Edward F. Cruz | 715 | 791 | 1506 |
| Blanks | 166 | 148 | 314 |
| Edward F. Cruz declared elected. | | | |
| PLANNING BOARD, 5 years | | | |
| Ronald P. Snell | 559 | 539 | 1098 |
| Robert F. O'Neil | 269 | 351 | 620 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 52 | 49 | 101 |
| Ronald P. Snell declared elected. | | | |
| PLANNING BOARD, 3 years | | | |
| Donald G. Asack | 591 | 604 | 1195 |
| Jay Howland | 226 | 267 | 493 |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 63 | 68 | 131 |
| Donald G. Asack declared elected. | | | |

HOUSING AUTHORITY, 5 years

George A. Miller

Scattered

Blanks

727

1

153

779

160

1506

1

313

George A. Miller declared elected.

A true copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown

Town Clerk

Annual Town Meeting April 15, 1976

A meeting of which the inhabitants of the Town of West Bridgewater qualified to vote in election and Town Affairs was held at the Sr., Jr. High School Auditorium on April 5, 1976, was called to order by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill at 7:45 P.M.

High School Band under the direction of Ms. Terri Cohen played the National Anthem.

Charles H. Johnson, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen read the following proclamation.

**By the Great and General Court of the
Colony of Massachusetts Bay**

A PROCLAMATION

"The frailty of human nature, the wants of individuals, and the numerous dangers which surround them, through the course of life, have in all ages, and in every country, impell'd them to form societies, and establish governments.

As the happiness of the people is the sole end of government, so the consent of the people is the only foundation of it, in reason, morality, and the natural fitness of things; And therefore every act of government, every exercise of sovereignty, against, or without, the consent of the people, is injustice, usurpation, and tyranny.

It is a maxim, that in every government, there must exist somewhere, a supreme sovereign, absolute, and uncontrollable power; But this power resides always in the body of the people; and it never was, or can be delegated to one man, or a few; the great Creator having never given to men a right to vest others with authority over them, unlimited either in duration or degree.

This proclamation goes on to explain the duties of all officers of the colonies—Judges, Magistrates, Sheriffs, Grand Jurors, tythingmen and all other Civil Officers. It calls for them to exert their efforts in the cause of Liberty and a new morality which we could all follow today. The proclamation ends with an order:

ORDERED:

That the foregoing proclamation be read at the opening of every Superior Court of Judicature, And Inferior Court of Common pleas, and court of General Sessions for the Peace within this colony, by their respective clerks; and at the Annual Town Meetings in

March, in each Town. And it is hereby recommended to the several minister of the Gospel, throughout this Colony, to read the same in their respective assemblies on the Lord's day next after their receiving it, immediately after divine service.

Sent down for Concurrence, Perez Morton, Dep'y Sec'y

In the House of Representatives, Jan. 23, 1776.

Rev. Julieanne Hallman of the Cochesett Methodist Church gave the invocation.

Moderator announced the names of the guests present.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown. 335 Voters checked in.

Meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. To choose Town Officers for the ensuing year not elected on the official Ballot:

Surveyors of Lumber, Wood and Bark: Clinton Howard, Lans Anderson, Ronald Snell

Upon vote So voted.

Field Drivers: Leo Moroni, Janet Merritt, Edward Hackenson nominated and so voted.

Fence Viewers: Robert Reynolds, Frank McLeod, Richard Anderson Nominated, so voted.

Article 2. Moved: the reports of the Town Officers and Committees be accepted as printed in the 1975 Annual Town Report. So voted.

Article 3. Moved: The Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1976, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 4. Moved: The sum of \$12,500.00 be appropriated to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of construction, reconstruction, maintenance of public Highways and bridges and of the enforcement of traffic laws as provided by Chapter 825 Acts of 1974, the reimbursement to be received therefor to be returned to available funds of the town.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Moved: The Board of Selectmen be authorized to enter into a contract or contracts with the Department of Public Works and County Commissioners for the construction and maintenance of public highways for the fiscal year July 1, 1976—June 30, 1977.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 6. Moved: The salaries of the following elected Town Officials be set as

follows for the fiscal year July 1, 1976—June 30, 1977 subject to the provision that such salaries shall be increased effective July 1, 1976 by that percentage as shall be agreed, in collective bargaining now in progress, as the percentage cost of living increase granted the Town Highway Department employees for the said fiscal year.

Moved: Moderator salary \$100.00 So voted.

Selectmen: the sum of \$3,155.00 appropriated to be paid: Chairman \$1,215.00, Clerk and 3rd member \$970.00. So Voted.

Town Clerk—the sum of \$8,010.00 be appropriated for the Town Clerk's salary. So Voted.

Tree Warden—the sum of \$12,780.00 be appropriated. So Voted.

Treasurer—the sum of \$11,692.00 be appropriated. Motion made to amend the amount to \$12,860.00. Upon a counted vote for the higher amount of Yes 120, No-144 motion carried. Upon vote the Amount of \$11,692.00 was carried.

Assessors—the sum of \$5,260.00 be appropriated. Motion to amend the amount the sum of \$8,260.00 be appropriated for Assessors Salaries each to be paid \$2,753.33 with the Chairman receiving \$2,753.34. Upon voice vote amendment lost and the sum of \$5,620.00 carried to be Paid Chairman—\$1,754.00, clerk and other member \$1,753.00. So Voted.

Water Commissioners—the salaries of the Water Commissioners be as follows: Chairman, \$815.00; Clerk \$662.00; 3rd member \$583.00. So Voted

Board of Health: the sum of \$770.00 be appropriated for the salaries of the Board of Health to be paid as follows: Chairman, \$258.00; other members \$256.00 each. So voted.

Library Trustees, School Committee, Planning Board to serve without pay: So voted

Article 7. To raise such monies as may be necessary to defray town charges for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976—June 30, 1977 and to make appropriations for the same.

The following appropriations were voted:

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Moderator | \$ 100.00 |
| Finance Committee | 500.00 |
| Selectmen | 13,325.00 |
| Accountant | 6,020.00 |
| Treasurer—Collector | 42,017.00 |
| Assessor | 14,420.00 |
| Law | 8,000.00 |
| Town Clerk | 12,460.00 |
| Election & Registration | 8,090.00 |
| Town Hall | 17,405.00 |
| Police | 369,764.00 |
| Fire Department & Station | 127,249.00 |
| Tree Warden & Parks | 51,470.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 510.00 |
| Inspector of Wires | 950.00 |
| Inspector of Buildings | 12,525.00 |
| Inspector of Gas | 760.00 |

Motion made under Selectmen's Budget to appropriate \$4,000.00 for a Negotiator for Labor for the Selectmen. Upon a counted vote of 113 Yes and 148 No motion lost.

Motion made and seconded to appropriate the sum of \$15,600.00 for Clerk Hire for the Treasurer-Collector's Dept. Motion amended to read the sum of \$18,346.00. Upon vote Amendment was lost and the amount of \$15,600.00 was carried.

Motion made to adjourn the meeting until Tuesday April 6 at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Auditorium. So Voted.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING APRIL 6, 1976

Meeting called to order at the High School Gymnasium by the Moderator Charles L. Hill, at 7:30 P.M. 362 Registered voters checked. Moderator announced the names of the guests present.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 7.

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|---|--------------|
| Dog Officer | 13,145.00 |
| Civil Defense | 895.00 |
| Planning Board | 1,500.00 |
| Board of Appeals | 950.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 1,130.00 |
| Board of Health | 58,500.00 |
| Highway Department | 190,450.00 |
| Veterans Services | 57,660.00 |
| Town Schools | 2,527,731.00 |
| Southeastern Regional Vocational School | 72,240.00 |
| Library | 53,219.00 |
| Industrial Development | 350.00 |
| Water Department from Water Revenue | 107,650.00 |
| Recreation Committee | 4,860.00 |
| Council on Aging | 9,945.00 |
| Hydrants | 11,492.00 |
| Street Lights | 34,650.00 |
| Contributory Retirement | 82,080.00 |
| Town Reports | 4,000.00 |
| Memorial & Veterans Day | 1,500.00 |
| Christmas Decorations | 600.00 |
| Reserve Fund | 35,000.00 |
| Insurance Casualty | 42,600.00 |
| Insurance Group | 66,000.00 |
| Memorial Field | 500.00 |
| By Law Study Committee | 275.00 |
| County Aid Agriculture | 100.00 |
| Tennis Courts | 300.00 |
| BiCentennial Committee | 1,500.00 |
| Multi Health Service | 4,480.00 |
| Engineering Service | 1,500.00 |
| Bonds & Interest | 351,931.00 |

Special Motions for above appropriations:

Motion made to appropriate the sum of \$8,500.00 for the Dog Officers salary. Upon vote motion lost. After much discussion it was moved that the Dog Officer's salary be reconsidered. On a standing counted vote of Yes 143 No 33 Motion to reconsider was carried. Motion again was made and seconded that the sum of \$8,500.00 be appropriated for the Dog Officer's salary. Motion carried.

Motion made to appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the Visiting Nurse Association under the Board of Health it having been omitted by error from the budget. Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$2,527,731.00 be appropriated for the operation of Public Schools for 1976-1977 School year; \$2,300.00 of this for out of state travel. So Voted.

Motion made seconded the sum of \$107,650.00 for Water Department to be taken from Water Revenue. So Voted.

Motion made and seconded the sum of \$34,650.00 be appropriated for Street Lights with the amount of \$33,000.00 to be transferred from Revenue Sharing and the amount of \$1,650.00 from taxation. So Voted.

Motion made and seconded that the sum of \$35,000.00 be appropriated for the Reserve fund and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$29,058.30 taken from tax levy and sum of \$5,941.70 from Overlay Surplus. So Voted.

Motion made and seconded that the sum of \$42,600.00 be appropriated for Insurance Casualty and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$40,000.00 be taken from Revenue Sharing and the sum of \$2,600.00 from taxation. So Voted.

Motion made and seconded that the sum of \$66,000.00 be appropriated for Insurance Group. So voted. After Article 35 it was voted to reconsider this item. Motion made to appropriate the sum of \$66,000.00 for Insurance group and to meet this appropriation the sum of \$50,000.00 be taken from Revenue Sharing and the sum of \$1,600.00 from Taxation. So Voted.

Article 8. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$4,600.00 to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase and equip a sedan type motor vehicle for use as a cruiser by the Police Department; the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized and empowered to trade in a 1975 station wagon vehicle used as a police cruiser toward the payment of the new vehicle and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$4,000.00 be transferred from revenue sharing funds and the sum of \$600.00 be raised by the tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 9. Motion to pass this article without action on advice of the Town Counsel. Sovoted.

Article 10. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate \$2,500.00 to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase a TWX type teletype machine for use by the Police Department and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$2,500.00 be transferred from the

revenue sharing account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 11. Moved: The Town vote to amend By-Law XXVI (Zoning) Section 3, Sub-section C, by striking the period following the last word, "intersect", in the amendment adopted March 19, 1973 and substituting therefor a semicolon followed by the words "and that portion of land bounded on the north by the West Bridgewater-Brockton town line 502.08 ft on the east by the Coweasett Brook about 600 ft., on the south and east by plot 1, Assessor Plan A2 and A3, three courses, 143.51 ft., 431.72 ft., and 456.13 ft. respectively; on the south by plot 9-1, Assessor Plan A3, 532.79 ft. and on the west by the Turnpike Street 1314.51 ft."

Upon a counted vote of Yes-234 and No 6, Motion carried.

Article 12. Moved: The Town vote to amend By-Law XXVI (Zoning) Section 3, Sub-section C by striking the words in the first two lines thereof, "Formerly comprising and known as "depot and freight yard", and substituting therefor the words, described by the following metes and bounds,—beginning at a stone bound on North Main Street; thence S 62° 31' 13" W, 189.80 ft. to a stone bound; thence S 17° 18' 46" E, 202.36 ft. to a stone bound; thence S 62° 25' 14" W, 127.56 ft. to a stone bound; thence S 28° 39' 25" E, 213.62 ft. to a stone bound and the northerly line of Howard Street; thence by Howard Street S 59° 29' 36" W, 50.00 ft; thence N 28° 39' 25" W, 215.68 ft. thence S 74° 07' 43" W, 162.84 ft. to a stone bound; thence S 66° 15' 09" W, 491.20 ft. to a stone bound; thence N 22° 43' 38" W, 169.04 ft. to a stone bound; thence S 67° 08' 20" W, 51.00 ft. thence N 17° 39' 04" W, 82.81 to a stone bound; thence N 66° 38' 15" E, 292.41 ft.; thence N 15° 44' 31" W, 127.10 ft; thence N 74° 59' 47" E, 132.58 ft. to a stone bound and the east sideline of Glenmere Street; thence by the south end of Glenmere Street N 71° 39' 00" E, 40.00 ft. to a concrete bound; thence N 75° 35' 08" E, 101.13 ft.; thence N 16° 01' 20" W, 81.56 ft.; thence N 48° 42' 40" E, 241.50 ft.; thence N 53° 53' 40" E, 73.52 ft.; thence N 55° 35' 45" E, 58.44 ft., thence N 58° 22' 40" E, 65.10 ft.; thence N 69° 48' 30" E, 59.72 ft.; thence N 78° 14' 57" E, 52.98 ft.; thence N 88° 23' 59" E, 123.84 ft. to the west line of North Main Street; thence by the west line of North Main Street S 13° 23' 46" W, 252.17 ft. to an angle; thence continuing by said street S 15° 42' 59" E, 59.62 ft. to a stone bound and the point of beginning."

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 13. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate \$3,800.00 to be expended by the Selectmen for the purpose of painting the exterior of the Town Hall and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$3,500.00 be transferred from the Federal Funding Administration account and the sum of \$300.00 be taken from tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976.

Upon vote motion not carried.

Article 14. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate \$2,500.00 by transfer from the revenue sharing account to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase and install a new card file records system for the Police Department.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 15. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and raise \$5,000.00 by tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976 to be expended by the Water Commissioners to purchase and equip a new truck for use by the Water Department and the Water Commissioners be and hereby are authorized and empowered to trade in the old Water Department truck and apply the trade-in value thereof to the cost of the new truck.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 16. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and raise \$910.00 by tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976 to install new street lights and increase the size of present lights as recommended by the street lighting committee.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn Meeting until Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. at the Auditorium.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING APRIL 6, 1976

Meeting called to order by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill at 7:40 P.M. 405 registered voters checked in by the Board of Registrars.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 17. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate \$350,000.00 for the purpose of constructing, equipping and furnishing a new police station and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$50,000.00 be transferred from the revenue sharing account and the sum of \$300,000.00 be raised by borrowing in accord with the provisions of MGL Ch 44 § 7.

Selectmen reported that they were unanimously for it, also majority of the Finance Committee were in favor of it.

A ballot vote was called for and upon vote of 301 Yes and 97 No Motion was lost.

Motion was made to reconsider the article. Upon vote of Yes 3 and No 306 motion to reconsider was defeated.

Article 18. Moved: The Town vote to accept the following streets as shown on a plan on file with the West Bridgewater Town Clerk entitled "Plan of Diamond Hill Estates", approved October 5, 1962: Goldie Road, Brewster Boulevard, Hartshorn Street, Joseph Avenue, Bonnie Avenue.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 19. Moved: The Town vote to accept Wendall Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 20. Moved: The Town vote to accept Forest Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to purchase, take by eminent domain, by gift or in any other manner acquire title to the following parcels of land:

| Parcel | Owner | Area | Deed Bk/Pg. |
|--------|----------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| T-1 | LaCerde, John A. & Claire M. | 125 sq. ft. | 3006/178 |
| T-2 | Chubbuck, David C. & Jo Ann F. | 50 sq. ft. | 3621/374 |
| T-3 | Apt, Winnifred M. | 12 sq. ft. | 3721/713 |
| T-4 | Lindgren Robert E. & Mary Jan | 4039 sq. ft. | 1998/40 |
| | | | 2305/406 |
| | | | 3596/572 |
| T-5 | Apt, Winnifred M. | 500 sf | 3721/713 |
| T-6 | Andresen, James S. & Ellen R. | 1121 sf | 3602/69 |
| T-7a | Foye, Allen B. & Gertrude | 2630 sf | 3549/393 |
| | | | 3596/573 |
| T-7b | Foye, Allen B. & Gertrude | 1014 sf | " |
| | | | " |
| T-8a | Howard, John E. | 6558 sf | 1642/228 |
| T-8b | Howard, John E. | 832 sf | 1654/523 |
| T-8c | Howard, John E. | 5768 sf | " |
| T-9a | Anderson, Howard A. & Jessie M. | 2123 sf | 2044/85 |
| T-9b | Anderson, Howard A. & Jessie M. | 21890 sf | " |
| T-9c | Anderson, Howard A. & Jessie M. | 14 sf | " |
| T-10 | Hill, Edward B. & Christine E. | 477 sf | 2047/15 |
| T-11 | Smith, Svea A. | 588 sf | 1729/59 |
| T-12 | Sweeney, Paul J. & Ellen J. | 552 sf | 2981/320 |
| T-13 | Morrison, John A. Jr. & Nancy J. | 681 sf | 4028/233 |
| T-14a | Wentzell, Wm. & Gertrude I. | 1355 sf | 3426/535 |
| T-14b | Wentzell, Wm. & Gertrude I. | 1606 sf | " |
| T-15 | Hollien, Vera | 197 sf | 2141/464 |
| T-16 | Fenton, Evelyn A. | 79 sf | 2485/456 |
| | Prendergast, Elizabeth M. | | |
| T-17 | Canzano, Robert N. | 14 sf | 3898/636 |

all as shown on a plan of land comprised of two sheets numbered Sheet 1 and Sheet 2 entitled "Plan of a Portion of Forest Street in the Town of West Bridgewater as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, Scale 1"=40' March 22, 1976, C. A. pickering Associates, Inc., Civil Engineers—Land Surveyors, 648 West Center Street, West Bridgewater, Massachusetts."

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 21. Moved to pass without action.

Article 22. Moved: The sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated and transferred from the revenue sharing account to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to install tanks for the underground storage of fuel and for such pumps and equipment as shall be necessary to provide such fuel for municipal vehicles.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 23. Moved: The sum of \$11,600.00 be appropriated to be expended by the Tree Warden to purchase and equip a two and one-half ton rack body dump truck to be used by the Forestry and Parks Department; that the Tree Warden be and hereby is empowered and authorized to trade in a 1966 F800 used by the Forestry and Parks Department and to apply such value toward the cost of the new truck and to meet such appropriation \$11,000.00 be transferred from the revenue sharing account and \$600.00 be raised by tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 24. Moved: The sum of \$7,080.20 available from the County Dog Fund and the sum of \$2,682.00 available under Chapter 672 of the Acts of 1963 be transferred to the Library Expense Account.

Upon vote motion carried.

Moved: to reconsider item 28—Article 7 Library Budget. Motion carried Unanimously.

Moved: The sum of \$43,456.80 be appropriated for Library. So voted. (This sum with the County Dog Fund and Chap. 672 amount totals the original amount voted).

Article 25. Moved: The sum of \$3,525.00 be appropriated and raised by taxation for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1976 to be expended by the School Committee to maintain a state aided vocational program in accordance with the provisions of MGL Chap 74 as amended.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 26. Moved: The sum of \$24,000.00 be appropriated and raised by taxation for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1976 to be expended by the School Committee for Physical education, athletics, sports and equipment.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 27. Moved: The sum of \$1,090.00 be transferred from the CETA account to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to install such equipment as shall be necessary to connect the Tree and Forestry and Highway Departments' buildings to the Town fire alarm system.

Upon vote Motion Carried.

Article 28. Moved: The sum of \$17,232.31 be transferred from the Veteran's Agent's account to pay the Town's assessment by the Old Colony Water Pollution Control District for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1976.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn meeting until Saturday April 10 at 9 A.M. at the Spring Street Elementary School for the purpose of electing Town Officials by Official Ballot as follows: One Town Clerk for three years, Moderator for one year; One member of the Bd of Selectmen for three years; One Assessor for three years; Two Trustees of the Public Library for three years; 2 members of the School Committee for three years; one member of the School Committee for one year; One member of the Water Commissioners for three years, one member of the Water Commissioners for one year; One member of the Bd of Health for three years; One member of the Planning Board for five years, One member of the Planning Board for three years; One member of the Housing Authority for five years; and until Monday, April 12 at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Auditorium for the remaining articles. So Voted.

Meeting adjourned at 11 P.M.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING
APRIL 13, 1976

Meeting called to order at 7:45 P.M. by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill.
224 Registered voters checked in by the Board of Registrars.

The meeting continued as follows:

Mr. Charles Johnson, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, asked for a point of personal privilege. He read a resolution from the Board of Selectmen to Herbert A. Holmes, assessor, as follows:

Resolution

Whereas, Herbert A. Holmes has served the Town of West Bridgewater for the past Twenty six years on the Board of Assessors,

Whereas, Herbert A. Holmes has given of his time and effort unstintingly for these past twenty six years,

Whereas, Herbert A. Holmes has brought distinction to the office of Assessor and has been in the forefront of promoting the best interest of West Bridgewater,

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved:

That the Town of West Bridgewater expresses its deep appreciation to Herbert A. Holmes and that this resolution be spread on the records of the the Town Clerk and a copy thereof be sent to Mr. Holmes.

Signed: Charles H. Johnson
Michael Manugian
Richard E. Krugger.

So voted.

Article 29. Moved: The sum of \$3,765.00 be transferred from the CETA account to meet the cost of fence repairs at and resurfacing the Town Tennis courts.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made and seconded to reconsider Article 28 Water Pollution Control District Assessment. Upon vote of Yes 106 and No 76, motion defeated.

Article 30. Moved: The sum of \$50,000.00 be transferred from the stabilization fund and the further sum of \$20,000.00 be transferred from revenue sharing to be expended by the Board of Selectmen to purchase and equip a new pumping engine to be used by the Fire Department and the Selectmen be and hereby are empowered to dispose of Engine No. 1, a 1952 Seagraves vehicle, in the best interests of the town.(C40 § 5B)

Upon a standing counted vote of Yes 197—No 6, motion carried.

Article 31. Motion made and seconded to pass this article without action. Upon voice vote motion was carried. The vote was questioned by seven voters. Upon a counted vote of Yes-87 and No 98, motion to pass without action was defeated.

Motion was made that the sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated for the Stabilization Fund.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 32. **Moved:** The sum of \$5,000.00 be appropriated and raised by tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976 to be expended by the School Committee to maintain a high school hockey team in the school's sport curriculum during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976.

Upon counted vote of Yes-56 and No-135 motion defeated.

Article 33. **Moved:** The sum of \$1,000.00 be transferred from the CETA fund to be expended by the recreation committee for an adult recreation program.

Upon vote motion lost.

Article 34. **Moved:** The sum of \$5,000.00 be transferred from CETA funds to be expended by the Conservation Commission for the purchase of land for conservation purposes as defined in C40 § 8C.

Upon counted vote of Yes 67 and No 91, motion lost.

Article 35. Motion made to pass this article without action.

Motion made and seconded to reconsider Line item 41 under budget article Group Insurance. Upon unanimous vote motion carried.

Motion made that the sum of \$66,000.00 be appropriated for Group Insurance and to meet this sum of the sum of \$50,000.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing and the sum of \$1,600 be taken from the tax levy. Upon vote motion carried.

Article 36. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Moved: The Town vote to establish a permanent Town of West Bridgewater Ambulance Committee to be comprised of the Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department and the three members of the Board of Selectmen, said committee to over see the maintenance of and establish and implement policies concerning the use of the Town Ambulance.

Upon vote motion carried.

Motion made the meeting be adjourned. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

State Primary

September 14, 1976

A meeting of which the inhabitants of W. Bridgewater, qualified to vote in primaries were duly warned, was held and polls opened at 10 A.M. by the Wardens, Frank Miller Precinct I; and John Sillars, Precinct II, at the Spring Street Elementary School.

The results are as follows:

Precinct I.

Ballot Box inspected by the Police Officer and the Warden, register set at 0000. 1600 Republican ballots and 1050 Democratic ballots and 25 American ballots delivered to Precinct I by the Town Clerk and Receipt given for same.

Election Officers: Inspectors or Checkers: Joan Ohlson, Mary Cogswell, Patricia Berry, Marilyn Legge.

Warden: Frank Miller, Clerk-Edythe Baker.

Counters and Observers: Marie Murray, Helen Souza, Ann Long, Janet Merritt.

Tally: Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock.

Close of the Polls at 8 P.M. 307 Ballots had been cast. 100 Republican, 207 Democratic.

Precinct II.

Ballot Box inspected by the Police Officer and the Warden, register set at 0000. 1500 Republican, 1050 Democratic, 28 American Ballots delivered to Precinct II by the Town Clerk and Receipt given for same.

Election Officers: Warden, John Sillars, Clerk-Warren A. Turner.

Inspectors or Checkers: Shirley Almquist, Paula Turner, Eva Lepine, Adeline Isenberg.

Counters and Observers: Catherine Chaves, Eutropy Sinkevich, Alice Richardson, Carolyn Boyd, Edith Wolfsberg, Elizabeth Turner.

Tally: William R. Brown, Jr., Joseph Souza.

Close of the polls at 8 P.M. 334 Ballots had been cast. 93 Republicans and 241 Democratic.

Results of the Balloting:

REPUBLICAN BALLOT

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|----------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| SENATOR IN CONGRESS: | | | |
| Michael S. Robertson | 87 | 80 | 167 |
| Blanks | 13 | 13 | 26 |
| CONGRESSMAN: | | | |
| Margaret M. Heckler | 92 | 84 | 176 |
| Blanks | 8 | 9 | 17 |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|-----------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| COUNCILLOR: | | | |
| Blanks | 100 | 93 | 193 |
| STATE SENATOR: | | | |
| Douglas L. Titus | 85 | 74 | 159 |
| Blanks | 15 | 19 | 34 |
| REPRESENTATIVE | | | |
| Dik R. Ostlund | 87 | 75 | 162 |
| Blanks | 13 | 18 | 31 |
| CLERK OF COURTS: | | | |
| Arthur Murphy | 87 | 81 | 168 |
| Blanks | 13 | 12 | 25 |
| REGISTRAR OF DEEDS | | | |
| Richard T. Gill | 12 | 27 | 39 |
| Blanks | 88 | 66 | 154 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONERS | | | |
| Matthew C. Striggles | 81 | 80 | 161 |
| Scattered | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Blanks | 119 | 103 | 222 |
| COUNTY TREASURER | | | |
| Frank C. Underhill | 92 | 83 | 175 |
| Blanks | 8 | 10 | 18 |
| DEMOCRATIC BALLOT | | | |
| SENATOR IN CONGRESS: | | | |
| Edward M. Kennedy | 136 | 171 | 307 |
| Robert Emmet Dinsmore | 49 | 42 | 91 |
| Frederick C. Langone | 12 | 14 | 26 |
| Bernard P. Shannon | 10 | 9 | 19 |
| Blanks | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| CONGRESSMAN: | | | |
| Scattered | 1 | | 1 |
| Blanks | 206 | 241 | 447 |
| COUNCILLOR | | | |
| John Britland | 30 | 42 | 72 |
| David A. Morwick | 137 | 152 | 289 |
| Blanks | 40 | 47 | 87 |
| SENATOR | | | |
| Robert E. McCarthy | 163 | 196 | 359 |
| Blanks | 44 | 45 | 87 |
| REPRESENTATIVE | | | |
| Karen J. Swanson | 115 | 153 | 268 |
| John E. Sullivan | 90 | 85 | 175 |
| Blanks | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| CLERK OF COURTS | | | |
| Francis B. Kenney | 71 | 88 | 159 |
| Francis R. Powers | 112 | 114 | 226 |
| Blanks | 24 | 39 | 63 |
| REGISTER OF DEEDS | | | |
| John P. Riordan | 148 | 172 | 320 |
| Blanks | 59 | 69 | 128 |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|----------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| COUNTY COMMISSIONER | | | |
| John J. Franey | 112 | 100 | 212 |
| Frank R. Mazzilli | 54 | 53 | 107 |
| Joseph W. McCarthy | 110 | 127 | 237 |
| John A. Pacheco | 52 | 89 | 141 |
| Blanks | 86 | 113 | 199 |
| COUNTY TREASURER | | | |
| William J. Mara | 79 | 83 | 162 |
| John F. McLellan | 57 | 63 | 120 |
| James F. Moynihan | 54 | 76 | 130 |
| Blanks | 17 | 19 | 36 |

A true copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting September 27, 1976

A meeting of which the inhabitants of West Bridgewater, qualified to vote in election were duly warned, was called to order by the Moderator, Charles L. Hill, at 7:35 P.M. at the High School Auditorium. Warrant was read by the Town Clerk, Anna E. Brown. 222 voters and three guests were checked in by the Board of Registrars.

The meeting proceeded as follows:

Article 1. Moved: The town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$2,500.00 from the Excess & Deficiency account to be expended by the Selectmen to purchase, and to hereby authorize them to purchase the following described parcel of land: a certain parcel of land located between Howard and West Center Streets bounded and described as follows: "Commencing at a point in the easterly line of land now or formerly of Perkins, said point being the south westerly corner of land now or formerly of Lyons, the frontage of said Perkins' and Lyons' land being on the southerly side of Howard Street, Easterly by the southerly line of said Lyon's and by land of the Town of West Bridgewater one hundred and thirty two and 95/100 (132.95) feet to a point and corner; then Southerly by the westerly line of land of said town two hundred and seventy five (275) feet more or less to a point and corner; then Westerly by land of said town one hundred and sixty (160) feet to a point and corner; then Northerly by land of said town and said Perkins two hundred and two and eighty two/100 (202.82) feet to the point of beginning:

Said parcel containing about .98 acres and being shown as lot 79-1 on the assessors' plan F-8 for the Town of West Bridgewater.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 2. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$65,667.00 from the Excess and Deficiency account to be expended to meet the anticipated salary and other expenses of the following departments, boards and officers as itemized herein:

| | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Moderator | 6.00 | Treas.—Collector | 1,635.00 |
| Selectmen | 610.00 | Highway | 7,735.00 |
| Accountant | 353.00 | Assessors | 695.00 |
| Election & Registration | 30.00 | Town Clerk | 692.00 |
| Police Department | 20,163.00 | Town Hall | 190.00 |
| Tree & Parks | 3,880.00 | Fire Dept. | 21,540.00 |
| Civil Defense | 35.00 | Sealer Weights & Measures | 24.00 |
| Veterans Services | 380.00 | Board of Health | 1,750.00 |
| Library | 2,319.00 | Water Commission | 3,630.00 |

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 3. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$12,500.00 from the Excess and Deficiency account to be expended by the Selectmen to install protective siding and trim material on the town office building.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 4. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$10,000.00 from the Excess and Deficiency account to be expended by the Board of Health for engineering services relative to solid waste disposal systems.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 5. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$6,700.00 from the revenue sharing account to be expended by the water department to erect security fencing at the town well fields.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and to transfer \$350.00 from the Excess and Deficiency account to be expended by the Library trustees for repairs to the Library electrical system.

Moved to pass this article without action. So voted.

Article 7. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$7,200.00 from the Excess and Deficiency account to be expended by the water commissioners to acquire and hereby authorize them to acquire the following interests in land:

To purchase the land bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in northerly line of land of the Town, said point being the south-westerly corner of the granted premises:

NORTHERLY by the easterly line of land now or formerly of AMK Realty Trust nine hundred and seven and one-half (907.5) feet to a point and corner; then
 EASTERLY by the southerly line of land of said Trust and by three courses a total of four hundred and forty seven and one-fifth (447.5) feet to a point and corner; then
 SOUTHERLY by the westerly line of land of said trust seven hundred and twenty six

(726) feet more or less to a point and corner; then westerly by the northerly lines of land of said Trust and Town four hundred and thirty (430) feet more or less to the point of beginning; Intending to describe and convey in any event hereby conveying that parcel of land shown as Lot 41 on the town assessors' plans G4 and H4 comprised of 7.58 acres and being now or formerly of Robert H. Redman.

To purchase and accept an easement for the land or some part thereof bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the westerly line of land now or formerly of David M. and Lana E. Robbins

NORTHERLY by the westerly line of said land N 20° 07' 00" E Ninety eight and 41/100 (98.41) feet to a point and angle; said point being the northwest corner of grantors land; then

NORTHEASTERLY by the land of the town and a line N 82° 07' 00" E four hundred and forty five and one half (445.5) feet to a point and angle; then

SOUTHEASTERLY by land of the town and a line S 50° 46' 00" E four hundred and five and 42/100 (405.42) feet to a point and angle; then

WESTERLY still by a line N 82° 52' 19" west four hundred and eighty five and 97/100 (317.28) feet to a point; then

WESTERLY still by a line N 82° 52' 19" west four hundred and eighty five and 97/100 (485.97) feet to the point of beginning, said land being shown as lot 2 comprised of 2.395 acres on a plan entitled "Plan of land in West Bridgewater, Mass. drawn for the West Bridgewater Water Commissioners Scales 1"=80' July 1, 1975 revised 2-6-76, Hayward Boynton & Williams Inc., Surveyors Civil Engineers 47 W. Elm Street, Brockton, Mass."

Upon Vote motion carried.

Article 8. Moved: The town vote to authorize the Selectmen to acquire for the use of the water commission a certain parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the northerly line of land of the town, said point being the northeasterly corner of the said town land

northerly by the westerly line of land now or formerly of Redman one hundred and twenty four (124) feet more or less to a point and corner then

WESTERLY by remaining land of the AMK Realty Trust and a line S 84° 43' 00" E eight hundred and sixty one (861) feet more or less to a point and corner then

SOUTHERLY by land of the aforesaid trust and a line N 08° 23' 00" E two hundred and twenty four and 17/100 (224.17) feet to a point and corner; then

EASTERLY by the northerly line of said town land and a line N 84° 43' 00" W eight hundred and seventy three (873) feet more or less to the point of beginning, intending to convey that land shown as Lot 1, save for that portion thereof at the north easterly side of the plan designated (Plot 41) .69 acres as shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Land in West Bridgewater, Mass., drawn for the West Bridgewater Water Commissioners scale 1"=80' July 1, 1975 revised 2-6-76, Hayward Boynton & Williams, Inc., Surveyors Civil Engineers 47 W. Elm Street, Brockton, Mass." and in consideration therefore to convey to the grantors of the aforescribed parcel that land owned by the town and described as follows:

That land shown on assessors' plan G-4 as lot 93 containing 3.51 acres of land, bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the south west corner of said lot: then
WESTERLY by the northerly line of land now or formerly of the grantee five hundred and ninety (590) feet more or less to a point and corner; then
NORTHERLY by the easterly line of land now or formerly of the grantee two hundred and thirty (230) feet more or less to a point and corner; then
EASTERLY by land of the grantee four hundred and fifty (450) feet more or less to a point and angle; then
NORTH EASTERLY by land of the grantee two hundred and thirty six and 28/100 (236.28) feet to a point and angle; then
SOUTHERLY by land of the grantees three hundred and fifty five (355) feet more or less to the point of beginning; together with that parcel of land which is the southerly portion of lot 85 on assessors' plan G3 bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at that point which is the southeast corner of said lot 85
WESTERLY by the northerly line of land now or formerly of the grantees five hundred and forty seven (547) feet more or less to a point and corner; then
NORTHERLY by the easterly line of land now or formerly of Court Realty Trust fifty seven (57) feet more or less to a point and corner; then
EASTERLY by a line parallel to and fifty seven feet northerly of the northerly line described herein five hundred and fifty (550) feet more or less to a point and corner; then
SOUTHERLY by the westerly line of land of the grantor fifty seven (57) feet more or less to the point of beginning.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 9. Moved: The zoning by-laws of the Town of West Bridgewater be amended as follows:

“Hospitals, Convalescent Homes, Nursing Homes, Rest Homes, Halfway Houses, Cooperative Apartments, Group Residencies, Troubled Youth Centers and other unspecified uses of a similar nature and Private Clubs non-profit only by special permit by the Selectmen pursuant to the appropriate provisions of Chapter 40A Mass. General Laws and only after receiving recommendation from the Planning Board.

In the case of any dwelling unit containing three or more persons not related by blood, marriage, or adoption, the Selectmen shall take into consideration the needs of the community and the effect of such a use upon the neighborhood and the community in terms of (1) town facilities and services, (2) traffic and parking, (3) surface run-off and landscaping, and (4) the general health and welfare of both the residents and neighbors. The applicant shall meet the following minimum requirements:

1. 1500 square feet of gross lot area for each person residing in the overall building regardless of the number of dwelling units contained in said building.
2. Off-street parking area containing 200 square feet of paved surface exclusive of driveways, for each motor vehicle stored overnight or longer by any occupants of said building.

For purposes of this section, a dwelling unit is defined as a building or a portion thereof, constructed for residential purposes and containing cooking and bathroom facilities.”

Mr. Ouderkirk, Chairman of the Planning Board submitted the Planning Board report which is as follows:

"On Sept. 15, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on an amendment to the Zoning By-Laws which was presented by a petition of more than 100 voters and was certified by the town clerk. Planning Board members present were Merton Ouderkirk, William E. Turner, Jr., Ronald Snell, and Donald Asack.

The Board conducted the hearing in their usual fashion by hearing arguments or comments in favor of the amendment in its original state. We then heard comments that might be opposed to the amendment, and the meeting was then opened to general discussion.

Having heard all the input that might affect the establishment of this amendment, we adjourned our meeting stating that we would take under advisement the original proposal but we felt that some changes would have to be made before presenting this to the special town meeting. The Board then agreed to meet Sept. 20th to decide on its final report and final wording of the amendment.

On Sept. 20th the board again met with Merton Ouderkirk, William E. Turner, Jr., Ronald Snell, and Donald Asack present. At this point we decided that this proposed amendment with recommended changes should be located in the By-Law and Regulations Book under General Residential and Farming Districts, Section 4 and establish a new wording for Sub-Section F.

The only change to the proposed amendment that we suggest making is to remove the words "Cooperative Apartments", and add in its place the words "Residential Detention Facilities" and after the words "Private Clubs non-profit" add "except Golf and Country Clubs." The reason for this is that our present by-laws and regulations control apartments.

Our interest in the passage of this article is one of public concern. Presently under our by-laws and regulations we do not have control over the establishment of hospitals, convalescent homes, nursing homes, rest homes, halfway houses, residential detention facilities, group residencies, troubled youth centers and other unspecified uses of a similar nature. It has been brought to our attention that surrounding towns and cities are presently faced with problems from the above mentioned establishments because they failed to establish some controls.

Our facts and ideas originate from discussions with people from Bridgewater and Taunton and from actual printed facts from Fall River, and from the western part of the state, Northhampton and Williamsburg.

Having discussed in great length this particular amendment, the Planning Board feels that control is necessary to care for the needs of this community. We feel that some definite jurisdiction is needed and this is the best way that the control can be assured. We urge that the voters adopt the amendment as proposed by the Planning Board with the changes in the wording from the original amendment presented this evening.

Mr. Ouderkirk then made a motion to amend the zoning by-laws, as read, of the Town of West Bridgewater by: Placing under General residential and Farming Districts, Section 4, reword sub-section F.

Remove the words in the first paragraph, "Cooperative Apartments" and adding in its place the words "Residential Detention Facilities" and after the words "Private Clubs non-profit" add "except Golf and Country Clubs", and insert after "Chapter 40A" "and Chapter 808 of Acts of 1975".

Upon vote motion as amended carried unanimously.

Article 10. Moved: The Town vote to appropriate and to transfer \$4,000.00 from the Excess and Deficiency fund to be expended by the Board of Selectmen for the services of a professional labor negotiator.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 11. Moved: The Town vote to accept the provisions of M.G.L. C 40 § 8G and the amendments thereto.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 12. Moved: The Town vote to transfer from Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$13,976.00 for state aided construction or improvement, reimbursement received therefrom to be returned to available funds.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 13. Moved: The Town vote to amend the Southeastern Regional School District agreement in accord with the provisions of C510, Acts of 1970 as follows:

Amendment No. 1 To the Agreement for the Establishment of the Southeastern
Regional School District.

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 510 of the Acts of 1970, the Agreement entered into by and among the towns of East Bridgewater, Easton, Foxborough, Mansfield, Norton, Sharon, Stoughton and West Bridgewater, and the City of Brockton, Massachusetts, pursuant to which the Southeastern Regional School District was established and now operates is hereby amended by:

1. Striking out Section I, Paragraph (C), *Elected Members*: and substituting therefore, the following:

(C) *Elected Members*

At the biennial city election in 1977, the City of Brockton shall elect one member to serve on the Committee for a term of four (4) years and one member to serve on the Committee for a term of two (2) years, and at every biennial city election commencing with the biennial election in 1979, the City of Brockton shall elect one of its two members to serve on the Committee for a term of four (4) years. At the Annual town elections each of the following towns which are members of the District shall elect members to serve on the Committee as follows: The towns of East Bridgewater, Easton and Foxborough shall each elect one member for a term of one year; the towns of Mansfield, Norton and Sharon shall each elect one member for a term of two years; and the town of Stoughton and West Bridgewater shall each elect one member for a term of three years; and thereafter, in every year in which the term of office of an elected member expires, the member town involved shall, at its annual town election, elect one member to serve for a term of three years.

2. Striking out Section I, Paragraph (E) *Organization and Commencement of Terms of Office*: and substituting, therefore, the following:

(E) *Organization and Commencement of Terms of Office*:

The Term of office of any member from a member town shall begin on the date of the first regular School Committee Meeting following the last regular member town election

and the term of office of any member from the City of Brockton shall begin on the date of the first regular School Committee Meeting in January following his or her election. Promptly upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the Interim Committee and thereafter on the date of the first regular school committee meeting following the last regular member town election, the Committee shall organize and choose by ballot a chairman from among its own membership. At the same meeting, or at any other meeting, the committee shall appoint a treasurer and a secretary, who may be the same person but who need not be members of the Committee, choose such other officers as it deems advisable, determine the terms of office of its officers (Except the chairman who shall be elected annually as provided above) and prescribe the powers and duties of any of its officers, fix the time and place for its regular meetings and provide for the calling of special meetings.

Upon vote motion unanimously carried.

Article 14. Moved: The town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for and expend such funds as may be received under the Public Works Employment Act, so called, or any title by which it may be described, of 1976.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 15. Moved: The Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to convey all the right, title and interest the Town may have, if any, to Richard T. Alger and Mason W. Alger, in a certain parcel of land located off Pleasant Street bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land situated off the Southwesterly side of Pleasant Street, West Bridgewater, Plymouth County, Massachusetts, and being shown on a plan entitled "Land Court Plan of Land in West Bridgewater, Massachusetts owned by Mason W. and Richard T. Alger, "dated April 8, 1976, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by land of George Haseotes et al, eight hundred fifteen and 11/100 (815.11) feet; Easterly by land of said George Haseotes et al, nine hundred seventeen and 35/100 (917.35) feet; Easterly again by said land of George Haseotes et al, thirty-five and 00/100 (35.00) feet; Southeasterly by land of Mason and Richard T. Alger, ninety and 75/100 (90.75) feet; Southerly by land of said Mason and Richard T. Alger, three hundred fifty and 00/100 (350.00) feet; Westerly by land of Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game, Albert Howard and Town of West Bridgewater Conservation Commission, six hundred seventy-nine and 05/100 (679.05) feet; Southerly again by said Town of West Bridgewater Conservation Commission, seventy-two and 60/100 (72.60) feet; and Westerly by land of said Town of West Bridgewater Conservation Commission and Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game, three hundred thirty-three and 55/100 (333.55) feet. Said parcel contains 16.80 acres, and shown as Lot 57 on Page C11 of the West Bridgewater Assessors' Plans.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 16. Moved: The town vote to appropriate and transfer 1,742.95 from the Excess and deficiency fund to be expended to pay for medical expenses incurred in the fiscal year 1975-1976.

Upon a unanimous vote motion carried.

Article 17. Moved: The Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the towns geographically contiguous to West Bridgewater to provide mutual aid, assistance, implementation and use of the town ambulance and those ambulances of such other towns together with the personnel assigned thereto.

Upon vote motion carried.

Article 18. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Moved: The Bi-Centennial Committee be discharged, with the gratitude of the townspeople, effective December 31, 1976 and such projects of the Bicentennial Committee as then remain incomplete be assumed and completed by the Historical Commission.

Upon vote motion carried.

Mr. Manugian, as chairman of the Ambulance Committee, publicly commended the EMT's from the Police and Fire Departments for their excellent performances.

Handling the P. A. Systems for the meeting were Oscar Price and Peter Turner from the Problems of Democracy Class.

Motion made to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 10:15 P.M.

A true copy,
Attest: Anna E. Brown, *Town Clerk*

State Election November 2, 1976

State Election was held at the Spring Street Elementary School on Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1976. Warrant issued by the Selectmen was posted by the Constable, Edwin T. Gibson, on October 26, 1976, in accordance with the provisions of the Town By-Law.

Specimen ballots, card of instructions and abstracts of the Laws, imposing penalties upon voters, were posted as required by the Laws of the Commonwealth.

The polls were opened at 8 A.M. The Ballot boxes in both precincts were inspected and the registers set at 0000. 1950 Ballots were given to the Warden in Precinct 1 and 2000 ballots to the Warden in Precinct 11 and receipt given to the Town Clerk for same.

At the close of the polls at 8 P.M. the ballot box registers showed the following results:

| | |
|-------------|------|
| Precinct 1. | 1553 |
| Precinct 2. | 1616 |
| Total | 3169 |

The following election workers were sworn in:

Precinct 1. Warden, Frank Miller; Clerk-Edythe Baker; Checkers: Joan Ohlson, Mary Cogswell, Patricia Berry, Marilyn Legge.

Counters & Observers: Alice Richardson, Rita Welch, Edith Wolfsberg, Madeline Moreira, Karolyn Boyd, Evangeline Freitag, Eutropya Sinkevich, Catherine Chaves, Elizabeth Turner, Margaret Baker.

Total Tally: William R. Brown, Jr., Joseph Souza

Precinct 2. Warden, John Sillars; Clerk-Warren Turner; Checkers: Coralee Travers, Shirley Almquist, Adeline Isenberg, Paula Turner.

Counters & Observers: Janet Merritt, Dorothy Podolsky, Ann Long, Nathalie Brawders, Lois Ketler, Pauline Boyd, Katherine Bird, Natalie Beaulieu, Marie Murray, Helen Souza.

Total Tally: Dorothy Williams, Claire Davock.

The results were declared as follows:

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| PRESIDENT & V. PRESIDENT | | | |
| Anderson & Shackelford | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| Camejo & Reid | 3 | | 3 |
| Carter & Mondale | 676 | 692 | 1368 |
| Ford & Dole | 817 | 845 | 1662 |
| LaRouche, Jr. & Evans | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| McCarthy & Stouffer | 30 | 48 | 78 |
| Wright & Spock | 1 | | 1 |
| Nader & Wicker | 1 | | 1 |
| Archibald & Cox | 1 | | 1 |
| Wallace | | 1 | 1 |
| Lowell & Wicker | | 1 | 1 |
| Blanks | 17 | 22 | 39 |
| SENATOR IN CONGRESS | | | |
| Edward M. Kennedy | 837 | 872 | 1709 |
| Michael S. Robertson | 663 | 698 | 1361 |
| Carol H. Evans | 15 | 11 | 26 |
| H. Graham Lowry | 6 | 8 | 14 |
| Blanks | 32 | 27 | 59 |
| CONGRESSMAN | | | |
| Margaret M. Heckler | 1244 | 1315 | 2559 |
| Blanks | 309 | 299 | 608 |
| Scattered | | 2 | 2 |
| COUNCILLOR | | | |
| John Britland | 1008 | 1052 | 2060 |
| Blanks | 545 | 564 | 1109 |
| SENATOR | | | |
| Robert E. McCarthy | 982 | 1022 | 2004 |
| Douglas L. Titus | 502 | 532 | 1034 |
| Blanks | 69 | 62 | 131 |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|---|------------|-------------|-------|
| REPRESENTATIVE | | | |
| Karen J. Swanson | 783 | 792 | 1575 |
| Dik R. Ostlund | 719 | 787 | 1506 |
| Blanks | 51 | 37 | 88 |
| CLERK OF COURTS | | | |
| Arthur T. Murphy | 903 | 943 | 1846 |
| Francis R. Powers | 532 | 556 | 1088 |
| Blanks | 118 | 117 | 235 |
| REGISTER OF DEEDS | | | |
| Richard T. Gill | 875 | 887 | 1762 |
| John D. Riordan | 537 | 602 | 1139 |
| Blanks | 141 | 127 | 268 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONERS | | | |
| John J. Franey | 605 | 675 | 1280 |
| Joseph W. McCarthy | 663 | 713 | 1376 |
| Matthew C. Striggles | 812 | 834 | 1646 |
| Blanks | 1026 | 1010 | 2036 |
| COUNTY TREASURER | | | |
| John F. McLellan | 582 | 637 | 1219 |
| Frank C. Underhill | 823 | 837 | 1660 |
| Blanks | 148 | 142 | 290 |
| QUESTION NO. 1—Equal Rights | | | |
| Yes | 659 | 685 | 1344 |
| No | 839 | 879 | 1718 |
| Blanks | 55 | 52 | 107 |
| QUESTION NO. 2—Graduated Income Tax | | | |
| Yes | 322 | 306 | 628 |
| No | 1167 | 1255 | 2422 |
| Blanks | 64 | 55 | 119 |
| QUESTION NO. 3—Absentee Voting Religious Days | | | |
| Yes | 652 | 723 | 1375 |
| No | 830 | 821 | 1651 |
| Blanks | 71 | 72 | 143 |
| QUESTION NO. 4—Public Powers | | | |
| Yes | 173 | 169 | 342 |
| No | 1312 | 1378 | 2690 |
| Blanks | 68 | 69 | 137 |
| QUESTION NO. 5—Gun Law | | | |
| Yes | 289 | 301 | 590 |
| No | 1219 | 1278 | 2497 |
| Blanks | 45 | 37 | 82 |
| QUESTION NO. 6—Bottle Bill | | | |
| Yes | 680 | 766 | 1446 |
| No | 845 | 823 | 1668 |
| Blanks | 28 | 27 | 55 |
| QUESTION NO. 7—Uniform Utility Rates | | | |
| Yes | 378 | 389 | 767 |
| No | 1125 | 1184 | 2309 |
| Blanks | 50 | 43 | 93 |

| | Precinct I | Precinct II | Total |
|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| QUESTION NO. 8—Oil Refinery | | | |
| Yes | 1034 | 1076 | 2110 |
| No | 438 | 469 | 907 |
| Blanks | 81 | 71 | 152 |
| QUESTION NO. 9—Blue Law | | | |
| Yes | 731 | 749 | 1480 |
| No | 755 | 818 | 1573 |
| Blanks | 67 | 49 | 116 |

A true Copy,

Attest: Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

Town of West Bridgewater Recount

WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT A PETITION FOR A RECOUNT OF ALL VOTES
CAST FOR

STATE REPRESENTATIVE 14th Plymouth District

As of the State Election, November 2, 1976, Having been filed in Proper order, a recount was held on this date November 19, 1976 with the following results:

STATE REPRESENTATIVE 14th PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

| | Nov. 2, 1976 State Election | Nov. 19, 1976 Recount |
|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Karen Swanson, 237 Menlo Street, Brockton | 1575 | 1570 |
| Dik Ostlund, 35 Menlo Street, Brockton | 1506 | 1512 |
| Blanks | 88 | 87 |

A True Record, Attest:

Edward M. Pingree
Francis J. Boyd
Lance R. Ohlson
Anna E. Brown
Board of Registrars

A true copy, Attest:

Anna E. Brown
Town Clerk

Vital Statistics

Births Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1976

| Date | Name | Parents |
|-------------|------------------------------|--|
| January 7 | Karen Lynn Parsons | Jeffrey R. & Margaret S. Scott |
| 9 | Jason James Crowley | James Cotter & Denise D. Duquette |
| 22 | Christopher Michael Hatch | Herbert William Jr., & Jane A. Cassidy |
| 22 | Edward Charles DeMolles, Jr. | Edward C. & MaryIn Holmes |
| 23 | Jennifer Eileen Snell | Christopher R. & Joyce C. Thayer |
| 26 | Jared David Cassidy | David Joseph & Linda Feinberg |
| 27 | Rebecca Lynn Adams | Fred Richard & Mary P. Simpson |
| 31 | Ashlee Wentworth Farrar | Brooks M. & Claudia J. Wentworth |
| February 14 | William Eugene Gatt | Robert C. & Gloria A. Morse |
| 14 | Amelia Frances Gatt | Robert C. & Gloria A. Morse |
| March 8 | Michael Thomas Carnes | Steven Thomas & Andrea M. Shine |
| 10 | James Edward Dwyer | Robert Martin & Nancy Gene Ohlson |
| 14 | Elizabeth Marie Piver | Roy Howard Jr. & Jane F. Robichaud |
| 21 | Wayne Richard Hunnewell, Jr. | Wayne R. & Lorraine C. Golding |
| 21 | Jana Lee McMahon | Richard Handley & Elizabeth Churchill Hall |
| 22 | Michael Joseph Ciccio | Joseph John & Jeanne M. Johnson |
| April 7 | Kaileen Marie Chilauskas | Paul & LouAnne Johnson |
| 10 | Mathew Christopher Eveline | George A. Jr., & Wanda J. Weatherby |
| May 9 | Shawn Michael Cannizzo | Richard Arthur, Sr. & Sandra Ann Martelli |
| 10 | Amy Elizabeth DiMarzio | Lee Oliver & Anne Lydia Gordy |
| 11 | Aaron Paul Lee | Maxwell Ambrose & Mary Kathleen Duggan |
| 12 | Kelley Ann Lange | Francis T. & Sandra J. Johnson |
| 24 | Amv Beth Le Page | Ronald Raymond & Carolyn Ann Reed |

| | | |
|-----------|---------------------------------|--|
| June | | James Steven & Barbara Ann Rogers |
| 8 | Leslie Jane Bodkin | James A. & Florence H. Doherty |
| 15 | Steven William Ross | Donald H. & Karen L. Duquette |
| 16 | Eric Donald Anderson | |
| July | | |
| 5 | Heather Mary Irving | Robert Donald & Judith A. Willis |
| 7 | Merton Robert Ouder Kirk | Thomas W. & Dorothy A. Colflesh |
| 9 | Susan Lyn Vinton | Kenneth F. & Carolyn L. Washburn |
| 15 | Brian Richard Todd Duhn | Daniel Raymond & Joann P. Schwarz |
| 16 | Amy Elizabeth Welsh | Robert A. & Karen M. Jensen |
| 18 | Lauren Jean Domingos | Richard J. & Louise E. Sibor |
| August | | |
| 2 | William Anthony Donahue | Thomas Raymond & Anne Parker Howard |
| 6 | Walter Hallett Emerson | Walter H. Jr. & Kathleen Ann Figge |
| 10 | Jennifer Leigh Hoyt | Karl Francis & Marilyn Louise Sawiski |
| 15 | Christina Marie Trent | Ted John & Susan Marie Bernard |
| 17 | Kevin Patrick Burke | Walter James & Donna Mae Chamberlain |
| 19 | Joseph Gregory Legault | Alfred Aurele & Marie Incononata Garcea |
| 28 | Carolyn Ann Bohm | John David & Ann Christine Olson |
| September | | |
| 9 | Rodney Alec Swanson | Richard Alton & Pamela Jollymore |
| 12 | Matthew Thomas McCann | Thomas Arthur & Meredith D. Hallin |
| 20 | Amity Howland | Jay & Ingrid Ritchie |
| 23 | Rachel Naomi Anderson | Karl V. & Nancy M. Okerstrom |
| 30 | Steven Albert Harlow | Albert R. & Patricia E. Morse |
| October | | |
| 8 | Jamie Michael McKinnon | Robert Martin & Carol Ann Vareika |
| 14 | William Alexander Thompson, IV | William Alexander III & Antonia Judith Krafton |
| 19 | Janet Marie Muckenthaler | Florian August & Elizabeth Palaimo |
| 24 | Melissa Helen MacDonald | James Timothy & Donna Alice Lewis |
| 25 | Moir Lee MacCurtain | William Patrick & Denise Marie Ahern |
| 25 | Geoffrey Charles Wilkinson, Jr. | Geoffrey Charles, Sr. & Nancy Sabean |

November

9

Stacey Doreen Hockenberry

26

Jennifer Lynn Gustin

29

Kerri Ann Wood

29

Kristen Lee Meade

December

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Brian Alberts Kwash

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Lorne Marcus Estabrook

11

Benjamin David Howard

Anthony Costa & Janine L. Smith

Kenneth Joseph & Judith A. Capozzi

David Russell & Donna M. O'Neil

David F. Jr. & Judith M. Landry

Robert Ryan & Maureen Victoria Rulnick

Lorne Douglas & Cheryl Ann McCabe

David Parker & Meredith Jane Roberts

Marriages Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1976

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| January | |
| 10 | Manuel J. Horta, III of Brockton & Debra A. Scully of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |
| 11 | John L. McAdams, Jr., of Hingham, Ma. & Gertrude L. MacDonald of W. Bridgewater in Scituate, Ma. |
| 23 | Thomas J. Bedore Jr., of Brockton & Joanne Mormino of Brockton, in W. Bridgewater. |
| February | |
| 7 | Raymond B. Jacobs Jr. of Brockton & Jan E. Fisher (Cutting) of Brockton, in W. Bridgewater. |
| 21 | Bruce S. Carlson of W. Bridgewater & Susan J. Asack of W. Bridgewater in W. Bridgewater. |
| 28 | Virgilio DeAndrade of Taunton & Ann Crimmins (McGonnugle) of W. Bridgewater, in Holbrook, Ma. |
| 28 | Kenneth Spritzer of Stoughton & Amelia D. Bukin of Brockton, in W. Bridgewater. |
| 28 | Arthur E. King of Brockton & Marjorie M. (Barrio) Campbell of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |
| 28 | Gary W. Engstrom, of W. Bridgewater & Roxanne M. Regan of Lynnfield, in Boston. |
| 29 | Bradford V. Norman of Easton & Susanne Rogers of Easton, in W. Bridgewater. |
| March | |
| 6 | Nelson P. MacLean of W. Bridgewater & Shirley M. MacNeil of W. Bridgewater in W. Bridgewater. |
| 13 | Stephen R. Mandeville of Hanson & Mary Helen Selila of W. Bridgewater in Brockton |
| 27 | Edward M. Keefer, Jr. of Easton & Laurie B. Thompson of Bridgewater in W. Bridgewater. |
| April | |
| 3 | Thomas D. Therrien of S. Easton & Donna L. Berry of W. Bridgewater in W. Bridgewater |
| 3 | Colby R. Garland of W. Bridgewater & Dorothy H. Murphy of Bridgewater in E. Bridgewater. |
| 9 | Edward K. Nash of E. Bridgewater & Carol A. Murray of E. Bridgewater in W. Bridgewater. |
| 10 | Richard A. Worcester of W. Bridgewater & Geraldine M. Kelly of Randolph in Easton. |
| 10 | Ernest E. Reed of Brockton & Shirley A. Randall of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |
| 11 | David M. Turner & Virginia R. Fowler of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |
| 11 | Patrick Baker of W. Bridgewater & Marjorie Katz of Brockton in Brockton. |
| 11 | Norman R. Stone, Jr. of W. Bridgewater & Patricia A. Cassidy of Randolph in Randolph. |
| 11 | Scott A. Lawson & Deborah L. Olson of W. Bridgewater in Abington. |
| 17 | Donald W. Reid of W. Bridgewater & Renee M. Delano of Randolph in Brockton. |
| 30 | Harry Rosario & Carnethia M. Drane of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |
| May | |
| 8 | Larry K. Davidson of E. Bridgewater & Florence L. Lepine of W. Bridgewater in W. Bridgewater. |
| 10 | Glen W. Mueller of Easton & Patricia R. Connors of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |
| 15 | John P. Sweeney of W. Bridgewater & Gail Reardon of Braintree in Braintree. |
| 15 | Paul Gallagher of Avon & Paula A. Martineau of Avon in W. Bridgewater. |
| 21 | Theodore A. Bennett of Brockton & Louise E. Pierce of Brockton in W. Bridgewater. |

- 21 Edward L. Mather of N.Easton & Elaine C. Keylor of W.Bridgewater In Easton.
 24 Jose L.deJesus of Brockton & Delia R. Roman of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 28 Arthur E. Batson Sr. of Brockton & Dorothy M. Hamilton of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 28 David M. Hunt of Brockton & Deborah Doherty of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 28 Robert H. Lyons of Brockton & Barbara A. Scott of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 29 Clifton W. Solari, Jr. of Brockton & Kathryn J. Hashem of W.Bridgewater in E.Weymouth.
 29 Paul St. James of Easton & Marilyn Drew of Easton in W.Bridgewater.
 29 Gary Ricci of Bridgewater & Patricia Moore of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 29 Robert R. Caffelle of Brockton & Mary-Louise Daly of W.Bridgewater in Brockton.
- June
 5 Robert A. Jackson of Brockton & Lorraine D. Strobe of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 12 Frank S. Charnley of Framingham & Barbara A. Edson of W.Bridgewater in Sudbury.
 12 Rickard J. D'Ambrosio of W.Bridgewater & Judith A. Mahoney of Canton in Canton.
 12 David G. Clement of Whitman & Cynthia E. Yankowski of W.Bridgewater in Brockton.
 18 Edward David Donahue of Brockton & Arlene F. (Johnson) Allen of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 19 Edward G. Browne of Bridgewater & Elizabeth A. Hallberg of W.Bridgewater in Bridgewater.
 25 Thomas E. Tyrrell of W.Bridgewater & Sheila M. Dufault of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
 26 Mark L. Reilly of Avon & Bonnie H. MacWilliams of W.Bridgewater in S.Weymouth.
 27 Kevin J. McCann of W.Bridgewater & Cindy B. Overy of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
 27 David S. Fraser of W.Bridgewater & Susan L. Elliott of W.Bridgewater in Billerica.
- July
 2 Charles F. Sullivan, Jr. of Brockton & Betty A. Forsberg of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 3 Kevin A. Parker of W.Bridgewater & Patricia J. Holcomb of Norton in Brockton.
 4 Stephen J. Hallisey of Plymouth & Diane Bowes of Plymouth in W.Bridgewater.
 4 Dana R. Poley of Easton & Carolyn F. Pickering of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
 10 Scott D. Holmgren of W.Bridgewater & Maureen A. Griffin of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 17 John E. McCarthy, Jr. of Brockton & Lorraine R. Cloutier of Brockton in W. Bridgewater.
 17 David J. Powell of W. Bridgewater & Patricia A. Gingras of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
 29 Michael Splaine of Holliston & Marian Donovan of Holliston in W.Bridgewater.
 30 Robert A. Olson of Braintree & Noella Corriveau of Sturbridge in W.Bridgewater.
 31 Vincent S. Brown of Brockton & Karen F. Murphy of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 31 Elzy Bee Tubbs, Jr. of Hanover & Beverly J. Tiexeira of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 31 Michael R. McGuire of W. Bridgewater & Diane L. Andrews of Easton in Whitman.
 31 Robert L. Ringuette of E.Bridgewater & Sally A. Warren of W.Bridgewater in Brockton.
- August
 1 Richard J. Rezendes of W.Bridgewater & Donna M. Helo of Brockton in E.Bridgewater.
 8 Walter Benoit of Taunton & Linda Oliveria of Taunton in W.Bridgewater.
 13 William Bigelow, Jr. of Newton Center & Diedre A. Devine of W.Bridgewater in Brockton.
 14 Paul Faria of Swansea & Susan Cranshaw of W.Bridgewater In W.Bridgewater.
 14 Francis Smart, Jr. of Brockton & Kathy Propas of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
 14 Edward Ainslie of Halifax & Bonnie Brown of W.Bridgewater in Marshfield.
 20 Thomas E. Barry of Brockton & Sheryl M. DeLisle of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
 21 Charles E. Montgomery of Brockton & Carolyn M. Sackes of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.

- 22 Ronald P. Lindquist of W.Bridgewater & Deborah M. Berger of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 28 William C. Newell of Bridgewater & Julia M.T. Keenan of London, England in W.Bridgewater.
- September
- 3 Michael D. Bennett of Rockland & Diane F. Osborne of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 4 Kenneth Scalia of W.Bridgewater & Karen Murphy of Brockton in Brockton, Mass.
- 4 John R. Finch of W.Bridgewater & Frances La Forge (Clinton) of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 4 Edward M. Powers of Bridgewater & Sandra Becker (Woottenn) of Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 11 James R. Mann of N.Easton & Patricia A. Keith of W.Bridgewater in N.Easton, Ma.
- 11 Edward Ware, Jr. of Whitman & Donna Bukujian of Whitman in W.Bridgewater.
- 18 John Bennett of Stoughton & Phyllis DeMolles (Johnson) of W.Bridgewater in N.Easton.
- 19 Neil B. Anderson of W.Bridgewater & Lee A. Bonnette of Brockton in Brockton.
- 25 Walter R. Olson of W.Bridgewater & Phyllis Davidson (Burrell) of W.Bridgewater in Brockton.
- 25 Robert F. Clooney of W.Bridgewater & Sandra A. Rossi of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- October
- 2 Michael J. Balboni of W.Bridgewater & Deborah Whiddon of Pembroke in Pembroke.
- 2 George W.L. Govey of Brockton & Rose M. (Hill) Avery of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 2 Joseph S. Tareco of Stoughton & Theresa (Silva) Gouveia of Easton in W.Bridgewater.
- 8 Gennaro A. Della Torre, & Virginia A. Horta of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 9 Mark W. Britton of W.Bridgewater & Paula Dias (Carlson) of Bridgewater in Halifax.
- 22 Kenneth Liddell & Angela Marie Niemi, of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 30 William F. Pushee & Patsy A. Miller of Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- November
- 6 Steven J. Burroughs of N.Easton & Dianne L. Johnson (Tremblay) of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 6 Carmine Centrella, Jr. & Cynthia Tripp of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 13 Ronald W. Wood of N.Easton & Lisa C. Rollins of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 20 Kenneth B. Sterling & Dianne D. Damon of W.Bridgewater in Stoughton.
- 20 Noe F. Gouveia & Janet C. Bustard (Stevenson) of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 24 Joseph A. McLellen & Lucy D. Case of Boston, in W.Bridgewater.
- 24 Nathan S. Stroum & Brenda E. Bolton (Young) of Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 26 Ward C. Benson, III of Whitman & Deborah Luce of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 27 James S. Bourne of N.Easton & Sandra E. Willis of W.Bridgewater in W.Bridgewater.
- 28 Nelson W. Kessell, Jr. & Dolores M. Correia (Crespim) of W.Bridgewater, in W.Bridgewater.
- 29 Francis W. Wilkinson & Cynthia J. Ross of Quincy in W.Bridgewater.
- December
- 4 Jeffrey E. Beal of Brockton & Dawn Reed of Pembroke in W.Bridgewater.
- 11 Charles E. Burley & Avis Cogswell Burley of Burlington in W.Bridgewater.
- 11 Robert K. Ripley & Candis M. Davidson (Luz) of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 11 Michael B. Craven of W.Bridgewater & Linda S. Cerce of Taunton in E.Bridgewater.
- 12 Douglas E. Carson of Ashland & Roberta L. Burt of W.Bridgewater in Middleboro.
- 16 Mark R. Pomeroy & Christine J. Swanson of W.Bridgewater in Abington.
- 17 Thomas F. McGuire of Brockton & Mary T. Hashem of W.Bridgewater in Brockton.
- 24 Barry W. Gaston of Boston & Regina L. (Kyser) Trapp of Brockton in W.Bridgewater.
- 31 Edward A. Burnap & Karen M. Knight of W.Bridgewater in E.Bridgewater.

Deaths Recorded in West Bridgewater — 1976

JANUARY

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|----|---------------------------|----|---|----|-----------------------------|
| 8 | Lilas M. Studley | 82 | 8 | 3 | Coronary Heart Disease |
| 14 | Grace M. Hambly (O'Byrne) | 62 | 9 | 3 | Acute Myocardial Infarction |
| 19 | Donald P. Smith | 68 | 7 | 26 | Cerebral Thrombosis |

FEBRUARY

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|----|----------------------------|----|----|----|--------------------------------|
| 10 | Richard Riddle | 71 | 8 | 6 | Pneumonia |
| 10 | Walter G.E. Rowell | 71 | 0 | 17 | Congestive Heart Failure |
| 11 | Edward F.D. Thomas | 79 | 8 | 0 | Acute Congestive Heart Failure |
| 20 | Mary M. (McMahon) Emord | 86 | 10 | 2 | Arteriosclerotic Heart |
| 27 | Nellie Stearns (Blackmon) | 86 | 4 | 8 | Acute Myocardial Infarction |
| 27 | Jennie Pierce Wood (Smith) | 83 | 11 | 9 | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease |

MARCH

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|----|-----------------------|----|---|----|--------------------------------|
| 16 | Ida M. Allen (Torren) | 91 | 8 | 14 | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease |
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APRIL

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| 26 | James Main | 76 | 0 | 12 | Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease |
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MAY

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| 5 | Mary F. (Sullivan) Johnson | 67 | 9 | 27 | Acute G.I. Bleeding |
| 9 | John Layton Hayward | 56 | 4 | 28 | Arterio Myocardial Infarction |
| 10 | Matthew Mazza | 61 | 6 | 9 | Cardio Pulmonary Arrest |

JUNE

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|----|-------------------------|----|----|----|---------------------------------|
| 17 | Winslow T. Corbett | 89 | 5 | 17 | Metastatic Cancer |
| 25 | Mae L. Hovey | 68 | 9 | 21 | Heart Disease |
| 26 | Harold Frederick Coots | 54 | 10 | 18 | Heart Disease |
| 30 | George W. Wetterberg | 77 | 3 | 28 | Arterio Sclerotic Heart Disease |
| 28 | Martha E. (Cook) Gordon | 66 | 8 | 22 | Myocardial Infarction |
| 29 | James A. Ames | 72 | 9 | 2 | Acute Pulmonary Edema |

JULY

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| 10 | Alice M. Guinea | 66 | 6 | 26 | Pulmonary Emphysema |
| 15 | Matthew McGarry | 93 | 9 | 7 | Cardiac Failure |

AUGUST

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|----|--------------------------|----|---|----|-----------------------------|
| 14 | Richard W. Cogswell, Jr. | 21 | 6 | 11 | Accident, Multiple Injuries |
| 17 | James A. Pomeroy | 80 | 9 | 7 | Acute Lobar Pneumonia |

SEPTEMBER

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| 16 | Doris M. Farnum (Cunningham) | 53 | 11 | 0 | Amyotrophic Laniat Sclerosis |
| 20 | Hazel M. Asack | 54 | 5 | 18 | Ventricular Fibrillation, Cardiac Arrest |

OCTOBER

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|----|--------------|----|---|---|---|
| 29 | Julia Swasky | 65 | 2 | 0 | Oat-cell Carcinoma of lung, metastasis to brain |
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NOVEMBER

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|----|------------------------------------|----|---|----|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Victoria A. Sabalewski (Kunigenas) | 86 | 7 | 16 | Arterio Sclerotic Heart Disease |
| 26 | Francis Flannery | 60 | 7 | 18 | Ruptured Abdominal Aneurysm |

DECEMBER

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| 12 | Mildred A. (Fielding, Beckman) Fisher | 70 | 3 | 21 | Hemorrhage of brain |
| 27 | Edgar E. Perkins | 86 | 0 | 3 | Heart Disease |
| 28 | Esther M. (Tirrell) Ferbert | 78 | 6 | 26 | Cardiogenic Shock |
| 29 | Ella King (Hendrickson) | 48 | 1 | 24 | Massive Bilateral Pneumonia |

Dog Licenses Issued in 1976

| | | | | |
|-------------------|----------|---|--------|---------------|
| Male | 547 | @ | \$3.00 | \$1,641.00 |
| Female | 128 | @ | 6.00 | 765.00 |
| Spayed Female | 401 | @ | 3.00 | 1,203.00 |
| Kennel | 16 | @ | 10.00 | 160.00 |
| Kennel | <u>4</u> | @ | 50.00 | <u>200.00</u> |
| | 1096 | | | \$3,969.00 |
| Less Clerk's fees | 1096 | @ | .35 | <u>383.60</u> |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | | \$3,585.40 |

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Town Clerk

Fish and Game Licenses Issued in 1976

| | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|---|--------|---------------|
| Res. Citizen Fishing Lic. | 306 | @ | \$8.25 | \$2,524.50 |
| Res. Citizen Hunting Lic. | 103 | @ | 8.25 | 849.75 |
| Res. Citizen Sporting Lic. | 175 | @ | 13.50 | 2,362.50 |
| Res. Citizen Minor Fishing Lic. | 27 | @ | 6.25 | 168.75 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping Lic. | 8 | @ | 11.50 | 92.00 |
| Res. Citizen Trapping Minor Lic. | 4 | @ | 6.25 | 25.00 |
| Non-Res. Citizen Hunting Lic. | 1 | @ | 20.25 | 20.25 |
| Non-Res. Cit./Alien Fishing Lic. | 1 | @ | 14.25 | 14.25 |
| Non-Res. 7 Day Lic. | 2 | @ | 8.25 | 16.50 |
| Waterfowl Stamps | <u>92</u> | @ | 1.25 | <u>115.00</u> |
| | 719 | | | \$6,188.50 |
| Less Clerk's fees | 719 | @ | .25 | <u>179.75</u> |
| | | | | \$6,008.75 |
| Archery Deer Stamps | 8 | @ | 5.10 | <u>40.80</u> |
| | | | | \$6,049.55 |
| Less Clerk's fees | 8 | @ | .10 | <u>.80</u> |
| | | | | \$6,048.75 |
| Duplicates | <u>12</u> | @ | 1.00 | <u>12.00</u> |
| Number Issued and Amount | 739 | | | |
| Paid to Div. Fisheries & Game | | | | \$6,060.75 |

Res. Citizen Sporting Lic.

(over 70)

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Free Licenses

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Town Clerk

Miscellaneous Receipts — 1976

| | | | | |
|---|------|---|---------|-------------|
| Appeals | 1 | @ | \$35.00 | \$ 35.00 |
| Appeals | 9 | @ | 25.00 | 225.00 |
| Building Codes | 31 | @ | 1.00 | 31.00 |
| Building Permits | 130 | | | 5,888.30 |
| Maps | 38 | @ | .25 | 9.50 |
| Zoning Maps | 20 | @ | 2.00 | 40.00 |
| Photocopies | | | | 148.45 |
| Street Lists | 3 | @ | 2.00 | 6.00 |
| Street Lists | 65 | @ | 3.00 | 195.00 |
| Raffle & Bazaar Permits | 8 | @ | 10.00 | 80.00 |
| Pole Petitions for 1976 | | | | 78.50 |
| Gas Renewals | 39 | @ | 12.50 | 487.50 |
| Uniform Commercial Codes | 97 | @ | 5.00 | 485.00 |
| Uniform Commercial Codes | 25 | @ | 3.00 | 75.00 |
| Termination Commercial Codes | 7 | @ | 2.00 | 14.00 |
| Certified Copies Births, Death, and Marriages: | 87 | @ | 1.00 | 87.00 |
| | 193 | @ | 2.00 | 386.00 |
| Marriage Certificates | 59 | @ | 4.00 | 236.00 |
| Marriage Certificates | 1 | @ | 8.00 | 8.00 |
| Business Certificates | 17 | @ | 1.00 | 17.00 |
| I. D. Liquor Cards | 17 | @ | 2.00 | 34.00 |
| Dump Stickers | 306 | @ | .50 | 153.00 |
| Dog Licenses Fees | 1096 | @ | .35 | 383.60 |
| Fish & Game Fee | 703 | @ | .25 | 175.75 |
| Archery Stamp Fees | 8 | @ | .10 | .80 |
| Occupancy Permits | | | | 250.00 |
| Sewerage Permits—New | 25 | @ | 25.00 | 625.00 |
| Sewerage Permits—Repairs | 23 | @ | 15.00 | 345.00 |
| Electrical Permits | 121 | | | 660.00 |
| Plumbing Permits | 80 | | | 761.00 |
| Gas Permits | 41 | | | 545.00 |
| Sign Permits | 13 | | | 154.50 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | |
| Dog Transfer | | | | .25 |
| Voting Lists | 6 | | | 12.00 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | | | \$12,632.15 |

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Town Clerk

List of Jurors

W. BRIDGEWATER, MASS. 1976-77

| Name | Residence | Business or Occupation & Address of Employer or Business |
|--------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Andre, Dorothy A. | 263 Spring St. | Secretary-Cholerton Insurance Co., Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Albert, Edna L. | 28 N. Main | Manager, Cumberland Farms Store, 777 Dedham St., Canton, Ma. |
| Anderson, Karl V. | 493 Manley St. | Husband-Truck Driver, Waco Equip., 41 Water St., Holbrook, Ma. Owner-United Steel Mould Co., 219 Walnut St., W.Bridgewater, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Barros, Lois E. | 45 Progressive Ave. | Underwriter-Dept. Supv. Internat'l Adm. Serv., 160 Old Derby St., Hingham, Ma. Husband-Postal Clerk, W.Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Berry, William E. | 392 S. Elm | Construction Supt. A.P. Whitaker & Sons, 652 W.Center St., W.Bridgewater, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Britton, Russell D. | 189 Brooks Place | Ass't Serv. Mgr. of Auto Dealership-Berretta Buick & Opal, Inc., 170 Center St., Brockton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Brown, William R. Sr. | 178 S. Main St. | Retired Postmaster, Wife-Town Clerk W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Burke, Patrice M. | 855 N. Main St. | Housewife & Mother. Husband-Computer Operator, Schmid Bros., 55 Pacella Park, Randolph, Ma. |
| Burrill, H. Kingman | 451 Matfield St. | Tour Boss-Bird & Son, East Walpole, Ma. |
| Bystrom, Carl R. | 684 Manley St. | Wife-Nurse-Supv. Goddard Hospital, Stoughton, Ma. Pres./Treas.-Taft's Inc., 1120 Main St., Brockton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Cadigan, Joseph D. | 24 Milebrook Rd. | Banker/Collection Supv.-First Nat'l Bank of Boston, 100 Federal St., Boston, Ma. Wife-Secretary |
| Cain, William | 327 East | Service Foreman, NET&T Co., 2680 N.Main St., Fall River, Ma. Wife-Registered Nurse |
| Carrozza, Dorothy E. | 19 Norman Ave. | Waitress-Capeway Manor, Main St., Brockton Husband-Presser |
| Chace, Margaret I. | 281 Spring St. | Housewife Husband-Retired, Consolidated RR Corp., Philadelphia, Pa. |
| Cogswell, Helen | 320 East St. | Tel.Op.-NET&T Co., 65 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma. Husband-OilBurner Tech., Brotherhood Oil Corp., N.Montello St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Conant, Frances | 45 S. Elm St. | Retired-School Dept., W.Bridgewater |
| Costello, Joseph P., Jr. | 46 Hartshorn St. | Husband-Salesman Ref.&Air Conditioning Equip., 352 Western Ave., Boston, Ma. Title Mechanical Designer-Power Piping Design/Eng.-Nuclear Power Plant-Stone & Webster Eng.Corp., 245 Summer St., Boston, Ma. Wife-Clerk |

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| Crowell, Betty C. | 144 West St. | Abstractor-Land Title Search,144 West St.,W.Bridgewater |
| Doherty, Diane R. | 331 N. Elm St. | Husband-Gen'l Bldg. Contractor-T.F.Crowell Sons,970 Montello St.,Brockton, Ma. Operations Ass't-NET&T Co.,1690 Main St.,Brockton Husband-Truck Driver-InterCity Trans. Co.,Easton, Ma. |
| Gatt, Robert C. | 2 Aldrich Rd. | Chef-Jimmy's Restaurant,Main St.,Brockton Wife-Housewife |
| Ginn, George F. | 105 Bedford St. | Truck Driver-Bourne Trans.,Brockton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Haight, Doris G. | 2 Crescent St. | Housewife Husband-Att'y,Self-Employed,480 Adams St.,Milton, Ma. |
| Hamilton, John H., Jr. | 2 Copeland St. | Const. Foreman-NET&T Co. Wife-Clerk-Town of W.Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Hodgson, Albert E. | 100 Bedford St. | Self Employed-Commercial Cleaner,100 Bedford St.,W.Bridgewater, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Holmgren, John L. | 485 Matfield St. | Regional Rep.-Mutual Funds,Eaton&Howard,Inc.,24 Federal St.,Boston, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Hoyt, Jack R. | 51 Pinecrest Rd. | Estimate Assigner-NET&T Co.,65 Crescent St.,Brockton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Jensen, Doris L. | 30 Norman Ave. | Housewife Husband-Shoe Pattern Maker-Dunbar Pattern Co.,Brockton, Ma. |
| Johnson, Charles L. | 15 Lincoln St. | Inspector-Assembler-Instron Corp.,2500 Washington St.,Canton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Kelly, Clara A. | 11 Aldrich Rd. | Housewife Husband-Office Mgr.-Insurance Claims Service,100 Belmont St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Kelley, George K., Jr. | 600 East Center | Pump Mech.&Machinist-Proctor&Gamble&Co.,Quincy, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Krebs, Edith M. | 855 N. Main St. | Ward Clerk-Cardinal Cushing General Hospital,Brockton, Ma. |
| Krueger, Shirley E. | 71 Pinecrest Rd. | Secretary-NET&T Co.,1690 Pearl St.,Brockton, Ma. Husband-Salesman-Self Employed |
| Long, Ann M. | 10 Brooks Place | Housewife Husband-Conduit Work Insp.-NET&T Co.,1690 Main St.,Brockton, Ma. |
| Lordan, Thomas C., Jr. | 22 Brewster Rd. | Quality Assurance Eng.-Northrop Corp.,100 Morse St.,Norwood, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Lynch, Evelyn M. | 189 Matfield St. | Housewife Husband-Att'y-Self Employed,189 Matfield St.,W.Bridgewater, Ma. |
| MacMullen, Donald G. | 42 Brooks Place | Supt. Service Dept.-Bay State Gas Co.,995 Belmont St.,Brockton, Ma. |
| Mann, John L., Jr. | 45 Brewster Rd. | Wife-Secretary-School Dept.,W.Bridgewater, Ma. Truck Disp.-Boston Edison,1165 Mass.Ave.,Roxbury, Ma. |
| Manzer, Neil R. | 123 Turnpike St. | Wife-Housewife Director of Individual Contract Development-N.E.Life Ins.Co.,501 Boylston St., Boston, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Marshall, Lawrence E. | 26 Arch St. | Insurance Claim Rep.-Aetna Life & Casualty Ins.Co.,26 School St.,Brockton, Ma. Wife-Bookkeeper |

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| Martin, Mildred M. | 855 N. Main St. | Price Checker-Brockton Public Mkt., Laurel St., E. Bridgewater Husband-Retired |
| Merritt, Janet G. | 195 Lincoln St. | Cafeteria Worker-School System, W. Bridgewater, Ma. |
| Murphy, Donald E. | 417 Matfield | Husband-Inventor Control-Auto-Car Atamian Ford, Brighton, Ma. |
| Newman, Ronald B. | 13 Brewster Rd. | Supv.-DES Chas Hurley Bldg, Boston, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Norcross, James R. | 20 Arch St. | Tour Supt.-Postal Service, Brockton Post Office, Brockton, Ma. Wife-Registered Nurse |
| North, Wilfred | 67 Ash | Foreman, Bricklayer&Carpenter-W.D.Arms Const. Corp., 34 Exchange St., Brock- ton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Patterson, Ralph | 86 Matfield | Laborer-Henry Perkins Co., Bridgewater, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Peloquin, M. Jeannette | 855 N. Main | Dist.Mgr.News Delivery-Brockton Enterprise, 60 Main St., Brockton, Ma. Wife-Assembler |
| Phelan, Thomas J., Jr. | 130 Ash St. | Office Cashier-Stop&Shop, 715 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Podolsky, Henry | 18 Brewster Rd. | Husband-Meat Cutter Bank Officer-Bridgewater Savings Bank, Main St., Bridgewater, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Polley, Janette | 46 Brewster Rd. | Salesman-Hardware Agents, 116 Foundry St., Wakefield, Ma. |
| Pomeroy, Henry J., Jr. | 855 N. Main St. | Wife-Housewife |
| Raymond, Edith | 34 Norman Ave. | Area Rep., Child Evangelism-Rev. La Verne Weber, 93 Hartwell Rd., Bedford, Ma. Truck Driver-Phoenix Spring Beverage, Inc., 135 Elliot St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Read, Samuel A. | 67 Plain St. | Ass't Bookkeeper-Connors Wayside Furniture, 2239 Washington St., Canton, Ma. Husband-Union Painter, Local 296, Brockton, Ma. |
| Roscoe, Jeanne C. | 80 Columbus Ave. | Energy Consulting Engr., Brockton, Ma., 36 Main St. Wife-housewife |
| Roulstone, Barbara M. | 17 Spring St. | Teacher-W. Bridgewater School Dept. Husband-Quality Control Engineer |
| Roussel, Charles M. | 89 Columbus Ave. | Reporter-Brockton Enterprise, Brockton, Ma. |
| Ryan, Lawrence H., Jr. | 22 Aldrich Rd. | Husband-Program News Director-WOKW, 288 Linwood St., Brockton, Ma. |
| Savino, Carol A. | 855 N. Main | Sales Mgr.-NET&T Co., 1690 Main St., Brockton, Ma. Wife-Housewife |
| Seyfert, Max M. | 61 Ash St. | Electrical Eng.-Foxboro Co., 38 Neponset Ave., Foxboro, Ma. |
| Scranton, Alice D. | 255 Pleasant St. | Order Girl-Plymouth Rubber Co., Revere St., Canton, Ma. |
| Slater, Robert B. | 58 Bedford St. | Retired Truck Driver-Town of W. Bridgewater Wife-Housewife |
| Spadea, Joseph R., Sr. | 586 Manley St. | Housewife Husband-Teacher-Plymouth, Ma. Printer-Brockton Enterprise, 60 Main St., Brockton, Ma. Wife-Housewife Gen'l Contractor-Self Employed, 586 Manley St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. Wife-Housewife |

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| Spencer, William E., Jr. | 340 S. Elm | Lineman-NET&T Co., 1043 Pearl St., Brockton, Ma. | Wife-Registered Nurse |
| Surgens, Donald E. | 413 Spring | Bldg. Maintenance Foreman-NET&T Co., S. Main St., W. Bridgewater, Ma. | |
| Teixeira, Frank | 76 S. Elm | Wife-Homemaker | |
| | | Owner-Whittenton Garment Corp., 437 Whittenton St., Taunton, Ma. | |
| | | Wife-Housewife | |
| Thayer, Erland W. | 16 Union St. | Retired Mgr.-N.E. Dairy Cooperative, N. Andover, Ma. | Wife-Retired |
| Turner, Roy M., Jr. | 14 Aldrich Rd. | Chief Draftsman-Sigma Instruments Inc., Pearl St., Braintree, Ma. | |
| | | Wife-Housewife | |
| Widdop, Robert D. | 38 Goldie Rd. | Cable Splicer,-NET&T Co., 146 Leland St., Framingham, Ma. | |
| | | Wife-Bookkeeper | |
| Ward, Lois C. | 32 Merritt St. | Clerk-NET&T Co., 65 Crescent St., Brockton, Ma. | |
| Williams, Robert E. | 62 Bedford St. | 2nd Class Millwright-Armstrong Cork Co., Hancock St., Braintree, Ma. | |
| | | Wife-Housewife | |
| Philips, Alma C. | 402 W. Center St. | At-Home Clerk-Hillards Candy Kitchen, Brockton, Ma. | |
| York, Murtion A. | 413 Crescent St. | Shop Supt.-Emanon, 480 Neponsett St., Canton, Ma. | Wife-Housewife |
| Chaves, James | 102 Brooks Place | Heavy Duty Mechanic (Retired), Boston, Ma. | CETA Program, Brockton, Ma. |
| | | Wife-Housewife | |

JURORS DRAWN IN 1976

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| Paul Alexander | - | Special Criminal | Thomas J. Devine | - | Special Criminal | Barbara Perkins | - | Special Criminal |
| Dorothy Andre | - | Civil Session | Robert T. Haesy | - | Special Criminal | George E. Richardson | - | Criminal Session |
| Gilbert D. Baker | - | Grand Juror | Albert E. Hosgon | - | Criminal Session | John D. Richardson | - | Criminal Session |
| Joseph Boardman | - | Special Criminal | Robert E. Johnson | - | Civil Session | Robert D. Roffinoli | - | Criminal Session |
| Priscilla Bowden | - | Special Criminal | John L. Jones | - | Grand Juror | Lawrence H. Ryan, Jr. | - | Civil Session |
| Stanley O. Carlson | - | Special Criminal | Shirley Krugger | - | Criminal Session | Carol Savino | - | Civil Session |
| Katherine M. Chaves | - | Special Criminal | Michael F. Long | - | Criminal Session | Dorothy E. Seablom | - | Criminal Session |
| Lillian Cheyunski | - | Criminal Session | Francis X. MacHardy | - | Criminal Session | William Trucchi, Jr. | - | Criminal Session |
| Frances Conant | - | Grand Juror | Lawrence E. Marshall | - | Criminal Session | Costas Tsiaros | - | Criminal Session |
| Lawrence Conant | - | Special Criminal | James D. Meal | - | Criminal Session | Margaret C. Tuck | - | Criminal Session |
| Ruth D'Ambrosio | - | Criminal Session | Janet G. Merritt | - | Civil Session | Lois C. Ward | - | Civil Session |
| | | | Lucille C. North | - | Civil Session | | | |

Report of the Board of Selectmen

The annual report of the Board of Selectmen is herewith presented in accord with M.G.L., Chapter 40, Section 49.

The Board has held all its regularly scheduled weekly meetings during the year. Members of this Board are frequently in attendance at meetings of various town committees and Boards and regularly represented at the Plymouth County Advisory Council as specified in the M.G.L.

This year, along with all normal maintenance, the Highway Department blacktopped North Elm Street from Elm Square to Crescent Street. Under the state aid for highways program, it reconstructed Matfield Street from North Main to East Street. The latter job was a major reconstruction project including drainage and sidewalk. With funds allocated at the Annual Town Meeting, the Highway Department built a complete fuel depot near the Fire Station. Although bad weather conditions halted construction in the final stages, the Depot will be in operation by early spring. Once again, your Highway Department has performed in an excellent manner.

As authorized in our Special Town Meeting, the Town Hall has been covered with vinyl siding and all trim has been repainted. The work was completed with an eye toward preservation of the unique trim and architectural features which contribute to the building's beauty and "New England character." The Town Hall is once again a landmark the community can point to with pride.

The Board of Selectmen has done much work with your Finance Committee. It is essential that we work together for an efficient, functional municipal government. On the advice of the Finance Committee there is at the present time a sub-committee studying the insurance needs of the community and the most effective manner to satisfy these needs. The Insurance Agent employed by the Town and our Insurance Officer have been most cooperative in supplying information to further this study.

The Board, at the request of the Finance Committee and the Town Accountant, has requested an audit of the Town Books by the Mass. Bureau of Accounts. This will be accomplished during the next few months. The Board of Selectmen feels that an audit should be done at more frequent intervals. This is a good tool with which to spot new methods and procedures toward which a more competent operation of your municipal government may be directed.

Your Board of Selectmen is more active than ever in the area of applying for Federal and State grants to assist in major capital expenditures. In unison with the Police Station Building Committee we have applied for a 100% funded grant to build a new facility as presented by the Building Committee. Coupled with this application is a request for full funding for a new town garage which would provide space for housing and service of all equipment, storage and office space.

We applied and received a grant of \$44,925.00 for the sewer facilities study authorized at the Special Town Meeting, November 18, 1975.

We applied and received a grant of \$35,333.00 under the HUD Discretionary Block Grant Program for the replacement of the Clinton Street Bridge.

The Board of Selectmen wishes to note the development of the Bridgewater Medical Center which will service West Bridgewater and neighboring towns in the future. It is seldom that a privately financed and developed facility offers so much to such a large area.

Mr. Michael Manugian has served as Chairman of the Ambulance Committee and Mr. Richard E. Krugger has again served as our CETA Designee. Both have offered separate reports to the Town Meeting.

The Board of Selectmen is grateful to all groups and individuals for their performance and spirit of cooperation which has made West Bridgewater such an excellent community.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Johnson, *Chairman*
Michael Manugian
Richard E. Krugger
Board of Selectmen

The “Blood for Life” Program

The “Blood for Life” Program has proven very successful by supplying blood free of charge to each resident of West Bridgewater. By maintaining a bank of six hundred fifty pints, this protection has been extended to include the families of people employed in our town but living away.

The benefits of a successful program are two-fold—it guarantees a blood supply to each of us, without charge, and, in addition, blood is available to meet any emergency.

The following dates have been set aside this year for blood drives: January 28, April 2, June 30 and September 13.

Our thanks to our nurses who volunteer their time, the West Bridgewater Lions, Lioness, Jaycees, Jaycee-ettes, W. B. High School students and to the local concerns who have participated. Most of all, a special thanks to those who give “give their blood, so others may live.”

Respectfully submitted,

Richard E. Krugger, *Chairman*
W. B. “Blood for life” Program

Comprehensive Employment Training Act

P.S.E. TITLE II & VI

Since 1970, beginning with the Emergency Employment Act and now the Comprehensive Employment Training Act. This year we have thirty-three CETA employees. They include laborers, carpenters, painters, jr. clerk typists, teachers aide, etc.

They have been assigned to many areas. They have rebuilt walks, wooden bridges, buildings, picnic benches and stone walls at the Town Park. Others have been assigned to the

School Department, the Housing for the Elderly, the Board of Health office and the sanitary land fill. They have made minor repairs to all town-owned buildings. Again our goal is to get our fair share of government funds to build, drain and repair with little to no cost to the taxpayer.

Richard E. Krugger, *CETA Designee*
West Bridgewater

CETA Summer Youth Program

In 1976, West Bridgewater had thirty-eight young people participating in the Neighborhood Youth Program. This is a federally funded program for youngsters fourteen to eighteen years of age from low income families. These youngsters worked with the Recreation Committee, Conservation Commission, Treasurer-Collector's Office, Assessor's Office, Highway Department, Housing Project and the School Department. Among other things, they cleaned our streets, worked in our brooks and streams digging out debris. Some painted and characterized our fire hydrants from Snoopy to our Early American Soldier and in this way contributed to our Bicentennial Celebration.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard E. Krugger, *CETA Designee for*
West Bridgewater

Ambulance Committee

Ambulance service in West Bridgewater has been very successful due to the combined efforts of your Fire and Police Department personnel. We are in the process of qualifying 2 more Police Officers which will leave a balance of 4 who will be required to complete the EMT training course. Hopefully, they will have received their certificates by July 1, 1977. This will mean that we will have complied with the law which states, "that all personnel who render aid to injured parties are certified Emergency Medical Technicians."

Your Committee would appreciate all townspeople using the following phone number for emergency medical aid: **586-3232**.

The following is a summary of your Ambulance use from August 1, 1976 through January 10, 1977:

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| Residents, all ages transported to hospital | 98 |
| Non-residents, all ages transported to hospital | 53 |
| Homes, places of employment & schools | 82 |
| Various motor vehicle situations | 63 |
| Persons coming to station for assistance | 6 |
| Ambulance aid to other towns | 2 |
| Ambulance aid from other towns | 1 |
| Odometer mileage | 3483.8 |

We are especially pleased to report that your EMT's have saved several lives in addition to receiving many letters and phone calls praising them for the excellent treatment of injured parties.

The next time you pass the station house or meet some of the Fire and Police personnel

on the street, a kind word of appreciation from you will let them know that all of us are aware of the fine work that they are doing for your town.

We as a Committee are proud of the calibre of your Emergency Medical Technicians. It's as though you can hear them say, "Don't worry folks, go about your business,—be rest assured we are ready for any emergency involving you, or your loved one, *around the clock.*" What a wonderful sense of peacefulness this must bring to all of us.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Manugian, *Chairman*
Charles Johnson, *Selectman*
Richard Krugger, *Selectman*
Edwin T. Gibson, *Chief, Fire Dept.*
Ervin G. Lothrop, *Chief, Police Dept.*

Annual Report of Town Counsel

The Honorable, The Board of Selectmen:

The town has been engaged in numerous legal proceedings during 1976.

Contract disputes, abatement prosecution, claims for accidental injuries, our standing to contest legislative action, acquisition of land to satisfy state requirements, necessary services and drainage projects highlight the activity.

We foresee a continued escalation of such problems as legislative action radically affects municipal responsibility.

The following summarizes the service in 1976:

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| Sessions of court attended | 5 |
| Sessions of quasi-judicial bodies attended | 13 |
| Opinions rendered | 46 |
| Meetings attended | 49 |
| Contracts reviewed or revised | 17 |
| Pleadings and instruments drafted | 29 |
| Conferences | 235 |
| Trial days | 19 |
| Negotiation sessions | 15 |

The following litigation was pending as of December 31, 1976:

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| Superior Court | 3 |
| Probate Court | 2 |
| American Arbitration Association | 1 |
| Appellate Tax Board | 4 |

Respectfully submitted,

Francis J. Lynch
Town Counsel

Bicentennial Commission

To the Residents of West Bridgewater:

The following is an attempt to provide a report of the projects and programs of the West Bridgewater Bicentennial Commission during the observance period which actually will not conclude until later this year. Two chairmen resigned (due to business pressure) so this report will include accomplishments during 1975 as well as 1976.

At the request of ARBA in September of 1976 we sent a fairly inclusive run-down of these projects and special events to be included in the National Archives. It read as follows:—As the first inland settlement, via Plimouth and Duxborough, what is now West Bridgewater dates back to 1649, by grant and approved purchase from the Great Sachem, Massasoit. We believe our observances were fitting for a town which honored its Tercentenary in 1956.

One of the first (1975) was to design coins (also available in pendants and keyrings) in sterling, bronze and silver-plated; featuring three historic sites in West Bridgewater but having area significance. One was sent to President Gerald Ford with complete history, via Congresswoman Margaret Heckler. On the obverse side is Pulpit Rock (Town Seal) where Rev. James Keith, newly arrived from Scotland in the mid-1600's, preached his first sermon. This is located in Memorial Park, site of the initial Colonial industrial park with many mills and the original Ames Shovelworks. The reverse side is diagonally divided featuring the Keith Parsonage, built in 1662 and believed to be the oldest in the United States. The Center Tree was the site from which the "purchase" extended approximately seven miles in all directions. A marker notes the spot as the white oak is long gone. Over 1,100 of these commemorative discs have gone all over the country.

A few of the 1975 projects included an Arts and Crafts Show with demonstrations of Colonial-type crafts; a huge success under the co-chairmanship of Mary and John Nelson. The West Bridgewater Schools staged SRO musical pageants. A Bicentennial Ball was held in the West Bridgewater Canoe Club coordinated by Anna and William Brown, Shirley and Robert Bowman, Geraldine and John Hamilton, Barbara and Thomas MacQuinn and Laura and Paul Merola. Majority attended in costumes of the period, with prizes awarded.

The Bicentennial Commission, with the approval of Old Bridgewater Historical Society, sponsored four Open House programs at the Keith 1662 Parsonage. West Bridgewater Mothers Club and Jaycee-Ettes assisted as tea hostesses. Hundreds of people, many from out-of-State, attended. School children were invited on special dates and were presented with the WB Bicentennial pencils. These, with the coins, were popular Christmas gifts.

A Photo Contest, open to all camera fans, ran through December of 1976; thus providing four seasons for "shots." Brochures were printed and distributed with entries on display at the West Bridgewater Pharmacy during the past year. David Cohen was host to the trio of judges: Charles A. Fuller, Stanley A. Bauman and Henry C. Bradford in January of '77. (Winners to be announced).

River Regatta and Canoe Races under the co-chairmanship of Betty and Warren E. Turner were held on the Nunckatasset (Town) River in May, 1976. Restoration of a water-wheel in Memorial Park literally "went down the drain" as specifications were received

too late to receive re-bids and the original bids all came in far too high. This was actually an Historical Commission project but as no action was taken by the group, it became a Bi-Comm. interest. At a Special Town Meeting, June 11, 1974, the sum of \$3,500 had been approved by voters.

Approximately \$1,000 was donated to the Old Bridgewater Minutemen Weekend "Catch the Spirit" in May of '76, with special assistance provided by Bi-Comm. Treasurer Mary Slater and Secretary Lucille North. This included programs in Brockton (North Bridgewater), West Bridgewater, Bridgewater and East Bridgewater. Major reenactments took place at First Congregational-Unitarian Church, organized in 1651 and at the Keith Parsonage with running "battles" between Patriots and English, plus Tories, etc. First Church was a true "Meeting House" both spiritual and civic for the entire area until 1822 when the other three Precincts were allowed by Legislation to conduct their own town meetings.

GREAT SEALS

Letters were written to the governors of all 13 Original States, requesting legends of their Great Seals and items of historic interest. Response was good and copies of the Seals were enlarged and painted by Elizabeth Turner. Bi-Comm. member John C. Eldridge is currently (Jan. 17, 1977) placing them on a panel which will be hung in the W. B. Public Library. Governors' letters and pertinent materiel will be placed in a special book; available to the Public. Lettering on the Panel is being done by Jack Brawdwers.

Also to be hung in the library is an excellent montage of historic sites, painted by Paul Revere Brown, a West Bridgewater resident.

Mr. Eldridge, former town Moderator, is also in charge of giving special recognition to homes in West Bridgewater built prior to 1870, via the use of Colonial signs noting original builder and year of construction. Also three Colonial bridges: Tavern (Howard), Pratt (former Town Clerk) and Comfort Bridge, as well as the Triple-Arch Stone Bridge which is believed to be copied in structure from one in Bridgewater, England. This is not documented. "Elopement Trail" is also noted with a sign. Elopement was by Mary Keith and Ephraim Howard, horseback, in the late 17th Century. It is recorded that Rev. James Keith did not catch up with the young couple and they were married in Providence. A reconciliation came later.

A West Bridgewater Documentary, via colored slides, drawings, music and commentary, artistically compiled by Hilary and Paul Murray, preceded a musical pageant, "In God We Trust" by the W. B. Baptist Church. This excellent program was directed by Mrs. Madaline Luce, wife of the pastor, Rev. Alfred Luce. Tapes and slides of the Murray program will be available to the public.

Bi-Comm. Vice Chairman Marjorie MacDonald provided inclusive material to Old Colony Planning Council on historic and archeological sites in West Bridgewater, with Assessor's Plot Plan and Number; acreage involved and whether town or privately owned. In addition to previously mentioned sites, these included Stockade Hill (King Philip's War), "Solitude Stone", the naming of Old Skim Milk Bridge, early mills, foundries and "factories", invention of one of the first tack or nail machines, etc., etc. Also provided horticultural data on plantings, shrubbery and trees in Memorial Park to Bridgewater State College.

A detailed map of Memorial Park (two copies), with walled waterways, mini-dams, trees, walks, buildings and commemorative "Boulders" are currently being framed at Southeastern Regional Vo-Tech School. Contact via W. B. Committeeman Eugene Kostecki. When completed they are to be presented for hanging in the Town Hall and Library.

Reams of material have been collected and it is hoped that a West Bridgewater book, "Three Centuries—Plus" can be printed in the future; if funds are available. Tentative plans call for four sections: "Early History" ... "Bicentennial Period" ... "Pictorial" (pictures from various sources) and "Potential". The latter stressing possibilities and probabilities. The Murrays expressed it well in their documentary, "Shall we preserve those intangible values whose worth is NOT posted in the market-place, or shall our Town be sacrificed on the altar of economic development? Shall our values for the future be the timeless or the expedient? These are the questions which must be answered—which way are WE going?"

In addition to those mentioned previously, members who have contributed greatly in carrying out projects and programs include Grace Keenan, Jessie Anderson, Ethel Fisher, Dorothy Seablom, Charles Millet and Robert Bevis.

Respectfully submitted,

Marjorie E. MacDonald, *Vice Chairman*

Drury Bell Restoration

To the Residents of West Bridgewater and Project Donors:—

Without pre-knowledge but realizing the Board of Selectmen were aware of our concern, we accepted chairmanship of the Drury Bell Restoration Project with indigenous phases of area up-grading on Howard Terrace and Drive. The Bell, given by Otis Drury 101 years ago, once hung in the highest tower of Howard High School (burned in 1949), ringing out its message of "Liberty thru Education." Many agreed that the famed Bell had been silent for far too long so it was deemed appropriate to have restoration as one of the Bicentennial projects.

With the assistance of several civic-minded men a foundation was constructed on Howard Terrace, including a space for the proposed Heritage Time Capsule and a steel structure on which to suspend the Bell. This took place on July 2, so it was ready-for-ringing during the Nation-wide observance on July Fourth. Prime "ringer" was Scout Jeffrey St. George.

Request for donations to the project started slowly, but soon gained momentum as word spread to "Old Grads" of Howard High; from coast to coast and north to south plus those in town and the area. Also contributing were organizations, businesses and town departments.

A walkway from the granite steps to the Bell, of marble tiles which were once in the basement of HHS, was constructed and curved concrete benches were placed on either side. Shrubbery and English Ivy will be planted next Spring. Replica of the Bell Tower is to be built this winter by Leo Giovanoni.



November 13, 1976, Homecoming Day at WBHS, was a significant date for a brief Dedication ceremony on Howard Terrace. Chimes of First Congregational-Unitarian Church greeted the throng. Pertinent music was furnished by the combined WBHS and Howard Marching Band. Old Bridgewater Minutemen provided a Color Guard and Firing Squad.

Chairman M. E. MacDonald extended welcome and introduced Selectman Michael Manugian, Chairman George Lepine, School Committee; Robert Todd, principal of Howard School; Austin and Gladys (Packard) Cole, Class of 1915; Rev. Richard Burton, minister of First Church; Supt. Donald Fisher, S. Erick Benson, principal of WBHS and Fire Chief Edwin Gibson.

A brief history of the Drury Bell was given and note made of the contents of Heritage Time Capsule. These included a Scroll of Donors script-written by Jack Brawders on parchment oilskin; West Bridgewater Bicentennial coins with legends of Pulpit Rock, the Rev. James Keith 1662 Parsonage and the Center Tree; the 1975 Town Report dedicated to "Mr. Moderator", John C. Eldridge; a 1900 booklet of Howard Seminary given by Warren P. Laughton; a listing of Bicentennial projects and programs as sent to ARBA for the National Archives in Washington, D.C.; pictures taken by Henry Bradford and Hilary and Paul Murray with the latter assisted by members of the WBHS Drama Club.

Also included were news clippings; the Tercentenary Book of 1956 and letters indicating the donation of scholarships by students of Howard School and the W. B. Branch of Bridgewater Savings Bank. Pass books are to be held by the Town Treasurer with interest to be added over the 25 years. Recipients in 2001 will be WBHS graduates (one girl, one boy) who have best demonstrated the true spirit of Patriotism. A program, "In God We Trust" presented by the W. B. Baptist Church, was still another item in the capsule.

Highlight of the morning was when Mr. and Mrs. Cole placed the filled liner in the capsule to applause. It was noted that "opening" will be in 2001, the 350th anniversary of First Church, with request that it be refilled each 25 years until the Nation's Tercentenary. In this way, much data will be available to the Tercentennial Committee of 2076.

Rev. Mr. Burton gave the benediction, with mention that Otis Drury, Benjamin B. Howard and other Trustees of the Howard Fund were members of First Church when the Howard educational complex was built in the 19th Century.

Band played the WBHS "Hymn" and the Minutemen, under orders of Lt. Slater fired a volley from the Revolutionary War type musketry. Mention was made that a bronze plaque will be placed on the concrete foundation as follows: "DRURY BELL...BICENTENNIAL...HERITAGE TIME CAPSULE...NOV. 13, 1976."

Following the ceremony, many joined the Homecoming Motorcade and attended the subsequent football game; a Wildcat victory, 26-0 over visiting Nantucket.

Respectfully submitted,

Marjorie E. MacDonald, *Chairman*

Board of Assessors

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| Total appropriations for 12 month Fiscal Year since 1975 - 1976 Tax Rate was fixed. | \$4,723,420.31 | |
| School Lunch Program | 11,768.34 | |
| Free Public Library | 2,682.00 | |
| Final Court Judgement | 29,411.77 | |
| Legal Overdraft-Fire | 15,491.02 | |
| County Tax | 129,940.70 | |
| Prior Year Underassessment to be Raised | 280.56 | |
| County Hospital Assessment | 1,044.29 | |
| Retired Municipal Teachers | 4,746.90 | |
| State Recreation Areas | 23,685.90 | |
| State Audit Municipal Accounts | 99.09 | |
| Mosquito Control Projects | 5,359.00 | |
| Elderly Lunch Program | 1,980.28 | |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Bills | 860.70 | |
| Air Pollution Control District | 442.54 | |
| Old Colony Planning Council | 1,285.80 | |
| Old Colony Water Pollution Control District | 21,844.65 | |
| Special Education | 6,733.00 | |
| Overlay Current Year | 83,514.05 | |
| Total Overlay Deficits-Prior Years | <u>73,920.20</u> | |
| Gross Amount to be Raised | | \$5,138,511.10 |
| 1977 Fiscal Year Receipts as Certified by the Commissioner on Cherry Sheet | \$1,002,884.52 | |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 330,781.79 | |
| Licenses | 25,862.46 | |
| Fines | 6,670.04 | |
| General Government | 12,593.72 | |
| School (Local Receipts of School Committee) | 2,239.85 | |
| Interest on Deposit | 34,801.30 | |
| Farm Animal, Machinery & Equipment Excise | 1,241.28 | |
| Prior Year Overestimates (Column 3 of Cherry Sheet) | 37,631.46 | |
| Available Funds | 488,441.21 | |
| Veterans' Benefits | 30,503.96 | |
| Public Service Enterprises (Water Dept.) | <u>100,787.69</u> | |
| Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds | | \$2,074,439.28 |
| NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY | | \$3,064,071.82 |
| Value of Assessed Real Estate | | |
| Land | 20,920,376.00 | |
| Buildings | <u>45,997,420.00</u> | |
| Total Real Estate | | \$66,917,796.00 |
| Value of Personal Property | | |
| Stock in Trade | 87,700.00 | |
| Machinery | 76,200.00 | |
| Misc. | 16,000.00 | |
| All Other Taxable Personal Property | <u>2,540,300.00</u> | |
| Total Personal Property | | \$ 2,720,200.00 |
| TOTAL VALUE OF ALL ASSESSED PROPERTY | | \$69,637,996.00 |

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| Valuation | |
| School | 70.90% or \$31.20 |
| General | 29.10% or \$12.80 |
| | 100% \$44.00 |
| Tax Rate Per Thousand | \$44.00 |

School Expenses

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| Salaries and General Expenses | \$2,527,731.00 |
| Southeastern Regional | 72,240.00 |
| State Aid Vocational | 3,525.00 |
| Athletic Fund | 24,000.00 |
| Bonds and Interest | 206,908.00 |
| Overlay | 54,935.54 |
| Insurance | 32,481.40 |
| Retirement Fund (Plymouth County) | 26,620.80 |
| Miscellaneous | <u>70,773.89</u> |

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| Total Expenses | \$3,019,215.63 |
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Receipts

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| Transportation | 85,058.05 |
| Construction | 95,960.00 |
| Vocational Education | 63,243.00 |
| Chapter 70 | 516,504.39 |
| Special Education Program | <u>85,354.00</u> |

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| Total Receipts | \$ 846,119.44 |
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| NET SCHOOL TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION | \$2,173,096.19 |
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EXEMPT PROPERTY

Real Estate

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| Old Bridgewater Historical Society | \$ 78,690.00 |
| Church Societies | 1,198,000.00 |
| Berwick Boys' Foundation | 59,800.00 |
| Town Hall Offices and Forestry Garage | 209,300.00 |
| Highway Garage and Lot | 208,000.00 |
| Fire and Police Station | 234,000.00 |
| Water Department | 1,102,905.00 |
| Park Department | 35,414.00 |
| Cemeteries, Town-owned | 10,800.00 |
| Cemeteries, Private-owned | 208,555.00 |
| Sanitary Landfill | 91,335.00 |
| Conservation Commission | 126,545.00 |
| All Other Town-owned Land | 64,500.00 |
| School Department | 8,750,335.00 |
| West Bridgewater Housing Authority | 696,150.00 |
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts | 661,905.00 |
| B A A R C | <u>51,600.00</u> |

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| Total | \$13,787,834.00 |
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The following abatements and exemptions were made for Fiscal Year 1977.

| Clause | Number | Amount |
|-------------------------|----------|---------------|
| 17 (Widow) | 12 | \$ 2,100.00 |
| 18 (Financial Hardship) | 9 | 4,636.60 |
| 22 (Veterans) | 75 | 13,125.00 |
| 22A (Veterans) | 2 | 700.00 |
| 22E (Veterans) | 2 | 1,050.00 |
| 41 (Elderly) | 75 | 26,075.00 |
| 37 (Blind) | 2 | 875.00 |
| Overvaluation | 54 | 10,307.22 |
| Personal Property | <u>2</u> | <u>198.00</u> |
| Total | 233 | \$59,066.82 |

| 61A (Agric. & Hort. Act-Farm) | Tot'l Assessed value under Chapter 61A | Total Actual Assessed Value | Total Loss in Assessed Value | Total Loss in Tax Money |
|-------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 109 parcels 1,551.23 Ac | \$1,039,179.00 | \$2,430,604.00 | \$1,391,425.00 | \$61,222.70 |

The Board of Assessors had another busy year in 1976. In keeping with our plan for revaluation, submitted to the State in 1975, we continued the project and implemented the values for fiscal year 1976-1977. This second stage of revaluation involved the dwellings in the Town, for the most part. The Board now plans to go to the Department of Corporations and Taxation for a review of the assessment placed on the Town by that department. At the present time, we have a total assessment of \$70,000,000. and the State advises that the Town's full assessment value is \$86,000,000.

The use of the Agricultural/Horticultural Act, by those that farm in our Town, increases every year. We already have 109 parcels in the Act and there are more applications for this next fiscal year. We currently have over 1550 acres covered by this special farm land assessment act and it has reduced the overall Town valuation by approximately \$1,400,000.

The office of this Board becomes busier every year. We have had the help of a C.E.T.A. employee, part time, for the past 4 months. This type of assistance is tenuous, at best, and could be withdrawn at any time. The Board feels that it will be necessary to seek at least a part-time employee, to assist in the ever-increasing clerical work. We shall bring this forward, possibly in the fiscal year 1977-1978.

In conclusion, the Board wishes to thank the Townspeople for their continued understanding and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

Irving W. Puffer, *Chairman*
 Sherwood W. Jackson
 Gary A. Boyd

Collector of Taxes

I am submitting my report as Tax Collector.

It has been a pleasure to serve the people of West Bridgewater and I wish to express my appreciation for the cooperation received from the other Departments and the Citizens of West Bridgewater.

| | Outstanding 1/1/76 | Committed 1976 | Abated 1976 | Refunds 1976 | Collected 1976 | Tax Title | Balance 12/31/76 |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1970 Motor Vehicle | 89.94 | 12.38 | 89.94 | | 12.38 | | |
| 1971 Motor Vehicle | 651.88 | | 651.88 | | | | 941.06 |
| 1972 Motor Vehicle | 2,534.99 | 69.30 | 1,475.47 | 4.02 | 191.78 | | 3,767.04 |
| 1973 Motor Vehicle | 7,754.97 | | 437.53 | | 3,550.40 | | |
| 1973 Personal Property | 250.00 | | | | 250.00 | | |
| 1974 Motor Vehicle | 11,697.08 | 189.75 | 983.14 | 19.25 | 4,534.04 | | 6,388.90 |
| 1974 Personal Property | 446.20 | | | | 446.20 | | |
| 1975 Motor Vehicle Excise | 48,736.51 | | | | 49,701.20 | | |
| 1975 Personal Property | 1,170.00 | 14,715.01 | 6,369.06 | 1,222.12 | 1,170.00 | | 8,603.38 |
| 1975 Real Estate | 35,132.50 | | | | 20,027.62 | 15,104.88 | |
| 1975 Water Lien | 78.20 | | | | 40.60 | 37.60 | |
| 1976 Personal Property | 57,626.00 | | | 132.00 | 56,614.00 | | 1,144.00 |
| 1976 Farm | 104.00 | | | | 26.50 | | 77.50 |
| 1976 Real Estate | 1,370,434.56 | | 37,040.40 | 23,956.88 | 1,273,182.13 | 44,576.46 | 39,592.45 |
| 1976 Water Lien | 2,105.88 | | | | 1,523.28 | 365.60 | 217.00 |
| 1976 Motor Vehicle Excise | | 243,747.54 | 28,190.33 | 3,055.31 | 202,417.00 | | 16,195.52 |
| 1976 Water | 13,826.35 | 98,557.33 | 59.00 | | 88,265.59 | 11,628.96 | 12,430.13 |
| 1976 B Farm | | 995.63 | | | 874.13 | | 121.50 |
| 1977 Water Liens | | 11,628.96 | | 67.80 | 8,995.23 | | 2,701.53 |
| 1977 Real Estate | | 2,944,383.02 | 58,406.82 | 6,509.82 | 1,364,961.92 | | 1,527,524.13 |
| 1977 Personal Property | | 119,688.80 | 660.00 | 48.00 | 57,932.20 | | 61,144.60 |
| | <u>\$1,552,639.06</u> | | | | <u>\$3,134,716.20</u> | | <u>\$1,680,848.74</u> |
| Trailer Park Excise | | | | | 6,498.00 | | |
| Interest Collected | | | | | 10,873.74 | Respectfully submitted, | |
| Charges Collected | | | | | <u>2,051.20</u> | Joseph F. McCann, | |
| | | | | | <u>\$3,154,139.14</u> | Collector | |

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph F. McCann,
Collector

Conservation Commission

1976 wasn't the most productive year in the Commission's history, but nevertheless was not devoid of accomplishment. Two land acquisitions were effected, with 2.68 acres purchased from Anthony and Julia DeMolles for \$1,000, which was the assessed value. The property is located on the southwest side of the Walnut Street Bridge over Coweset Brook and now permanently protects considerable shoreline and flood plain. The Commission accepted a gift of 2.84 acres of wetland and some upland along Elm Square Brook from Charles and Doris Tuck, "to be forever used for strictly conservation purposes." This gift ties into the partially completed green belt to run from North Elm Street to North Main Street largely along Elm Square and Willow Brooks protecting vital wetlands and retention areas.

Much work was completed at Reynold's landing on Ash Street. The parking area was created by filling and grading with good gravel. A channel was dug through the marsh out to the river from shore with a draft of 5 to 6 feet. Trees were pruned and wounds painted and the area generally cleaned up. The area has been well used by area sportsmen and residents. The Police Department has cooperated in keeping a close check on the area at night to preclude undesirable activities from taking place. This coming year will see fencing completed, rules and regulations posted, and a large attractive sign erected.

During the summer months, the Commission employed a local youth under a work-study program with the University of New Hampshire. The University paid 80% of his wages and the town 20%. He performed clean up work and hand grading work at Reynold's Landing. He did some tree pruning and painting there also. The Town River from South Main Street to the Bridgewater town line downstream was cleaned during the period of low water. Several boat loads of debris, including many barrels and tires were removed. The Mill Pond also received similar clean up activity. Our young worker also cleaned up litter and debris twice from the various Conservation areas. Tree pruning and creosoting of wooden walkways in the Woodcock Chase Conservation area was accomplished, and a beginning was made in pruning and clearing brush in the Conservation area on Forest Street, (Holmes Hill).

Another local youth, Jim Noyes an Eagle Scout, along with other scouts, performed work in the Woodcock Chase Conservation area toward merit badges. The work consisted of clean up of limbs and brush, cutting back pathways, and further creosoting and repair of walkways. Two diseased elm trees were removed by other volunteer labor.

Five public hearings were conducted in connection with the administration of the Wetland Protection Act. Paul and Edith Brouillard were issued an Order of Conditions permitting the construction of a dwelling on Lot No.9-1C, South Elm Street, Walter Schmidt of Quincy, an Order of Conditions permitting construction of a dwelling on each of Lot No.12-4 and 12-5 Ash Street. William and Ruth Couite an Order of Conditions for a dwelling on Lot No.38-10 North Elm Street, William Bertarelli an Order of Conditions for a dwelling on Lot No.40-17 Tiffany Circle. In addition, Anthony Mansulla of Brockton was issued an Order of Conditions allowing the construction of a dance hall at 734 North Main Street.

A tiny budget will effectively restrict further activity through the end of the current fiscal year, June 30, 1977. The Commission is requesting in their annual budget for the coming fiscal year, July 1, 1977 through June 30, 1978, \$5,000.00 for the Conservation fund. This was not voted last year after having been voted into the fund consistently at

Town Meeting for years. It is from the fund that the land purchases have been made over the years as well as paying legal and engineering fees on purchases and gifts. The fund is revolving, unexpended monies do not revert to the Town at the end of the year, and provides a ready source of funds when needed for acquisition. This eliminates the problems of funding when a piece of land is suddenly placed on the market that the Commission feels should be acquired. We are asking the voters to vote this sum at the 1977 Annual Town Meeting and restore the conservation fund. It is a modest sum with which much has been accomplished over the years.

Respectfully submitted,

Philip C. Tuck, *Chairman*
Russell D. Hart, *Secretary*
Thomas B. MacQuinn
Donald E. Surgens
Rev. Richard E. Burton
Joseph Souza
Janet G. Merritt

Board of Appeals

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Appeals for the year 1976.

The Board held meetings on eight different dates during the year. Seven of these meetings were advertised hearing dates at which thirteen petitions were heard.

Seven petitions were allowed, three denied, and two were withdrawn. One of the petitions was presented in two parts. One part was allowed the other part denied.

Two hearings were heard twice as questions of legality due to change in State Laws arose. Members of the Board visited sites of the petitions at various times.

There were no changes in the Boards personnel during the year. Regular members and alternates remained the same.

The Board wishes to thank the Town Clerk, Building Inspector, Planning Board and the Assessors office for their assistance received during the year.

The following comprise the Board of Appeals:

Julian E. Lucini, *Chairman*
H. Kingman Burrill, *Clerk*
John H. Hamilton, Jr.
William E. Turner, Jr.
John D. Pettinelli
Ronald S. Alger, *Alternate*
Henry Podolsky, *Alternate*

Report of the Building Inspector

I hereby submit my annual report of the Building Inspection permits of West Bridgewater. Permits were issued and inspections for construction as requested. There was an increase in Residential and Industrial Buildings over those in 1975.

| | No. Permits | Estimated Cost |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------|
| Residential Homes | 22 | \$606,000.00 |
| Mobile Homes | 0 | |
| Alterations | 33 | 130,625.00 |
| Garages | 9 | 38,300.00 |
| Misc. — Sheds — etc. | 11 | 7,805.00 |
| Swimming Pools | 21 | 50,905.00 |
| Business Buildings | 5 | 187,900.00 |
| Business Additions | 11 | 129,000.00 |
| Industrial Buildings | 5 | 225,000.00 |
| Industrial Additions | 4 | 414,000.00 |
| Siding | 4 | 11,180.00 |
| Homes Demolished | 3 | |
| Business Demolished | 2 | |
| | 130 | \$1,800,715.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

Ernest R. Peterson
Building Inspector

Report of Dog Officer

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen
To: and Citizens of West Bridgewater

I respectfully submit the report of the Dog Officer:

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| Dogs reported missing | 209 |
| Cases requiring attention | 631 |
| Animals or fowl killed | 11 |
| Strays picked up and given new homes | 243 |
| Injured or killed on highways | 4 |
| Reported dog bites | 6 |

At this time I would like to express my appreciation to the citizens of West Bridgewater for their cooperation and to the Police Department.

To assist in locating and returning lost dogs it would be appreciated if all dog owners would insure that dog license tags be securely attached at all times.

Respectfull submitted,

Bob Etsell, *Dog Officer*

Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report, as Chief of the Fire Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, for the year 1976.

PERSONNEL

The personnel of the Department remains the same as in the previous year. Chief, Deputy Chief, Captain, two, (2) Lieutenants, twenty eight (28) Call Firefighters.

Five of the total of six permanent men are certified as Emergency Medical Technicians. Also three Call Men are certified.

APPARATUS

Engine No. 1: 1952 Seagrave 750 GPM Pumper; Engine No. 2: 1959 Seagrave/Chevrolet, 750 GPM Pumper; Combination No. 1: 1968 Pierre-Thibault W-500 Dodge, (4 Wheel Drive) 500 GPM Auxiliary Pump; Combination No. 2: 1945 Chevrolet 500 GPM (front mounted Pump); Squad No. 1: 1967 Ford (4 Wheel Drive); Ladder No. 1: 1944 Pirsch, 65' Aerial Ladder; Rescue No. 1: 1962 Ford; One (1) Boat & Outboard motor (for Water Rescue); Chief's Car; 1974 Ford (Wagon) with mileage of 55812.

STATISTICAL REPORT

During 1976 the Fire Department responded to a total of Four Hundred and thirteen runs. Three Hundred and Seven runs were classified as Still Alarms. Still Alarms are usually handled by the "On Duty" men.

FIRE CALLS

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Short Circuit | 8 | Clothes Dryer | 2 |
| Industrial Building | 10 | Aid to Police | 11 |
| Dump | 8 | Aid to other Cities & Towns | 31 |
| Oil Burner | 10 | Aid from outside | 56 |
| Sprinkler | 3 | Bomb scare | 5 |
| Washing Machine | 1 | False Alarms | 7 |
| Grass | 19 | Miscellaneous | 42 |
| House | 9 | Permits issued | 588 |
| Overheated Stove | 3 | Investigations | 42 |
| Shed | 5 | Oil Burner Inspections | 26 |
| Rubbish | 7 | Restaurant | 1 |
| Resuscitator | 7 | Automobile | 63 |
| Television | 2 | Dumpster | 2 |
| School | 6 | Gasoline Washdown | 16 |
| Brush | 5 | Lock-out | 12 |
| Woods | 22 | Auto Accidents | 18 |
| Truck | 9 | Cellar Pumping | 33 |
| Tractor | 1 | Gas Inspections | 7 |
| Chimney | 5 | | |

In the performance of these duties:

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|-------------------------|---------------|
| Apparatus Mileage | 12,335, miles |
| Pump Hours | 185, hours |
| Hose Laid: 2½" | 17,950, feet |
| 1½" | 9,250, feet |
| Booster Hose, | 2,835, feet |
| 11/8" | 15,500, feet |
| Ladders Raised | 827, feet |

INSPECTIONS

Inspections, as required by State Law of Schools, Public Buildings and other specified establishments were regularly made. Fire Drills were staged and observed at all Schools.

FIRE DEPARTMENT DRILL PROGRAM 1976

Lt. John D. Richardson

During 1976 the West Bridgewater Fire Dept. held 33 training drills. These drills are held on Monday nights and were attended by an average of sixteen men. A few men also took advantage of additional training sessions given at the Mass. Firefighting Academy.

FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

Deputy Chief William E. Gibson Jr.

In addition to the Inspections previously mentioned in this report, an on-going Inspection Program has been carried out. However, upon the inception of Ambulance Service and the prime necessity of maintaining one man at a constant state of readiness, to respond with the Ambulance, it has not been possible to devote as much time to routine inspections as would be desirable. Constant inspection and vigilance of recent past years has had a significant effect in reducing fire and loss at structures and locations that were under continuing inspection and re-inspection. The statistical report shows less than three percent of our total fire calls to these sites.

Complaints of violations of Fire Prevention Regulations; emanating from the Board of Selectmen, Employees, and other sources were received and in depth investigations and reports were made as the case dictated. In all cases compliance and cooperation with Fire regulations was achieved.

All Kindergarten and Elementary School children were availed of Fire Prevention programs, or Demonstrations and passed out materials. A live demonstration on the use and limitations of Fire Extinguishers was presented at Spring Street School, for Teachers, Teachers Aides and the Custodians. A similar program was staged at the "Housing for the Elderly".

A number of inspections were made in conjunction with the Building Inspector and the cooperation and support of that office is appreciated and acknowledged.

"Summary Report of Ambulance Activity" — July 22, 1976—Dec. 31, 1976

Residents of all ages transported to Hospital: 88

Non-residents of all ages transported to Hospital: 44

Patients transported from—Homes: 65

Patients transported from—Schools: 3

Patients transported from—Motor Vehicle accidents: 30
Patients transported from—Commercial business: 6
Patients transported from—Miscellaneous incidents: 12
Ambulance aid to other towns — 2
Ambulance aid from other towns — 1

From July 22nd to December 31st, 1976 the ambulance transported one hundred and thirty eight people (138).

Mileage on ambulance as of December 31st, 1976 — 3343.5

The above mentioned ambulance runs of 138 added to the other Fire Department runs give us a total of 551 (five hundred and fifty one) Fire Department responses.

In my last report I used the phrase “**FIRE PREVENTION MEANS JUST THAT—A LITTLE CARE MAKES A FIRE RARE**”.

Fire losses are related to Insurance cost and coverage. I must call specific attention to the number of Automobile Fires (63). The location of these fires and other consistent factors give evidence of Burning to Defraud Insurance Companies. To successfully prosecute such cases, solid evidence and witnesses are necessary. Any information of suspicious vehicles or activity should be reported to the Police immediately.

Again, recognizing the proliferation of wood burning stoves and other auxiliary heating units, **CARE, CAUTION, AND COMMON SENSE IS THE BEST APPROACH.**

REQUESTS & RECOMMENDATION

I have submitted in my budget for 1977-1978, requests for:

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|--|-----------|
| 1. Five (5) Tone Radios at \$200.00 each | \$1000.00 |
| 2. Four (4) Radio Controls for Station Doors | 600.00 |

An article in the Warrant of the Annual Town Meeting to purchase one (1) Heart-Lung Resuscitator for the Ambulance.

In conclusion I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to my Officers and men, to all my associates in Town Government, and to the Townspeople for their continued cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Edwin T. Gibson, *Chief*
West Bridgewater Fire Department

Police Department Annual Report

I herewith submit the Annual Report of the West Bridgewater Police Department for the year 1976.

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| Complaints | 4,938 |
| Investigations | 7,873 |
| B. & E. | 141 |
| Larceny (Including Larceny by Check) | 304 |

Arrests:

| | Male | Female | Juvenile |
|----------|------------|------------|-----------|
| Physical | 86 | 11 | 29 |
| Summons | <u>867</u> | <u>255</u> | <u>17</u> |
| | 953 | 266 | 46 |

Total 1,265

The following is a list of some of the charges for which the above Arrests were made:

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| Armed Robbery | 5 |
| Assault with Intent to Murder | 1 |
| Unarmed Robbery | 3 |
| Assault with Intent to Rob | 1 |
| Burglary | 1 |
| Receiving Stolen Property | 7 |
| B. & E. in the Daytime | 13 |
| B. & E. in the Night Time | 16 |
| Possession Burgularious Tools | 5 |
| Larceny More | 27 |
| Larceny from a Building | 1 |
| Larceny Less | 25 |
| Forgery | 3 |
| Uttering | 3 |
| Assault & Battery with a Dangerous Weapon | 2 |
| Assault and Battery | 10 |
| Assault with Dangerous Weapon | 1 |
| Illegal Possession of a Firearm | 1 |
| Conspiracy to a Bomb Call | 4 |
| Bomb Call | 1 |
| Contributing to Delinquency of a Minor | 2 |
| Being a Lewd Person | 2 |
| Distributing a Controlled Substance | 1 |
| Uttering a False Prescription | 1 |
| Possession of a Controlled Substance | 2 |

All other Arrests were for Motor Vehicle Charges or misdemeanors.

MISCELLANEOUS

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|-------------------------|-----|
| Accidents (total) | 302 |
| Persons Killed | 4 |
| Persons Injured | 97 |
| Property Damage | 221 |
| Hit & Run | 25 |

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|---|----------|
| Body Arrests (total) | 126 |
| Without Warrant | 88 |
| With Warrant | 38 |
| Summons Served | 508 |
| Buildings Found Open | 206 |
| Street Lights Out | 33 |
| Emergencies Answered | 343 |
| People taken to Hospital (Total) | 346 |
| Auto Accident | 89 |
| Non Accident | 257 |
| People to Doctors | 0 |
| Dog Complaints (Total) | 166 |
| Killed | 61 |
| Bites | 15 |
| Missing | 43 |
| Stray | 47 |
| Assists to in Town Departments | 268 |
| Assists to other Towns (Total) | 336 |
| Accidents | 58 |
| Investigations | 278 |
| Escorts Given | 134 |
| Fires Reported | 30 |
| Fires Covered | 69 |
| Assist to Disabled Motorists | 115 |
| Road Hazards Reported | 75 |
| Alarms Answered | 884 |
| Messages Delivered | 208 |
| House Checks | 469 |
| Breaking & Entering (Total) | 141 |
| Residences | 87 |
| Non Residences | 54 |
| Larceny More Than \$100 | 106 |
| Larceny Less Than \$100 | 165 |
| Larceny by Check | 33 |
| Assault & Battery | 14 |
| Bicycles Stolen | 56 |
| Vehicles Stolen | 39 |
| Vehicles Recovered | 69 |
| Missing Persons | 36 |
| Unexpected Deaths Investigated | 3 |
| Robberies | 8 |
| Incapacitated Persons Held | 84 |
| Telephone Calls Received | 27,056 |
| Body Arrests | |
| Adult Male | 86 |
| Adult Female | 11 |
| Juvenile Male | 18 |
| Juvenile Female | 11 |
| State Police Arrests | 6 |
| Juveniles Handled out of Court | 199 |
| Value of Property Stolen (Total) | 156,939. |
| Value of Property Recovered (Total) | 98,911. |
| Court Hours | 1,707 |
| District | 1,410 |
| Superior | 280 |
| Grand Jury | 17 |

TRAFFIC REPORT

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|--------------------------------|-------|
| Accidents | 307 |
| Fatals | 4 |
| Property Damage Only | 221 |
| Accidents (Injuries) | 97 |
| Hit & Run | 25 |
| Auto Violations to Court | 1,546 |
| Warnings to Registry | 780 |
| Motor Vehicle Arrests | 41 |

CAR DEALERS LICENSES

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|-----------------|------|
| Class I | 306 |
| Class II | 2706 |
| Class III | 121 |

MONIES RETURNED TO THE TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER 1976

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Pistol Permits | \$220.00 |
| Licenses to Sell Firearms | 40.00 |
| Licenses to Sell Ammunition | 4.00 |
| Firearms Identification Cards | 120.00 |
| Reports to Insurance Companies | 1,025.00 |
| Fines Returned from Court | 3,445.30 |
| Parking Fines | 162.00 |
| | <u>\$5,016.30</u> |

ANNUAL REPORT

In furthering the report of the Police Department I would like to point out some of the accomplishments of the past year.

We now have in operation a new records system. Through the cooperation of the Massachusetts Police INstitute, the system was installed by a Technical Specialist of the Field Service Section of their organization. The month of December was spent familiarizing the personnel of the department with the operation of the system. On January 1, 1977 the system was put into operation. Under this new system, all calls are recorded by a timeclock at the time they are received and again at the time of the action taken and completed by the officer assigned to the incident. This makes available a record of the time involved in police services. An additional item included in this system is a one (1) time computation by computer of the incidents noted for a period of time.

Regarding the Plymouth County Radio System—all our equipment was installed as of July 1976. We are in a region consisting of Bridgewater and East Bridgewater. This new system gives our department contact with every town and city in Plymouth County. Some towns within the County have not been completed, but at least have their base stations, transmitters and one (1) mobile unit installed, enabling them to cover their own region. It is the hope of the Plymouth County Radio Committee that the system will be completed by the end of 1977, making it possible for all communities within the County to be in immediate contact with one another, either at the stations or cruisers. This system closes a serious communication gap that has existed within the area for many years, when three (3) separate radio systems operated within the County. I am personally very pleased with the operation of this system and the advancement it has made in the communications of the County. If it was not for the availability of matching Federal Funds, we would not be able to have this system. We were able to make use of our old base station by changing one (1)

crystal and applying for a license, which we now hold, to go on "Intercity" which gives us contact with many cities and towns in eastern Massachusetts, this system is strictly an emergency set up for criminal action.

I have received word from the New England Telephone Company and the State Police that our Tele-type will be installed some time during the months of January or February. This is one more improvement to our communications system that will enable your Police department to function more efficiently and offer better services to our community.

In July our Town Ambulance service was inaugurated and assigned to the Fire Department with assistance from the Police Department by assigning a man when needed. At the present time I have six (6) permanent police officers and one (1) reserve officer trained as EMTs. Six (6) more officers are to be trained as EMTs and our four (4) Sergeants are to be trained as First Responders. This ambulance service, while being a costly, state mandated service, has proven to be a great asset in the quality of aid we are able to provide the sick and injured in our community.

Officer Bruce L. Holmquist graduated from the Southeastern Massachusetts Training Academy in December 1976. Our training is an on going project and it is planned in the spring to send three (3) Sergeants to a Command Training Program held by the New England Institute of Law Enforcement at Babson College. Throughout the year officers will attend seminars in various phases of Police work.

In July 1976 the Town of West Bridgewater Police Department was awarded a vehicle through the Governor's Highway Safety Program. This vehicle has proved to be a most effective aid in our traffic control and Radar selective enforcement. It has also been a "back up" vehicle in many incidents to our two (2) marked cruisers, which has been most helpful.

The achievement of appropriate standards and the attainment of desirable goals dedicated to the advancement of a more effective police service are dependent almost entirely on those who make the police service their career and their professional competence in carrying out their duties. No police department can ever be better than the quality of its personnel. The most valuable asset of any police agency is its manpower resources and this is also the most costly factor in providing police service in any community.

The largest item, by far, in any police budget is committed to salaries and related personnel expenditures. It is, therefore, of primary importance that the best possible candidates be encouraged to enter the police service, that they be carefully selected, that they be afforded the best possible training and guidance and that they be held to the highest standards of conduct, performance and productivity. Only in this way can a community meet the present and future requirements of what has become the most difficult, most sensitive and most demanding responsibility in the public service.

Police training and higher education are now more important than ever before. As the police service has become more complex, every officer is required to have a far greater capacity to exercise broad discretion in a wide variety of situations and to have a far better perspective of the community in which he serves. Although there is no evidence that higher education in and of itself will make a good police officer, it can assist in making a good police officer a better one. A natural affinity for police work, a natural fund of common sense and a natural ability to communicate with people are the attributes most

needed by a police officer. Higher education can add to these qualities, but it cannot provide them if they do not exist in the first place.

Concerning the Police Station—I am sure every one realizes the crowded conditions at our present facility. At the present time the Board of Selectmen and Station Building Committee are awaiting word from the Federal Government under the Public Works Act for funds to be made available for the construction of Police Stations. I know there are several other projects being contemplated within our community but under the present condition it is almost impossible to function where we are now located.

To the Police Building Committee, my heartfelt thanks for a fine job and the hope that you will continue to work in the future for the best interest of our community.

Once again I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen and all other departments for their continued cooperation and support.

To the Officers and men of the department—I wish to commend them for their fine work, cooperation and untiring efforts in the performance of their duties. It is only through their efforts my job is made easier.

Respectfully submitted,

Ervin G. Lothrop
Chief of Police

Civil Defense Agency

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report as Civil Defense Director for the Town of West Bridgewater for the year of 1976.

Civil preparedness is by law a joint responsibility of the Federal Government and the State and local governments. There is a basic objective of this preparedness program and that is to make the community, and citizens within the community, better prepared to deal with the effects of nuclear attack. This readiness also has an important secondary objective, that is an improved readiness to conduct coordinated local emergency operations in peacetime emergencies or disasters. Exercises are held periodically by local and State agencies. We have participated in these exercises on a regular basis.

Radiological Measuring Instruments were once again checked this year. Obsolete instruments were exchanged for newer more up to date units. Of upmost importance is a complete set of these instruments that are kept in the Fire Department Emergency Wagon.

PROGRAM Evaluation Summary Papers were prepared and submitted. These papers were approved thereby making the Town eligible for Matching Funds and other Federal assistance.

National Warning System drills were held during the year. These are unannounced drills with local emergency departments getting the initial alert. We participated in all of these drills.

Monthly meetings are held on a Sector basis. These meetings are very informative with discussions held on problems that have been encountered. Trips to the Surplus Material Warehouse are available to Town Departments. Used articles are available at much reduced prices.

My sincere thanks to the Board of Selectmen, Town Accountant, Deputy Civil Defense Director John C. Eldridge, Police Chief Lothrop, Fire Chief Gibson and all others who have cooperated with and assisted me during the year of 1976.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert W. Anderson
Civil Defense Director

West Bridgewater Housing Authority

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We hereby submit the annual report of the Housing Authority for the year 1976.

We have now completed our fourth year of residency at D'Arpino Village. Again, the tenants are all interested and active members of our community, volunteering their services whenever able, to help in all community affairs.

The Housing Board, under the guidance of Carl Bystrom, chairman, is actively engaged in tending to the needs of the tenants & maintenance of the project with the assistance of Dorothy Holmgren, Executive Director and secretary of the Housing Board.

This year saw the completion of our new maintenance building and garage, which was sorely needed and appreciated by the Board and tenants.

The Bridgewater Visiting Nurse Association is still conducting their monthly blood pressure clinic for all senior citizens of the town. Also by a vote of the Housing Board and approval of the Tenants Association of Esther Drive, the West Bridgewater Housing Authority has hosted the Old Colony Services Legal Van, the Health Clinic Van and the Lion's Club Eye-mobile. These services are available for all elderly town residents.

The Housing Authority is extremely grateful for the cooperation of all town officials, the Police Department, Fire Department, Water Department Highway Department, Building Superintendent, Selectmen and Anna Brown, Town Clerk. And a special "thank you" to the West Bridgewater Public Library who have installed a rack of paper-back books for the tenants convenience in the community room of the Robert E. McFadden building.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorothy A. Holmgren, *Secretary*
Carl R. Bystrom, *Chairman*
Richard C. Williams, *Vice-Chairman*
George A. Miller, *Treasurer*
Kevin H. Kelley, *Asst. Treasurer*
Armen A. Amerigian, *State Member*

Police Station Building Committee

Our preparation for the 1976 town meeting plus the continuous effort of the Selectmen and the accurate preparation of all the necessary forms by Mrs. Artemis Bucci enabled us to meet the application deadline for Public Service Employment funds. We remain optimistic that West Bridgewater will receive federal funding for this project.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph McMorrow *Chairman*

Charles Roussel, *Secretary*

Leonard Bucci

George Hollertz

Richard Williams

Report of Council on Aging

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The West Bridgewater Council on Aging continues its efforts to work with the elderly citizens of West Bridgewater to bring to them the opportunity that provides for comfortable housing, access to health care, nutritional programs, transportation, recreation and such deliverable services that would help maintain people in their own homes.

Our decision to become a member of Old Colony Elderly Services, a Brockton based home care corporation, followed a six month trial period that proved most favorable. West Bridgewater's \$1000 contribution enabled our town to take advantage of many services that would otherwise be costly and difficult to provide. These are in the area of information and referral, case management, transportation, homemaker, chore (heavy duty cleaning and minor repairs), legal aid and social work counseling. Recently, the SCOPE program has been implemented, which offers the expertise of a registered occupational therapist for home assessments, treatment, structural changes and adaptive equipment to enable the handicapped elderly to function at home despite their disabilities.

The legal aid van has visited the town on 4 different occasions during the year, with an attorney offering free legal assistance in such matters as wills, real estate transactions, divorce, etc.

West Bridgewater has input into this corporation with a member on the board of directors and a member on the advisory committee.

The Council continues to provide a 12 month hot lunch program, averaging 150 meals a week, using the Rose L. MacDonald School facilities during the school year and the First Congregational Unitarian Church for the summer program. Mrs. Emma Marzelli has done a fine job as hot lunch coordinator, keeping things running smoothly and organizing recreational and educational programs following meals at the school. Meals on Wheels are purchased from Windy Ridge restaurant for home delivery to shut ins. Mrs. Phoebe Burnham delivers the meals during the school year, and Mrs. Dorothy Williams does so in the summer.

The Council sponsored several interesting day trips in cooperation with the Senior Citizen club, and sponsored the annual Senior Citizen picnic, to which all the elderly of the town were invited.

All preliminary work of planning, materials, and site for a bocce court has been completed and the project should be ready to go in the Spring.

The Council on Aging is grateful for the cooperation of so many who have helped to make our programs possible—Mr. Donald Fisher, Supt. of Schools, and Mrs. Beverly Reynolds, food service director, for the use of the school facilities and special menus for the elderly that take extra planning and caring; the V.N.A. who has provided the special health care and counseling clinics, and so many others whose fine cooperation makes our work so much easier and rewarding. In this manner we shall help our elderly to live independently and with dignity.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Puffer, *Chairman*
Marjorie MacDonald, *Vice Chairman*
Beth Burgess, *Secretary*
Lucille North, *Treasurer*
Clifford Carlson
John Eldridge
Virginia Michael
Lloyd Sears
Evelyn Thayer

Board of Health

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen, and the Citizens of West Bridgewater.

We herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Health for the year 1976.

The Board of Health, early in the year, was dealt a major problem when it received a letter from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE), Regional Office, Lakeville. This letter cited several violations of the State Sanitary Landfill Regulations. The Board, with a member of the Board of Selectmen, attended a pre-order conference in March with the State Regional Engineer to discuss the violations. We were ordered to hire a consulting engineer within 30 days and to begin the process of upgrading the Landfill Operation. C. A. Pickering Associates was retained as the engineer and the task was begun.

Progress at the Landfill Site was slow, as the Board attempted to work with available equipment and funds. As things were beginning to take shape, another letter was received from the D.E.Q.E. in *October* instructing the Board to comply with *eight* orders. A hearing was requested, as allowed under the law in order that the Board could request a modification in the time limitations contained in the orders. The hearing was held in December in Lakeville.

To date, no final ruling has been received from the D.E.Q.E. as a result of the hearing. However, the indication was our request for modification in the orders would be denied

because violations existing, as long ago as 1972, were ignored. The Board informed the State that improvements would continue with the goal being to close the site in compliance with the law by October, 1977.

As a result of this hearing and in order to better control operation of the Landfill Site, the Board instituted new regulations as of January 1, 1977. A public hearing was held in October in order to eliminate hardships that the regulations might cause.

These regulations will take time for all of us to get used to, but they are necessary. We must all make certain adjustments if we are to solve our solid waste disposal problems. This Board, since control of the Landfill Site was returned to it by the Selectmen in July of 1975, feels that a great deal of progress has been made. But, we have a long way to go. We shall continue to seek a solution to our solid waste management problems.

A Biological research project was begun this past summer with the assistance of a C.E.T.A. employee who is a Graduate Biologist. The purpose of this project was to determine where sewerage pollution in our rivers and streams exist, locate the source of such pollution, and eliminate such source. Forty-one sites were tested and results documented. Sources of pollution in several of these sites have been located and elimination of these public health nuisances is underway. This project will help to provide cleaner waterways within our town and has met with much success to date. We would like to thank publicly the State College at Bridgewater for their cooperation by allowing us free use of their laboratory facilities.

Services from the Bridgewater Visiting Nurses Association continued this year under an agreement it has with the Board of Health. Such services include home health care, school clinics, monthly clinics at the Housing for the Elderly and bi-monthly clinics at the Health Office for all town residents. This year the Board with the assistance of the B.V.N.A. conducted a special Swine Flu clinic in November. The clinic ran smoothly with volunteer help from the Board and the B.V.N.A. and 202 residents were vaccinated.

The Board continued its program of inspections in food service establishments, retail food stores, School Cafeterias, and other public facilities throughout the year. Also, percolation tests, and inspections of sewerage system installations and repairs were conducted on a regular basis. Nuisance complaints were investigated and action was taken in cases where a danger to public health existed. We are grateful to Raymond Doten, R.S., our Health Agent, for his assistance in this area.

The Board would like to extend its thanks to Mrs. Anna Brown, Town Clerk; Mr. Leo Moroni, Animal Inspector; Mr. Wallace Engstrom, Inspector of Plumbing; the Police Department; Highway Department; Forestry Department; and the Board of Selectmen for their assistance to the Board and its agent.

Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth A. Turner, *Chairman*
James F. Purpura, *Clerk*
Edward F. Cruz, *Member*

Forestry and Parks Department

To the residents of West Bridgewater:

The Forestry and Parks Department, looking back over 1976, reflects on a year of normality in regards to its routine duties, with possibly a few exceptions. Tree removal stands out as foremost in our operations, there having been 146 trees removed including Dutch Elm diseased trees. The majority of these removals were topped out by hired equipment such as aerial crane or hydraulic bucket truck. This was necessary because of the proximity of utility wires or being on private property.

As we entered into bicentennial 1976, March 1976 became a personal milestone as I had completed 24 years service to the Town of West Bridgewater in my capacity as your Tree Warden. During this period of time, I have witnessed numerous changes in the Forestry and Park Departments. These changes were initiated and accomplished through the efforts of myself and my employees. Also, in the field of arboriculture, there have been many changes in techniques and methods, materials and equipment, laws and attitudes.

Great changes have occurred in the areas of pesticides, their regulated uses and spraying equipment during the past years. I, as appointed superintendent of Insect Pest Control, along with my employees, are licensed for operational spraying by the Commonwealth.

During the Spring of 1976, there was a large infestation of tent caterpillars and a spray program was initiated to cope with this insect. All areas of infestation along the roadsides, and also on private property if time warranted it, were sprayed for tent caterpillars. In the fall of 1976, fall webworm invaded the town quite badly along with all other towns and cities in the northeast. This insect, once it spins it's web is almost impossible to control by spray as many insecticides are no longer available to us because of their toxicity to humans, animals and the environment.

Tree planting was done in the fall and spring of 1976 with 192 new trees of various species being planted, staked and mulched in all sections of town. Many of these trees were dug from the Town Nursery, supplemented by purchased stock. Among those planted were Flowering Crabapple, Crimson King Maple, Red Sunset Maple, Emerald Queen Maple, Mountain Ash, London Plane tree, Flowering Dogwood and Pin Oaks.

Several other important and routine duties kept this department on an active schedule throughout the year: the care of existing shade trees by pruning, cabling and surgery; the removal of roadside brush; the removal of stumps in some necessary instances; the spraying of hornet and wasp nests when requested; the maintenance of the Town Nursery; emergency work during wind, rain and snowstorms; the repairing and maintaining of much of our own equipment, and the Poison Ivy eradication program.

Thirteen town greens, six town owned cemeteries and Legion Memorial baseball field were regularly fertilized, mowed and trimmed during the growing season. Also, War Memorial Park was maintained and some restoration work applied to make this historical area a place that the community will have pride in exhibiting to their friends and neighbors.

During the months of June, July and August, aerial spraying for mosquito control was done by helicopter, coupled with co-operative work with the Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project in ground spraying and ditching.

All mechanical equipment of the department which includes two large sprayers, three trucks, chipper, power saws, leaf blowers, dethatchers, and power mowers are in very good condition due primarily to a sound maintenance program and a little tender-loving care. Our new 1976 platform dump truck was placed in service in August. This will also be used in snow plowing in co-operation with the Highway Department as we have done in the past 23 winters.

In closing this report, I wish to extend to my employees a simple but sincere "Thank you" for it is partly through their efforts that the West Bridgewater Forestry and Parks Department has progressed, accomplished countless tasks, and has gained the respect of area departments. To the people of West Bridgewater, I wish to extend a thank you for your patience and understanding, for your appreciation and for your constructive criticism and assistance. Also, my thanks to all other departments and officials for their co-operation, assistance and courtesies throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn
Tree Warden

Industrial Development Commission

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The year 1976 was not a particularly significant year for industrial development in West Bridgewater due to the slow pace of economic recovery.

Nevertheless, during the last six months of the year a greater interest was shown in West Bridgewater as a location for plant sites than in the prior 18 months.

This Commission was represented at seminars held at the Foxboro Co. plant on three Thursdays during October, these seminars being sponsored by the Old Colony Planning Council. There has also been attendance at the monthly meetings of the Overall Economic Development Program Committee of the OCPC.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Ernest Peterson for his always willing assistance to the Commission.

During 1976, building permits for commercial and industrial construction were issued in the amount of \$955,900.00.

Respectfully submitted,

Freeman N. Bowden
Robert W. Bowman
Henry C. Bradford
Carl R. Bystrom
Charles K. Higgins

Leon F. Beaulieu
Ronald F. Brodrick
George V. Hollertz, Jr.
Francis LeBaron, Jr.
Frank S. Miller

Highway Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my report for the Highway Department for the year, 1976.

Resurfacing Type I-1

During the past year, the Highway Department prepared and resurfaced East Center Street, at the East Bridgewater town line running westerly for a distance of twenty eight hundred (2800) feet. We also resurfaced North Elm Street, starting at Elm Square running northerly for a distance of three thousand eight hundred forty (3840) feet, ending at Spring Street.

New Construction

New construction consisted of the excavation of Matfield Street and the sidewalk for a distance of three thousand (3000) feet, starting at North Main Street (Route 28) and running easterly to East Street. Then we graded and graveled and also installed granite curbing along the southerly side of the roadway where the sidewalk has been built, then we adjusted all underground structures such as catch basins, manholes, etc., to finish grade. When this was completed, we sloped and shaped lawns and shoulders to match the new roadway. After which we placed a three (3) inch layer of asphalt base material on the roadway and a one and a half (1½) inch layer of base material on the sidewalk, when this phase of the work was completed, we placed a two (2) inch layer of asphalt top material Type I-1 on the roadway and a one and a half (1½) inch layer of asphalt top material Type I-1 on the sidewalk. Then we proceeded to clean up the entire area and plant grass seed where needed.

Maintenance

Maintenance work accomplished by this department consisted of cleaning intersections and streets of sand, mowing the grass on roadsides, picking up trash on roadsides, cleaning catch basins, culverts, and waterways, through-out the town. As pot holes appeared, they were patched by the department, and we also continued sealing the cracks in town roads, making use of the tar kettle. We also cleaned and repaired drainage pipes and installed same where it was necessary throughout the town.

Snow

The department has continued to serve the people of the town by keeping the roads as safe as possible by sanding and plowing during the winter months. I would like to thank the people of the town and the Board of Selectmen for the many letters of commendation received from them during the past year.

I would like to take this time to thank the Board of Selectmen and the various town departments for the fine cooperation and support received from them by this department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Irving G. Sylvester
Highway Superintendent

Annual Report of the Inspector of Gasfitting for the Year 1976

I hereby respectfully submit my report as Inspector of Gasfitting for the year 1976.

There were 36 gas applications filed for gasfitting permits for the year.

There were 54 gasfitting inspections made in the following types of buildings:

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| New dwellings | 2 |
| Old dwellings | 21 |
| Commercial buildings | 8 |
| Trailers | 5 |

There were 64 gas appliances installed.

There were 11 propane gas installations.

At this time I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen and the people of the town for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

Wallace Engstrom
Inspector of Gasfitting

Annual Report of the Inspector of Plumbing for the Year 1976

I hereby respectfully submit my annual report as Inspector of Plumbing for the year 1976.

There were 78 plumbing applications filed for plumbing permits for the year.

There were 120 plumbing inspections made in the following types of buildings.

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| New dwellings | 17 |
| Commercial buildings | 16 |
| Remodeling work in old dwellings | 45 |

There were 36 water heater installations.

There were four trailers connected to sewerage systems.

The Massachusetts State Plumbing Code is used as a basis for all plumbing installations.

At this time I would like to thank the Board of Health and the people of the town for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

Wallace Engstrom
Inspector of plumbing

Inspector of Animals

I respectfully submit my annual report of the Inspector of Animals; for the year 1976:

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| Number of dairy cows over two years | 403 |
| Number of dairy heifer one to two years | 32 |
| Number of dairy heifer calves under one year | 24 |
| Number of dairy bulls | 8 |
| Number of dairy herds | 9 |
| Number of beef cattle | 13 |
| Number of beef herds | 8 |
| Number of horses | 92 |
| Number of ponies | 25 |
| Number of goats | 30 |
| Number of sheep | 28 |
| Number of swine | 263 |
| Number of swine herds | 5 |
| Number of dog bites reported to Animal Inspector | 40 |

Respectfully submitted,

Leo E. Moroni

Inspector of Animals

Inspector of Wires

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I respectfully submit my annual report as the Inspector of Wires for the year ending 1976.

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| Edison Permits | 94 |
| Services | 63 |
| Rough Wires | 57 |
| Fire Alarms | 24 |
| Electric Water Heaters | 9 |
| Electric Dryers | 7 |
| Electric Ranges | 10 |
| Oil Burners | 14 |
| Temporary Const. Services | 8 |
| Miscellaneous | 11 |
| Add Outlets | 15 |
| Pools | 19 |
| Locked Premises | 3 |
| No Accepted | 2 |
| Reinspections | 5 |
| Trailers | 5 |
| Fire Calls | 6 |
| Finals | 40 |

The latest edition of the Massachusetts Electrical Code was used as a basis for all inspections.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, my co-workers in the Town Hall and the Townspeople for the co-operation they gave to this office.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert M. Greiner
Inspector of Wires

Trustees of the Public Library

The Trustees of the Library submit their annual report.

Libraries are changing. Communities are changing. Keeping this thought in mind, the Staff and Trustees have throughout the year given careful consideration to the selection of books, magazines, records, equipment, programs, utilization of space, and community services.

A much needed lounge has been provided for the Staff. Furniture was purchased and electrical outlets installed. Other new equipment purchased in 1976 includes: a file cabinet, magazine racks, shelving, and a work table. Also, two fire extinguishers were installed. The outdoor sign has been refurbished and a new schedule sign has been placed inside the front door.

During the year, general policies of the Library were reviewed and some revisions have been made. One of the new policies is that parents will be responsible for the selection of the children's books. Another states that in case of emergency—bomb threats, tornadoes, etc., the Library will be alerted and will take the same precautions as other public buildings.

Due to inflationary trends, the Trustees have had the insurance on the Library building and its contents increased.

The Board welcomes new member, John Sillars, our replacement for Richard Worcester who is no longer a resident of West Bridgewater. Mr. Worcester worked hard and faithfully as a Trustee and the Board will miss him.

We thank Mrs. Virginia Michael and Mrs. Eleanor Teixeira who gave their time to teach children's courses in needlework last summer.

We also wish to express our appreciation to the Library Staff for their dedicated service, and to you the townspeople for your continuous support.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessie M. Anderson, *Secretary*

Board Members:

Ethel Fisher, *Chairman*

Priscilla Grippen

Edith Wolfsberg

Joan Sheedy

John Sillars

Jessie M. Anderson

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of the Public Library:

STATISTICS:

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| Circulation | 40,764 |
| New Cards Issued | 339 |
| Collection | 39,500 Books |
| | 630 Records |
| | 110 Magazines |

In 1966 24,032 books were borrowed from the Public Library. In 1976 the number was 40,764. In a decade where the population of the town grew by 688, circulation at the library increased by 16,732. The staff and I are very pleased with the remarkable growth in Library service to the town.

The Library is open to the public 45 hours each week. In 1976 we were open 290 days. In addition to regular Library service, we offer delivery to the homebound, pre-school story hours, telephone reference service, and special programs throughout the year.

Through the Interlibrary Loan Program of the Eastern Massachusetts Regional Library System, we are able to obtain many materials which our patrons wish to read but are unavailable in our own collection. In 1976 we borrowed 652 books from other member libraries. In addition to Interlibrary Loan Service, we borrowed 356 books from the EMRLS Bookmobile in Taunton.

In an effort to provide better public service, several members of the staff have devoted some of their off-duty hours to the study of Library Science. Kathleen Fenstermaker and Rita Giovanoni have taken a course in Reference Service, and Marilyn Raleigh has studied Organization of Library Materials. Mrs. Giovanoni and Mrs. Raleigh were awarded scholarships by the Massachusetts Bureau of Library Extension.

Last summer, Kathleen Fenstermaker compiled an instructional guide on preschool story hours. The Library received 134 requests for copies of the guide, which has been praised by Libraries throughout the Commonwealth.

The Library may be reserved by any public service organization which would like to hold meetings there.

Thanks to the people of West Bridgewater, the Public Library is a growing success.

Respectfully submitted,
Jane A. Padham, M.L.S.

FULL TIME STAFF

Kathleen Fenstermaker
Marilyn Raleigh

PART TIME

Dorothy Alexander
Lisa Bucci
Rita Giovanoni
Roy Jackson

Planning Board

The Planning Board respectfully submits its annual report for the year 1977.

At election time Ronald Snell and Donald Asack were reelected to the board and in December, Carlton Pratt was unanimously appointed to the board to fill the vacancy left by Donald Seablom's resignation.

Twenty five regular meetings and or public hearings were held during the year. Three public hearings dealt with discussing subdivisions. One of these subdivisions was originally named Damon Industrial Park but has been more recently named Vit's Industrial Park. This industrial subdivision is off of West Street. As of this time the subdivision has been approved but building has not begun. Two other public hearings dealt with discussing proposed residential subdivisions. One subdivision will be constructed on Roosevelt Avenue by Propas Construction of West Bridgewater and the other to be called Briarwood will be built off of Spring Street by Bertie Blanchard of Weymouth. Both of these subdivisions have been approved but construction on either has not begun.

Presently we have two subdivisions under construction (North Elm Park, Timothy Drive), and four approved where no building has taken place (Paradise Park, Pinewood Estates, Roosevelt Avenue, and Briarwood Estates).

The Planning Board was very active this year preparing zoning articles for the annual town meeting and a zoning by-law change for the special town meeting September 27th. The first two articles dealt with the rezoning of property owned by Cross and Rogers which Component Manufacturing Company occupies, the property owned by William and Claire Turner, Sr., which is occupied by Turner's Industrial Park, and land owned by Bourne Realty Trust and the city of Brockton at the northwest corner of the town. Both of these articles met with a favorable vote at the annual town meeting.

The zoning by-law change that was presented by the Planning Board at the special town meeting in September dealt with amending the zoning by-laws to control the establishment of hospitals, nursing homes, convalescent homes, rest homes, halfway houses, residential detention facilities, group residencies, troubled youth centers, and other unspecified uses of a similar nature. Having researched the entire issue and presenting these facts at the special town meeting the townspeople gave the Planning Board its vote of confidence and passed the article.

Your present Planning Board is organized and is active in other committees in the following manner:

Merton Ouderkirk: *Chairman Planning Board, Delegate to Old Colony Planning Council.*

Ronald Snell: *Vice Chairman Planning Board, Alternate Delegate Old Colony Planning Council, Chairman Old Colony Water Pollution Control District, Trailer Park Committee.*

William E. Turner, Jr.: *Clerk Planning Board, Member Board of Appeals, Member Trailer Park Committee, Member Committee to appoint Finance Committee.*

Donald Asack: *Member Planning Board.*

Carlton Pratt: *Member Planning Board*

Once again this year the Planning Board feels that the town had a balanced growth of

residential as well as industrial development. Because of a recent thrust to economic development by our state government and new legislation to provide assistance to this development, our board feels that our future industrial development will strengthen the foundation on which economic prosperity can be achieved in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

William E. Turner, Jr.
Clerk

Merton Ouderkirk, *Chairman*
Ronald Snell, *Vice Chairman*
William E. Turner, Jr., *Clerk*
Donald Asack, *Member*
Carlton Pratt, *Member*

Report of the Old Colony Planning Council

To the residents of West Bridgewater:

As your representatives to the Old Colony Planning Council we are pleased to submit this report of the activities of the Council for 1976.

During the year the Old Colony Planning Council participated in the Massachusetts Growth Policy Development process along with the other member communities of the Council in accordance with Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1975. The value of the Growth Policy Development process cannot be over stated for it enabled OCPC to determine within a relatively brief period of time what issues and concerns were of primary importance to the region and also to learn how the area residents wanted their communities to develop. In reviewing the local growth policy statements OCPC was able to gain a comprehensive and accurate assessment of the growth and development problems and opportunities currently facing the region. This information will be of great value to the Council in providing service and assistance to the member communities now and in the future.

The Growth Development process was also beneficial to the area's communities by providing them with the opportunity to present a clear statement of local policy to regional and state officials on future growth and development. The result of this effort should be helpful in guiding state policy and programs in the near future.

The Council was also able to note substantial progress in its Water Quality Management Planning Program activities during 1976. Among the benefits of the program thus far has been the availability to member communities of a wealth of data and information on water pollution problems such as industrial discharges and so called "non-point" sources. Non-point sources include sedimentation and stormwater runoff of pesticides and fertilizers from agricultural areas, urban runoff, erosion from construction areas, and leachates from septic tanks. Through the identification of water quality problems local officials have been able to begin taking corrective action and precautionary measures.

A highlight of the "208" program this year was the sponsorship of an Alternatives to Sewers Conference held in early December. Public officials and interested citizens from all over New England congregated for the two day conference to discuss the adequacy of

onsite sewage disposal, the effects of public sewerage and new technology in sewage disposal.

The Transportation Planning Program of the Council in 1976 was involved with the identification of fringe area parking facilities to be used by commuters traveling to work; the preparation of bikeway proposals for many of the area communities; transit planning assistance to the Brockton Area Transit Authority and to other member communities concerning public transit issues; and, initiation of the Route 3 Corridor Study. Additionally, substantial work was accomplished on developing socio-economic data and information to be used in projecting traffic volumes on existing and proposed highways in the region.

The Council also prepared reports in several areas of important concern including housing; water supply; subdivision regulations; land use and water quality issues; Transportation Improvement Program; and; Overall Economic Development Program.

Technical assistance was extended to each member community of the Council on a variety of federal grant programs. Several OCPC communities were awarded federal grant funds under the Community Development Block Grant program for projects including: Abington; Bridgewater, Brockton; West Bridgewater; and, Whitman.

In 1976 Council President John J. DeMarco was re-elected to the National Association of Regional Council's Board of Directors to represent Region 1, the New England states area and the Council's Executive Director, Daniel M. Crane, was elected to the NARC Staff Directors Advisory Committee for 1976-1977. Four delegates of the Council served on NARC policy committees during the year. Mr. Paul Adams, Brockton Alternate, served on the Environmental and Natural Resources Committee; Mr. Anthony Anacki, Council Secretary from Bridgewater, served on the Land Use Committee; Mr. Richard Chase, Council Treasurer from Easton, served on the Metropolitan Development Committee, and, Mr. Gerard Dempsey, Pembroke Delegate, served on the Human Resources Committee.

During 1976 the Council increased its membership to twelve communities with the addition of the town of Plymouth. Plymouth, with a 1975 population of 26,970, also has the largest land area of any town in the Commonwealth and is one of the fastest growing communities in the state.

The activities of the Council in 1976 have shown that it is important, if not essential, to consider an areawide approach to solving certain problems that are beyond the means of one community alone to deal with effectively. The Council gratefully acknowledges the generous cooperation and assistance received from the many governmental agencies, public and private institutions and individuals.

Respectfully submitted,

Merton Ouderkirk, *Delegate*
Ronald P. Snell, *Alternate*
Old Colony Planning Council

Old Colony Water Pollution Control

As of November 5, 1976, the Old Colony Water Pollution Control District had completed its first full year of a facilities planning study for a regional collection and treatment system. The regional concept for the abatement of water pollution problems, on which the District has been founded, was originally proposed after a three year areawide water and sewer study completed in 1971 for the Old Colony Planning Council. As a result of the study, the communities of Abington, Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Easton, Hanson, Pembroke, West Bridgewater, and Whitman were recommended to form the eight member regional sewer district which is currently sanctioned under Chapter 51 of the Massachusetts General Laws passed in March of 1973. Of the eligible communities Abington, Bridgewater, West Bridgewater, and Whitman have opted for membership.

The District is currently nearing the completion of Phase I of the three phased 201 Facilities Construction Program, for which the District will receive 90 percent funding from the Environmental Protection Agency and the Massachusetts Division of Water Pollution Control for the planning (Phase I), design (Phase II), and construction (Phase III), of the regional facilities. The Phase I planning process has involved the examination of various interceptor route configurations, treatment plant sites, wastewater treatment systems and sludge disposal alternatives sufficient to serve all of the designed communities.

During the course of the Phase I planning, public hearings on the results of the study were held in each of the communities eligible for membership in the District. As a result of the public opinion expressed at the hearings, several key issues will be extensively reviewed by the District Board members and our consultants, Camp Dresser & McKee, Inc. The issues of highest priority for resolution will be:

- The site of the wastewater treatment plant
- The interceptor route through East Bridgewater
- The status of wastewater flow projections for each of the District communities

As the District proceeds towards its goal of a regional wastewater treatment system, we are looking forward to continued public involvement in our facilities planning program, and we invite interested citizens and groups to contact us for further information.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald P. Snell, *Chairman*
Water Pollution Control District

Recreation Commission

Once again I am pleased to report that the Summer Recreation Program was a great success. Five hundred and ten children in grades one through eight registered for this years program. The average daily attendance at the Spring Street School playground was 200 children, and on many days it greatly exceeded this number.

The West Bridgewater Recreation Program is one that offers a great many activities for our young children. There is something available for every child no matter what age group he or she might fall into.

The daily program runs from 9 A.M.—12 noon. During this 3 hour period the children are offered varied activities which include; softball, basketball, football, kickball, soccer, teatherball volleyball and tennis. Quiet games are also available for the children's use. Some of these games are; table soccer, table baseball, bumper pool, paddle pool, chess, checkers, Gnip Gnop, Battleship and Spill & Spell. Coloring rolls and story telling are especially popular with the younger children.

On Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week arts & crafts are offered. This part of the program has been a great success. Hopefully it will be expanded in the coming year.

What program would be really successful without those "Special Events?" I feel that our program offers as many, if not more than any of the surrounding towns. Almost every day was highlighted by one of these events. Those "Special Events" include, table soccer, kickball and softball tournaments, relay races, balloon blowing contest, scavenger hunt, pie and pancake eating contests, a visit from the Franklin Park Zoomobile, a professional magic show (West Bridgewater's Jeff Kundicz), a puppet show (Mimsy Puppets), trips to Lincoln Park and the South Shore Music Circus, a cookout, costume contest, a visit by Mr. Charles Anderson (West Bridgewater Safety Officer) and two carnival days which included games and pony rides.

Each day at 10:30 the children were treated to refreshments. Cookies, punch and sometimes Kool-Pops were distributed to the children.

Unlike past practice, this years playground was held rain or shine. On days with inclement weather, movies were shown. This proved to be most enjoyable for the "kids", and a relief for their parents.

As in any program, there is always room for improvement. Future plans call for; a program with more emphasis on the children in grades 1-3, an increase in our arts & crafts program (3 or 4 times a week), more field trips, and the introduction of an adult recreation program.

At this time I would like to thank the people responsible for this year's outstanding program: the Director Carl Ohlson, Robert Dwyer and Pat Kelley, Assistant Directors, and their four aids, Nancy Anderson, David Gammons, Kathy Conniff and Desa Chisholm. Also assisting this year were 4 girls from the CETA Program, Jodi Holyoke, Betsy Holyoke, Doris Holyoke, and Jackie Sweeney.

A special "Thanks" goes to the West Bridgewater Police Department for all the hours they put in helping the children at the busy 106 intersection. And also for the co-operation we received from the School Dept. Finally, I would like to thank the people of West Bridgewater who have supported our program. It is with your help that the program has become what it has, and with your continued support it will become even better.

Respectfully Submitted,

Carmella Preston
Ethel Fisher
Gene Kostecki
Artemis Bucci

Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project

Since the Projects inception in 1957 (July 15, 1957, chapter 252, section 5A of the General Laws) the Plymouth County Mosquito Control has successfully served an area of 531.23 square miles and a rapidly expanding population of 261,832 people (current population based on 1975 population area density.) Over the past 19 years, the Project has gained in technical knowledge, experience and service to the people it serves in combating such dreaded diseases as Eastern Equine Encephalitis, Swamp Fever and dog heart worm.

In reporting the Projects activities and accomplishments for 1976, there was more emphasis placed on problem areas concerning Vector species and those creating economic distress. Source reduction as a deterrent to pesticide use in these areas is a possible solution for alleviating these problems. Source reduction remains one of the ecological, compatible and less expensive means of control (where feasible) in a program of long term mosquito control. During 1976 the Project reclaimed 50,540 feet by machine and 100,070 feet by handwork.

The Projects main objective is to seek out breeding areas and destroy the Larvae before emergence or to eliminate these areas of breeding where possible and feasible while maintaining concern for the environment. Time and money spent in backyard and area spraying of adult mosquitoes accomplished little toward a permanent abatement program. Towns are growing tremendously, and each home is a probable contributor to the mosquito problem in many ways. Catch basins, toys, open rubbish and garbage containers, birdbaths and open overflowing sewage facilities are just a few of the breeding sites created. Other sites include old tires, abandoned car bodies, drainage ditches plugged with leaves, and debris dumped by those who are unconcerned with our problem (while actually creating one for themselves.) The filling of trenches and waterways reclaimed by this Project is a violation of state statutes chapter 252, section 14C of the General Laws and subject to prosecution.

Although the Project continues some area treatment for adult mosquitoes (53,783 acres treated in 1976) it is time consuming and of only temporary relief. Each year the Project puts more effort on water management programs and also spends considerable time on Larvicide treatment (1,159 acres treated in 1976) to control the spring brood of mosquitoes. In more heavily populated areas 9,140 catch basins were treated for culex mosquitoes.

The Project conducted an aerial spray program which covered 3,613 acres. This aerial application was necessary to suppress a large hatch of sollicitan mosquitoes in several communities.

Public relations and education are very important parts of mosquito control, along with the cooperation and support of many town, state, and federal agencies, which the Project has received. A cooperative effort from all can ensure adequate mosquito control and a healthy environment.

The Project and its Commission wishes to thank all the town and city departments for their cooperation and support during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur L. Westgate
Superintendent

Town Forest Committee

Seasonal maintenance work was accomplished such as brush cutting, thinning of dead and undesirable trees by the Forestry and Parks Department. Part of the Town Forest where oak and maple species abound were sprayed with an herbicide to reduce sucker growth and weeds. Any spots of Poison Ivy which showed were also sprayed to eliminate this nuisance.

The Town Forest offers much in educational work in conservation, wildlife, timber management and arboriculture. It is a recreational area for townspeople as well as an outdoor classroom for school children and scouting units. Use it—don't abuse it!

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. MacQuinn

Richard E. Norris

Report of Self-Help, Inc.

Self-Help, Inc. is a public and privately funded non-profit Agency whose purpose it is to improve the quality of life for the people of the service areas by assessing needs, administering programs, and coordinating community action towards orderly social and institutional progressive change.

Such progressive change is to be determined by the Agency Board of Directors which shall be comprised of three sectors and equally representing Limited Income People; Public Officials; and Private Interest groups.

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SERVICES—Area Residents contacting the Agency may obtain needed information which will answer questions as to where appropriate services are available. The I & R Specialist administers an area-wide Legal Services Referral System for residents in need of an attorney. Call 584-3636.

PROJECT HEAD START—Three hundred area Limited Income children ages ranging from 3 to 5 and their families are served in 15 Head Start Centers. The children are given an educational head start before reaching first grade of the public school system. Call 587-5190.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER—A Day Care Center situated in Brockton in a building turned over to Self Help by the Brockton School System provides day care for 115 children of working mothers or mothers in training. The age level of these children is 3, 4, and 5. Call 588-5190.

FAMILY PLANNING—A social service component in conjunction with the Family Planning Foundation of Worcester and the Brockton Hospital provides services for area men and women and provides classes, conferences and counseling in sex education and family planning. Call 586-3800.

PROJECT PANTRY—A recently organized network of Food Co-operatives which will allow area residents to purchase vegetables, eggs, fruits, cheese, fish, and special items at substantially reduced costs, Call 587-3083.

FOOD STAMPS—The Agency employs a Food Stamp Coordinator to assist persons who qualify for Food Stamps in completing their forms and acts as a special liaison with the Regional Welfare Office. The Food Stamp Coordinator also assists recipients in the process of recertification. The Agency also has been authorized to receive Food Stamps in its Project Pantry Food Co-op. Call 586-5134 or 447-5924.

OUTREACH, SOCIAL SERVICES & COUNSELING—Self Help maintains an Outreach and Social Service component with organizers and limited income people assessing community needs and provides social service if applicable.

WINTERIZATION—Self Help's winterization component provides services for limited income persons whose dwelling requires attention by making it weather tight, thereby reducing fuel costs. Several area homes have been winterized. Call 588-5440.

Self Help, Inc. is always interested in discovering community needs. Should you have any concerns and or ideas for programs in any problem area in your community, please call the Agency at 588-5440.

Respectfully submitted,

Matthew A. Chauncey
Public Official Representative
Board of Directors
Self Help, Inc.

Sealer of Weights and Measures

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is the report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures for the Town Report of 1976.

Tested and Sealed.

| | |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Scales under 10 lbs. | 14 |
| Scales under 100 lbs. | 20 |
| Scales over 100 lbs. | 5 |
| Scales over 10,000 lbs. | 1 |
| Gasoline Pumps | 71 |
| Weights | 52 |
| Vehicle tanks | 2 |
| Yard Sticks | 2 |
| Package reweighing | 130 |
| Unit pricing | 137 |

I returned in fees to the Town \$258.40.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren A. Turner
Sealer of Weights & Measures

Street Lighting Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, the Street Lighting Committee, after considering all requests and suggestions for changes and improvements in the Street Lighting facilities in West Bridgewater, recommend the changes listed below:

West Center Street—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 96.

South Elm Street—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Poles No. 34 and No. 38. Move the existing light from Pole No. 33 to Pole No. 32.

Maolis Avenue—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 9. Move existing light from Pole No. 10 to Pole No. 11.

Glenmore Street—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 2.

Crescent Street—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 4. (between 217 & 279 Crescent Street).

Francis Avenue—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 7. Move the existing light from Pole No. 6 to Pole No. 5.

Prospect Street—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 18.

Wendell Avenue—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 1.

Beacon Street—Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor light on Pole No. 3.

West Street—Replace the present 1000 lumen incandescent lights with 4000 lumen mercury vapor lights on Poles No. 27 & 57. Install 4000 lumen mercury vapor lights on Poles No. 36-38-41-44 & 51.

The total increase for the above amounts to \$476.00.

The above installations and changes include only those which the Committee thought necessary at this time. The Committee wishes to thank the Board of Selectmen and Chief Lothrop of the Police Department for their assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Sillars, *Chairman*
Donald H. Seablom
John F. Daly
Raymond L. Silva

Water Department

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, The Water Commissioners and Superintendent of the Water Department of the Town of West Bridgewater, respectfully submit our annual report for the year ending December 31, 1976.

During the year a total of 232,690,408 gallons of water were pumped. The greatest amount for any one day was 1,310,648 gallons on June 9. The largest month was July with 28,787,000 gallons, the largest week was June 26, with 7,356,300 gallons.

With 232,690,408 gallons of water pumped, plus 867,044 gallons bought from Easton, a total of 233,557,452 gallons of water were used. This makes a daily average of 639,883 gallons, a weekly average of 4,491,489 gallons, and a monthly average of 19,463,121 gallons. Recorded rainfall was 57.5 inches at Station One Cyr Street, and 79.4 inches at Station Three, Manley Street Extension.

A total of 30 new services were installed to make a total of 1916 services. There were 19 services renewed, 110 calls for meter removal and installations, 31 meters were repaired, 141 meters sealed and tagged, 413 miscellaneous calls and 100 repair calls made.

We had 10 emergency house leaks, 13 emergency main leaks, 16 service line leaks, 20 meter and tailpiece leaks, 11 frozen services inside, 4 frozen meters, 11 inside installations 20 hydrants repaired, 2 hydrants hit by automobiles that had to be replaced. All hydrants were checked prior to cold weather and staked for protection so they would not be hit by snow plows, and in case of fire, could be located in the snow by the Fire Department. In honor of our Bicentennial year, hydrants in various locations in Town were painted with decorative faces by Joanna Cap, a student in the West Bridgewater School system. This has resulted in many favorable comments by Townspeople. Station maintenance was carried out every day, after every storm, and after all power failures. We had a total of 49 power failures, control failures, and equipment repairs, and 14 cases of vandalism.

There were 5 emergency calls for pumping, 9 swimming pools filled where possible, dead ends were flushed 11 times. 793.5 hours of overtime were spent on emergency calls and maintenance. 40 analysis of our Town drinking water was made during the year by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health for bacteria elements. All reports were most satisfactory, showing it to be of highly acceptable quality and free from bacterial elements.

As we come to the close of another successful year of service, we wish to thank all our customers for expressing faith in us in helping to continue to improve the water system, our own personnel who have worked hard and cooperated to make it succesful, and all other Town Departments who have also helped with their full cooperation. We sincerely hope as we enter into another year of service we will be privileged to continue serving you to the best of our ability.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward G. Asack, *Chairman*

John W. Noyes, *Clerk*

Donald N. Davock, *Assoc. Member*

William E. Nickerson, *Superintendent*

Veteran's Services

To the Board of Selectmen:

During my fourth year as your Veterans Agent assistance was given to 46 cases, an increase of 5 from the previous year. Of these cases 26 were given financial and or medical assistance. The remaining cases were given various services.

Services provided were filing VA Pension and Widow Pension forms, annual VA Questionnaires, correcting VA checks that were reduced for various reasons. Information was given about how and where to apply for Food Stamps and CETA employment.

In the course of this year, five Veterans were removed from the rolls and employed under the CETA program (Comprehensive Training and Employment Act).

Two Workmans Compensation claims were settled in the amount of \$15,880.13. Half of this amount is returned to the State and the Town Treasury benefits from the remaining half.

Respectfully submitted,

Armen Amerigian, *Veterans Agent*

Annual Report of the Southeastern Region School District Committee—for year 1976

The Southeastern Regional School District Committee members are: Thomas W. Devine and Gerald J. Noonan, Brockton; Robert B. Ewing, East Bridgewater; Ralph Armstead, Easton; Robert A. Girardin, Foxborough; Louis E. Tarsa, Mansfield; Charles W. McDonald, Norton; James J. Leonard, Sharon; Albert J. Twomey, Stoughton; and Eugene Kostecki, West Bridgewater. Officers for the 1976-77 year are: Ralph Armstead, Chairman; Eugene Kostecki, Vice-Chairman; and Charles W. McDonald, Secretary.

Although the completion of the new addition to our building was approximately nine months late, we have managed to proceed with the implementation of eight new programs: Distributive Education; Electrical Appliance Repair; Diesel Mechanics; Cosmetology; Masonry; Air Conditioning & Refrigeration; Small Engine Repair; and Specialized Automotive. Enrollment in the School District has grown to 1389 students participating in a total of twenty-two vocational programs.

Due to the increase in the number of our Technical Institute students this year, two additional teachers were hired for the Data Processing Department and the Electronics Department.

The licensed Practical Nursing program was reviewed by the Massachusetts Board of Registration of Nurses during a periodic evaluation. Full approval was granted to the Southeastern Regional Technical Institute Practical Nursing program.

Mr. Albert Twomey, our School Committee representative from Stoughton, has been inducted into the Football Coaches Hall of Fame in recognition of his extensive coaching activities.

Southeastern continues to participate with Bristol-Plymouth Regional School District and the Old Colony Regional School District in the Collaborative, serving the needs of students with Special Needs. Sharing the responsibility with other school districts provides an option of many services at reduced cost. Mr. Charles W. McDonald of Norton chairs the Collaborative Special Needs Committee.

Southeastern provides an extensive summer school program for all students requiring tutorial help in academic subjects. It is planned that in the future the program will be expanded to include vocationally related subjects.

The School Library doubled in size during the past summer, resulting in an extremely attractive, functional facility which should serve our needs adequately for the next several years. This expansion and redecorating project was accomplished by employing students during the summer season under the supervision of some of our teachers.

A change is in the process to have officers for the School Committee elected at a date later in the calendar year than April 1. This is necessitated because of the change in the fiscal year under which the communities operate. Some town elections have not taken place by April 1. Steps are also being taken to adjust the terms and election dates of the Brockton representatives so that there will be continuity on the School Committee from the City of Brockton.

The Job Placement Program under the direction of our Guidance Department was strengthened with the addition of two placement counselors. Despite economic conditions, Southeastern continues to place a high percentage of students in the field of work.

The Evening School Program, enrolling 296 students, continues to offer specialized courses to interested citizens of the District in Auto Body; Automotive Minor Services and Repair; Basic Electronics; Drafting and Blueprint Reading; Cooking; Welding; Key punch; Machine Shop; National Electric Code; Typing; Woodworking; and Introduction to Cobol Programming. There are 118 enrolled in our Apprenticeship Program which offers Electrical; Masonry; Carpentry; Plumbing; and Machine Maintenance Mechanics courses.

Respectfully submitted,

Eugene Kostecki

ANNUAL REPORT
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Superintendent of Schools
WEST BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR
1976

**MEMBERS AND ORGANIZATION
OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
1976 – 1977**

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| George J. Lepine, Jr., 67 Pinecrest Road Term Expires 1978 | 583-1987 |
| Robert White, 274 Pleasant Street Term Expires 1979 | 588-5730 |
| Charles Barros, 45 Progressive Avenue Term Expires 1977 | 588-0104 |
| Nicholas Palmieri, 544 North Elm Street Term Expires 1978 | 583-0471 |
| William P. Bystrom, 51 Progressive Avenue Term Expires 1979 | 586-0789 |
| Mrs. Patricia Alger, 381 East Street Term Expires 1977 | 587-7616 |

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETINGS
First and Third Monday each month – 7:15 P.M.**

SUPERINTENDENT

Donald A. Fisher

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| Office: Town Hall | 586-5094 |
| Residence: 28 Purchase Street | 587-7155 |
| Conference by appointment | |

SECRETARIES

| | |
|--|----------|
| Mrs. Robert D. Smith, 54 Matfield Street | 586-5094 |
| Mrs. Russell B. English, 20 Aldrich Road | 586-9760 |
| Mrs. Harold Cole, 52 Commonwealth Avenue | 583-6933 |

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

| | |
|---|----------|
| High School Office | 583-7502 |
| S. Erick Benson, Principal, 22 Union Street | 586-2554 |
| Thomas Illuzzi, Asst. Principal, 80 West Side Avenue, North Attleboro | 699-4608 |

SECRETARIES

| | |
|--|----------|
| Mrs. Louis DiMarzo, 700 Central Street, East Bridgewater | 378-7138 |
| Mrs. J. Layton Hayward, 615 East Street | 583-7036 |

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS

| | |
|--|----------|
| Sunset Avenue School | 583-7963 |
| Rose L. MacDonald School | 588-8638 |
| William M. Jones, Principal, 238 East Street | 586-1911 |

SECRETARY

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|---|----------|
| Mrs. Bruce Edson, 249 Spring Street | 583-4473 |
| Howard School | 583-2797 |
| Robert L. Todd, Principal, 137 Laurel Street, Bridgewater | 697-8508 |

SECRETARY

Mrs. Everett Tufts, 41 Commonwealth Avenue 583-6891

ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM COORDINATOR, PRINCIPAL

Spring Street School 586-6469
Thomas Peters, Principal, 80 Wood Avenue, Mattapan 361-7036

SECRETARY

Mrs. Charles Anderson, 26 Arch Street 586-6469

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

Mrs. Elizabeth Vandemoer, 22 Shaw Avenue 587-2129
Frank F. Dunn, Jr., 2 Vernon Street, Bridgewater 697-2368

SECRETARY

Mrs. Robert Kellie, 13 Purchase Street 583-7865

DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL NEEDS

William M. Pugh, 5 Draper Street, Canton 828-7239

SECRETARY

Mrs. William Brown, 482 North Elm Street 587-8092
Mrs. Robert White, 27 Woodland Road 584-4783

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. Joseph Calitri, 17 Central Square 587-0678
Dr. Arthur P. Carriere, 966 Park Street, Stoughton 344-8080

SCHOOL NURSES

Mrs. E. Myrtle Howard, R.N., 272 River Street 583-4302
Elementary Schools

Mrs. Leah Benson, R.N., 22 Union Street 586-2554
Howard and High Schools

DENTAL HYGIENIST

Mrs. Eleanor Soule, 510 Ash Street, Brockton 586-4917

FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR

Office, c/o Howard School 587-2324
Mrs. Robert Reynolds, 96 Crescent Street 587-3582

SECRETARY

Mrs. Janet Merritt, Secretary 588-0377
195 Lincoln Street

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Ervin G. Lothrop, 50 North Elm Street 583-3985

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1976 - 1977

| | |
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| Teachers report to building Principal, Tuesday | September 7, 1976 |
| Schools open Wednesday (Grades K-XII) | September 8, 1976 |
| Thanksgiving Recess: | |
| Schools close Wednesday at Noon | November 24, 1976 |
| Schools reopen Monday | November 29, 1976 |
| Christmas Vacation: | |
| Schools close Wednesday | December 22, 1976 |
| Schools reopen Monday | January 3, 1977 |
| Winter Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | February 18, 1977 |
| Schools reopen Monday | February 28, 1977 |
| Spring Vacation: | |
| Schools close Friday | April 15, 1977 |
| Schools reopen Monday | April 25, 1977 |
| Schools closed Friday | June 24, 1977 |

HOLIDAYS

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Columbus Day, Monday | October 11, 1976 |
| Veteran's Day, Thursday | November 11, 1976 |
| Good Friday | April 8, 1977 |
| Memorial Day, Monday | May 30, 1977 |
| Teachers Workshop or Convention Day | November 5, 1976 |

DAYS OF ATTENDANCE

| MONTH | NO. OF DAYS | MONTH | NO. OF DAYS |
|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| September | 17 | February | 15 |
| October | 20 | March | 23 |
| November | 18 | April | 15 |
| December | 16 | May | 21 |
| January | 21 | June | 18 |

TOTAL SCHOOL DAYS: 184

NO SCHOOL INFORMATION

The policy of the School Department is to hold school on stormy days. The decision as to whether or not a child should attend school will be left to the discretion of the parent. In extremely bad weather when it is deemed wise to have no school, such notice will be broadcast over WBET (1460) Brockton between 7 and 8 A.M. and between 11 and 12 noon, WOKW (1410) Brockton, WBZ (1030) Boston, and WEEI (590) Boston.

In the event that schools are closed, for any reason, prior to the regular closing hours, an announcement to this effect will be made over the Brockton stations.

If the afternoon Kindergarten session is cancelled, it will be announced on the radio before the usual bus pick-up times.

Fire alarm signals will be as follows:

- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7 A.M.,
no school grades 7 through 12 inclusive all day.
- 1 long - 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 7:15 A.M.,
no school grades Kindergarten-through 6 inclusive all day.

Fire alarm signals (contd.)

1 long – 2 short blasts of the fire alarm at 11 A.M.,
no school grades Kindergarten through 6 inclusive in the afternoon.

SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP – OCTOBER 1, 1976

| Elementary | K | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | TOTAL |
|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Sunset Avenue School | | | 22 | 23 | | | | | 45 |
| Spring Street School | 116 | 110 | 99 | | | | | | 325 |
| Rose L. MacDonald School | | | | 107 | 141 | 132 | | | 380 |
| Special Class | | | | | | | | | 35 |
| Howard School | | | | | | | 132 | 152 | 284 |
| High School | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | | | TOTAL |
| High School | 144 | 170 | 105 | 104 | 122 | | | | 645 |
| Total Enrollment elementary and high schools | | | | | | | | | 1,714 |

CLASS OF 1976

| | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| David Alden | David Earle |
| Pamela Sue Anderson | Nancy Louise Eaton |
| Robert Anderson | Robert J. Falzarano |
| Robert David Anderson | Cheryl Ann Fenn |
| Nancy J. Andre | Dominic A. Fiumara |
| Robert Edward Baker II | Janice Marie Gabaree |
| Susan Barbara Baker | William J. Gallagher |
| Charles A. Barros | Patricia Anne Gingras |
| John E. Beinoras | Joseph John Giovanoni, Jr. |
| Cynthia A. Belmore | Karen L. Goucher |
| Richard Berger | Mark Richard Guidoboni |
| Diane L. Berry | David Gummow |
| Laurence James Bird II | Mary Tamara Gummow |
| Steven E. Bossardt | Susan Marie Hall |
| Debra A. Boudreau | Eleanor Assunta Harris |
| Peter D. Bowden | Jeremiah J. Hegarty |
| Benny Boman | Pamela Higgins |
| Robert W. Bowman | Steven Richard Hofmann |
| Dayle Robin Britton | Deborah L. Howe |
| Lucille M. Brown | David Edward Johnson |
| Edward Alan Burnap | Denise JoAnne Johnson |
| John Everett Burnham, Jr. | Jay Johnson |
| William David Burt, Jr. | Joseph M. Jopling |
| Susan Jane Carrozza | Gary Stuart Keith |
| Debra Ann Chase | Patricia Ann Keith |
| John Chaves | Karen Anne Kelley |
| Kristine Marie Cheyunski | Kevin Michael Kelley |
| Christina Eileen Chisholm | Deborah Joy Kinney |
| Marjorie Elizabeth Chisholm | John Kinney |
| Dean A. Clapp | Diane L. LaCroix |
| Betty Jane Cook | Robert Allen Langer, Jr. |
| Lawrence M. Correia | Scott A. Lawson |
| Edward M. Cruz | Vicki Rae Leach |
| Thomas P. Curran | Mark Swift Leavitt |
| Douglas Currie | Paula Marie Lemasa |
| Dianne Dennise Damon | George J. Lepine III |

Michael Lincoln
 Rebecca Dawn Lindberg
 Debra May Lindquist
 Joan Marie Lynch
 Kathleen Ann Lynch
 Daniel P. Lyons
 Bonnie Helene MacWilliams
 Scott Mansfield
 Kathleen Ann Merritt
 Bruce M. Morse
 Darcy Anne Murray
 John P. Nolan
 William W. Norris
 Dennis R. Ohlson
 Carl Kenneth Olson, Jr.
 Richard P. Olson
 Debra Ann Oswell
 Warren Richard Oswell
 Sherre M. Paschal
 William Perkins
 Renee Marie Perry
 Robert Edward Perry
 Edward Joseph Petrone, Jr.
 Thea Suzanne Pickering
 Kenneth R. Piesco
 Kathleen R. Pistone
 Anntonitte Pita
 Michael J. Pizzanello
 Patricia Lynn Ponte
 Vincent Raymond Potwin, Jr.
 Robyn Lynette Pratt

Linnea Jan Purcell
 Beth Ann Raleigh
 Debra Ann Reynolds
 Martin G. Richardson
 Paul D. Ritchie
 James E. Ruprecht
 Denise M. Savage
 Roni Marie Savino
 Maryanne L. Sears
 Charles E. Setterlund
 Charleen Ann Shave
 Robin Carole Smith
 Susan A. Smith
 Robert K. Spry
 Charles Stone
 William A. Stone
 Philip Sullivan
 Robert N. Sullivan
 Christine Jane Swanson
 Barbara Lee Sylvester
 John T. Travers
 Cynthia Louise Tripp
 David Everett Tufts
 Frank Anthony Tukis
 Patricia Vallon
 Linda L. Waugh
 Andrew George Williams
 Bradford A. Willis
 Randy Winfrey
 Suzanne Chinn Chin Yu

CLASS OFFICERS

| | |
|----------------|--------------------|
| President | Vicki Leach |
| Vice President | Christina Chisholm |
| Secretary | Patricia Vallon |
| Treasurer | Debra Oswell |

CLASS MOTTO

“As we are now living in
 an eternity, the time to be happy
 is today.”

Grenville Kleiser

CLASS COLORS

Red, White and Blue

TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. S. Erick Benson, M. Ed.
 Mr. Thomas Illuzzi, M.A.
 Mr. Gerald Allman, M.Ed.
 Mr. Charles Berman, M.A.
 Mr. Ronald Broman, A.B.
 Mr. Douglas Bromley, B.S.
 Mr. James Butler, M.A.
 Ms. Susanne Cleary, B.A.
 Ms. Patricia Conniff, B.S.
 Miss Anne Davenport, B.S.
 Mr. Jeffrey Fawcett, B.A.
 Mrs. Liette Fregeau, M.Ed.
 Miss Denise Gardner, B.S.
 Mrs. Barbara Hann, M.A.
 Mrs. Jill Horwitz, B.S.
 Mrs. Joan James, M.A.
 Mr. Edward Kelly, Jr., B.A.
 Mrs. Elaine Laughton, B.S.
 Mr. Phillip L. Leduc, M.S.
 Mr. Paul Lucius, B.S.
 Mrs. Justine Matthews, M.Ed.
 Mr. Arthur Means
 Miss Carol A. Meyer, B.A.
 Mr. Charles Morestere, Jr., B.S.
 Mrs. Joanne Morlani, B.S.
 Mrs. Mary Morris, B.A.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

High School Principal
 Asst. H. S. Principal
 Math
 English
 Social Studies
 Science
 Latin
 English
 Physical Education, Girls
 Social Studies
 Music
 Foreign Language
 French
 Business
 English
 Vocal Music
 Science
 Household Arts
 Math—Science
 Math
 Reading
 Industrial Arts
 Art
 Science
 English
 Art

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Rhode Island College
 Bridgewater State College
 Northeastern University
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston College
 Bridgewater State College
 Springfield College
 University of Massachusetts
 University of Bridgeport, Conn.
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Alabama
 Northeastern University
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston University
 Cardinal Stritch College, Wisc.
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Massachusetts
 Albion College, Michigan

| TEACHERS | GRADE OR SUBJECT | PREPARATION |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| HIGH SCHOOL | | |
| Mr. Eugene Mozzone, B.S. | Industrial Arts | Bridgewater State College |
| Miss Ronnie Neckes, B.S. | Business | Central Conn. State College |
| Mr. Robert J. O'Neill, B.S. | Business | Bentley College |
| Mrs. Therasa Nessleria, B.A. | Foreign Language | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Harriett Paul, B.S. | Home Economics | Framingham State College |
| Mrs. Patricia Petrovek, B.S. | Social Studies | Boston University |
| Mr. Allen Rapp, M.Ed. | Physical Education, Boys | Boston University |
| Mr. Stanley Reed, M.Ed. | Biology | Boston University |
| Mr. Malcolm Reese, A.B. | History | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Sandra Reese, B.S. | English | Boston University |
| Mrs. Marie Rosenthal, M.Ed. | Social Studies | Bridgewater State College |
| Miss Martha Russell, M.Ed. | Spanish | Boston University |
| Mr. Paul Sargent, M.A. | Mathematics | Bridgewater State College |
| Mr. Gerald Swift, B.A. | English | Bridgewater State College |
| Mr. Frederick Timmerman, Jr., B.S. | Mathematics | Boston College |
| Mr. James Tsika, B.A. | Mathematics | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Estelle Wenson, M.S. | English | State University of New York |
| Mr. Robert Woods, M.Ed. | History | University of Maine |
| Mr. Byron Morgan, M.S. | Audio-Visual, Science | Union College, New York |
| Mr. Joseph Dermont, M.A. | Librarian | Loyola University, Chicago, Ill. |
| HOWARD SCHOOL | | |
| Mr. Robert Todd, M.Ed. | Principal | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Matilda Bystrom, B.S. | English, Reading | Bridgewater State College |
| Mr. Roger A. Coelho, B.S. | Mathematics | Bridgewater State College |
| Mr. Wayne M. Dufault, B.S. | Mathematics | Stonehill College |
| Mr. Robert Dwyer, Jr., B.S. | Physical Education, Elem. | Boston College |
| Mrs. Gertrude W. Estabrooks, B.S. | Language, Reading | Bridgewater State College |
| Mrs. Susan Gray, B.A. | Art, Music | Oberlin College, Ohio |
| Mr. Pat Guercio, M.Ed. | Social Studies | Worcester State College |
| Mr. Richard A. Harrison, M.Ed. | Language, Reading | Suffolk University |

TEACHERS

HOWARD SCHOOL (contd.)

Mr. Arthur T. Hogan, B.M.
 Mrs. Christine L. Kone, B.A.
 Mr. Roy C. Lundin, Jr., B.S.
 Mr. Walter E. Olson, B.A.
 Mrs. Margaret M. Roche, B.A.
 Mr. Edward Sarro, B.A.
 Mr. Wilbur L. Parrott, III, B.A.

SPRING STREET SCHOOL

Mr. Thomas Peters, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Patricia Holloway, B.S.
 Miss Louise Johnson, B.A.
 Mrs. Claire LaCerdà, B.S.
 Miss Mary Lyons, B.S.
 Mrs. Donna L. Manning, B.S.
 Mrs. Rosemary Mastropietro, B.S.
 Mrs. Mary Jo McGuane, B.A.
 Mrs. Virginia Nolan, B.S.
 Mrs. Jeanne Roscoe, B.S.
 Mrs. Susan Shadoff, M.S.
 Mrs. Nancy Sidman, B.S.
 Mrs. Sandra L. Walsh, B.S.
 Mrs. Frances A. Williams, B.S.
 Mrs. Margaret R. Boynton, B.S.
 Mrs. Nancy Frazier, M.S.

ROSE L. MACDONALD SCHOOL

Mr. William M. Jones, M.Ed.
 Mr. Donald A. Berry, B.S.
 Mrs. Carolyn Cullen, B.A.
 Mr. Francis J. DeMello, Jr., B.S.
 Mrs. Linda Dubin, B.A.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Music, Elementary
 Language, Reading
 Science
 Social Studies
 English
 Science
 Librarian

Principal, Elem. Curr. Coord.

Art, Grade I-V

Kindergarten

Grade I

Grade II

Grade II

Grade I

Grade I

Grade I

Grade II

Kindergarten

Kindergarten

Grade I

Grade II

Reading

Librarian

Principal

Grade IV

Grade III

Grade V

Grade IV

PREPARATION

Boston University
 Salem State College
 Eastern Nazarene College
 Bridgewater State College
 Framingham State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Mars Hill College, N.C.

Suffolk University
 Indiana University

Bates College

Bridgewater State College

Bridgewater State College

Lesley College

Bridgewater State College

Stonehill College

Bridgewater State College

Bridgewater State College

Boston University

Farleigh Dickinson University

Bridgewater State College

Ohio State University

State College at North Adams

Bridgewater State College

Boston University

Bridgewater State College

Emmanuel College

Bridgewater State College

New England College, N.H.

TEACHERS

ROSE L. MACDONALD SCHOOL (contd.)

Mr. Charles N. Fay, Jr., B.S.
 Mrs. Joyce R. Francis, B.A.
 Miss Judith M. Hickey, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Katherine T. Keough, B.S.
 Mrs. Judith M. Lopes, B.S.
 Mrs. James McKee, B.S.
 Miss Fontaine Metta, B.S.
 Mrs. Mary Roberts, M.S.
 Miss Mary Nelson, B.S.
 Mrs. Maureen Rosa, B.S.
 Mrs. Carol White, M.Ed.

SUNSET AVENUE SCHOOL

Mrs. Jessie M. Anderson, B.S.
 Mrs. Lillian Webster, M.S.

DEPARTMENT CHAIRPERSONS

Mrs. Patricia Murphy, B.S.
 Mrs. Marietta Kent, B.S.
 Mr. Robert W. Chapman, M.Ed.
 Mr. Edward F. Caffrey, B.S.
 Mr. Robert E. Lopes, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Vandemoer, M.Ed.
 Mr. Frank F. Dunn, Jr., M.Ed.
 Mrs. Elaine Reiss, M.Ed.

SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Mr. William J. Pugh, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Mary Jane Jacques, M.Ed.
 Mr. Donald Costello, B.A.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Grade V
 Grade IV
 Grade III
 Grade IV
 Grade III
 Grade V
 Grade III
 Reading
 Grade V
 Grade IV

Grade II
 Grade III

English
 Mathematics
 Science
 Social Studies
 Business

Guidance Director
 Guidance Counselor
 Reading Coordinator

Special Needs Director
 Resource Teacher
 Resource Teacher

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Barrington College
 Bridgewater State College
 Worcester Teachers College
 Worcester Teachers College
 University of Pittsburgh, Pa.
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College

Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College

Boston University
 Bridgewater State College
 University of Vermont
 Holy Cross College
 Fitchburg State College

Worcester State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Boston University

Boston College
 Lesley College
 Stonehill College

TEACHERS

SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT (contd.)

Mrs. Ann MacDonald, B.S.
 Mrs. Janet Merriam, B.S.
 Mrs. Marlena L. Johnsky, M.Ed.
 Mrs. Rita Broman, B.S.
 Miss Vicki Cohen, B.S.
 Miss Emily Hutchinson, B.S.
 Miss Gail L. Karp, B.A.
 Miss Victoria Kenneally, B.A.
 Miss Ellen Levenbron, M.S.
 Miss Patricia Naylor, B.S.
 Mrs. Jean York, R.N.
 Mrs. Sherri M. Hurwitz, B.S.
 Mrs. Mary Sears, S.B.
 Mrs. Margaret Tuck, M.Ed.
 Miss Lucy Smith, B.A.
 Miss Cynthia Zampine, B.S.
 Miss Kathryn Sardella, B.A.
 Mrs. Marie Sullivan, B.S.
 Miss Janet Fontinna, B.S.
 Miss Lisa Lifrak, B.A.

GRADE OR SUBJECT

Asst. to a Teacher
 Resource Teacher
 Director of L. D.
 C.I.D. Teacher
 Asst. to a Teacher
 Instructional Support Person
 Instructional Support Person
 Occupational Therapist
 Resource Teacher – Learning C.
 Speech Therapist
 Asst. Physical Therapist
 Speech Therapist
 L. D. Specialist Teacher
 Adjustment Counselor
 Resource Teacher
 Asst. to a Teacher
 Transitional Teacher
 L. D. Specialist Teacher
 Asst. to a Teacher
 Asst. to a Teacher

PREPARATION

Bridgewater State College
 Framingham State College
 Boston College
 Bridgewater State College
 Salem State College
 Wheelock College
 Farleigh Dickinson University, N.J.
 Boston University
 Lesley College
 Chester State College, Pa.
 Massachusetts General Hospital
 Northeastern University
 Simmons College
 Bridgewater State College
 Stonehill College
 Bridgewater State College
 Curry College
 Bridgewater State College
 Bridgewater State College
 Simmons College

West Bridgewater School Committee

To the Citizens of the Town of West Bridgewater:

At the Annual Town Elections Mr. Robert A. White and Mr. William P. Bystrom were elected to a three (3) year term on the School Committee to replace Mr. Donald A. MacIver and Mr. H. David Raleigh. Mr. MacIver did not seek re-election. Mrs. Patricia R. Alger was elected to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Stanley O. Carlson.

A special organizational meeting was held on April 12, 1976, at which time Mr. George J. Lepine, Jr. was re-elected Chairman. Mr. Robert A. White was elected Vice Chairman. Mr. Nicholas D. Palmieri was elected Clerk. Mrs. Annette A. Bean was reappointed Secretary to the School Committee.

Mrs. Patricia R. Alger was elected to be the Representative of the School Committee to the R.E.A.D.S. Program. Mr. William P. Bystrom was elected to serve as the School Committee Legislative Representative. Mr. Charles R. Barros was elected to serve as Liaison between the School Committee and the Finance Committee as well as the Representative on the Bid Committee.

The School Committee would like to take this opportunity to express its appreciation and thanks to Mr. Donald A. MacIver and Mr. H. David Raleigh for their devoted years of service to the children and the other townspeople of West Bridgewater. Their many contributions were greatly appreciated.

The School Committee would like to extend congratulations to the newly elected members of the Student Advisory Committee to the School Committee. They are Miss Susan Kinney, Miss Jana Asack, Mr. Geoffrey Coelho, Mr. James Kellie, and Mr. Charles Roussel. Their term of office is for the school year 1976-1977. We look forward to working with these young people.

In this year's Annual Report we would again like to mention our satisfaction with our Summer Programs. The Summer C.I.D. Program (Center for Individual Development) was from July 6, 1976, to August 9, 1976. We had a total enrollment of eight (8) students. Those who made this Program a success were Teacher/Director—Mrs. Rita Broman, Assistant Teacher—Ms. Vickie Cohen, Speech Therapist—Miss Patricia Naylor, Physical Therapist—Miss Donna Griffiths, Recreational Therapist—Mrs. Vickie Kenneally, Registered Nurse—Mrs. Betty Manzer. Volunteers were: Mrs. Margaret Tuck, Ms. Tami Valla, Ms. Carol Manzer, and Mr. Michael Chaffe.

The C.I.D. is a Collaborative Program for multi-handicapped children serving the Towns of West Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Bridgewater, Middleboro, and Raynham. Due to their handicaps the progress that these children make does not come easily or quickly. Each small step gained comes as a result of much time and effort by teacher and student and requires constant stimulation and exercise to maintain. A Summer Program of this sort is necessary if these children are to maintain the skills they acquired during the regular school year.

The Summer L. D. Program (Learning Disabilities) was held from July 6, 1976, to August 9, 1976. There was a total enrollment of sixteen (16) students. This Program was under the direction of Mrs. Joy Greim and Miss Anne Murphy. The goal of this Program was to review the basic academic and perceptual skill areas in a relaxed atmosphere. This

was also a successful Program as it met all the anticipated goals.

The Summer Reading Program was also held from July 6, 1976, to August 9, 1976. There was a total enrollment of sixty-three (63) students. To continually make this Program a success it takes a lot of preparation and planning. Those responsible for the success of this Program are the Director of the Program—Mr. Thomas Peters, Elementary Curriculum Coordinator, Teachers—Mrs. Joyce Francis and Mrs. Sandra Walsh, Assistant—Ms. Lucy Smith, and Advisors—Mrs. Margaret Boynton and Miss Mary Nelson. The goal of this Program is to take advantage of the unique learning opportunities that the summer vacation provides for students needing reinforcement in reading skills. We feel we had another very successful and worthwhile Summer Reading Program.

The Faculty members involved in the above mentioned Summer Programs submitted reports to the School Committee. We would be more than glad to share these reports with anyone interested in reviewing them. Just contact any member(s) of the School Committee or submit a request to the Superintendent's Office.

At this time we feel it is important to mention that our attempt to upgrade our overall Reading Program is well on its way under the direction of our Reading Coordinator, Mrs. Elaine Reiss.

Just a reminder again this year that we are going to make some more necessary repairs to our schools that have been neglected for too long. These repairs have been set aside for the past few years in an attempt to keep our budget costs down. We cannot continue to do this indefinitely. Last year we budgeted considerable amounts of money to correct the problems in the sewage system and the roof overhang at the High School. This work has been successfully completed. We are going to have more serious roof problems if we do not make an effort to correct them now. Most of these roof problems are at the High School. It has, also, been recently brought to our attention that the heating system at the Spring Street School is in very poor condition and that immediate repairs are recommended. We will have to make these repairs now. The estimated cost for this is approximately \$15,000. The renovation of the Science Wing at the High School will be completed during the school year 1977-1978. We have estimated the cost for this project to be approximately \$35,000.00. We have put off this project for several years for the sake of economy but the time has come when we can wait no longer. Our accreditation would be seriously jeopardized if we did not make this improvement as recommended by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools Visiting Committee that was at our schools in April of 1969. This improvement should be made by the year 1979.

We have tried to mention a few of the items apart from the regular order of school business to keep you informed as to some of our rather large and unusual expenses. Again, the cost of utilities are anticipated to rise again along with the cost of other school supplies.

The cost of Collective Bargaining was another increased cost this past year. The Committee feels that due to the fact that most School Committee members are not professional negotiators it would not be fair to the taxpayers or the children if we tried to compete in this area with the negotiators from the Massachusetts Teachers Association that represented the teachers in West Bridgewater this past year. We feel this added expense was well worth the multi-year contract (three (3) years) that we were able to obtain. We were very fortunate to be able to obtain the professional services of Attorney Paul Kingston who is a noted and well respected Labor Negotiator. With his assistance we

were able to obtain, for the first time in the Town's history, a multi-year contract with the West Bridgewater Teachers' Association. We also have multi-year contracts with the employees in our other departments within the school system. We are very pleased with this as it will now give all of us more time to devote to the educational needs of our children. We thank the townspeople who showed their support for us during the negotiation impasse with the West Bridgewater Teachers' Association.

The School Committee would again like to express its thanks to all those people who continue to support the budgets as presented at Town Meeting as well as the support you show in respect to our current and future projects and programs.

We also appreciate the views of those who do not always approve or support our actions. It is with this type of input by all factions that make us better informed people to be able to make the decisions that will enable us to better serve our children, the taxpayers and the entire Town of West Bridgewater.

Respectfully submitted,

George J. Lepine, Jr., *Chairman*
Robert A. White, *Vice Chairman*
Nicholas A. Palmieri, *Clerk*
Charles R. Barros
William P. Bystrom
Patricia R. Alger

Superintendent of Schools

I submit the annual reports of the Principals, other staff leaders, and myself.

As in previous reports, I will mention certain matters, such as plans for the future, and refer the reader to the reports of other staff members for more detailed information.

STAFF MEMBERS—In the Spring of 1976, the following retired: Mrs. Anna Howe, a teacher at Rose L. MacDonald School; Mrs. Helen S. Millet, English Department Chairperson and teacher at the High School; Mrs. Myrtle Ryan, a teacher at the Spring Street School; and Mr. Arthur Barros, a custodian at Rose L. MacDonald School. We were also saddened by the death of Mr. J. Layton Hayward, a custodian at the Howard School.

Outstanding among the fine, new people who have joined the system are Mr. William J. Pugh, Director of Special Needs and Mrs. Elaine Reiss, Coordinator of Reading in Grades Kindergarten through VII. Mr. Pugh is giving direction to the personnel in his Department and coordinating the help for the handicapped in all the schools. Mrs. Reiss is providing the long needed leadership and coordination for the Reading Program. Mrs. Patricia Murphy, an English teacher in the High School has been appointed Chairperson of the English Department, Grades Kindergarten through XII.

NEGOTIATIONS—Unfortunately the long, sixteen (16) months, period of negotiations, concluded in January of 1977, has demanded a tremendous amount of time and effort from all of us. However, despite this lengthy period of time, I am happy to make several

favorable comments. First, except for some minor and isolated incidents, I am satisfied that the instruction and activities of the pupils, were not seriously affected during the negotiations. I feel this is the result of the joint positive efforts of the School Committee, the Principals, the faculty, and the student body. Secondly, I believe that the compromises made by both sides resulted in a contract that is quite equitable for all and it should do much to retain good personnel and attract worthy newcomers.

It is to the credit of all involved, that the students and the community was spared the more serious actions and activities that have occurred in other school systems when negotiations have become deadlocked. Lastly, the final settlement has established a three (3) year agreement which, we expect, will eliminate the annual loss of time due to negotiating shorter contracts.

READING—The appointment of Mrs. Reiss as Elementary Grades Coordinator of Reading has been the outstanding outcome of the system wide effort to guarantee emphasis on this, the first of the 3 R's. Her work in the elementary grades has included: a careful review of our existing methods, texts, and materials; the presentation of workshops; preparation and distribution of newsletters; recommendations for budgetary purposes; work with individual and small groups of students; coordinating with the English Department, the elementary and secondary Reading Programs; and perhaps most importantly, giving direct assistance to the classroom teachers as to evaluating, selecting, and presenting materials and concepts to their pupils.

GENERAL CURRICULUM WORK—In addition to the strengthening of the elementary Reading Program, by appointing a Coordinator, we will increase the amount of supplementary help in this important subject for Grade VII, extend the services of a Reading Specialist through Grade IX and make this person available for consultation with the teachers in Grades X through XII starting in September, 1977. Other help, for Reading we anticipate, will be forthcoming as we continue to be associated with the nationwide "Right To Read" movement.

In Language Arts we are developing a revised and sequential type of curriculum for all the elementary grades which will include emphasis on grammar. The new curriculum for Grades Kindergarten through III has already been completed. The High School, as it prepares for the ten (10) year accreditation evaluation, is reviewing, revising, and re-writing the curriculum in all subject areas.

Our next major goal will be to review our offerings in Mathematics, at all levels. One of the outcomes of this effort, it is expected, will make certain emphasis is given to the true mastery of the basic computational skills. This comes at a time when we are strengthening and expanding our work with the Metric System.

An important area, too long overlooked, to which we must direct our attention, is developing more challenging course work and new programs to develop our faster learning and more able students to their full potential. These youngsters have, I feel, not been motivated as much as they should be in recent years. This was due to our having to give priorities to the handicapped, the less able, and the fast growing enrollments. Now, however, we can and must, give the needed attention.

MAINTENANCE WORK—With the leveling off of enrollment, our budget for 1976-1977 and the projected budget for 1977-1978 have not continued with as large increases as were common in recent years. Thus, we are now able to take care of certain maintenance

work on the school buildings and grounds that had to be deferred, to give priority to items more directly related to the pupils.

The largest project was the rebuilding of the sewage systems at Spring Street and the High Schools. The earlier separate leaching areas that served these schools for many years, have now been replaced by a more efficient system that combines with the Howard School and eventually, after required treatment, discharges in the Town River. This improvement was required by State regulations.

The exterior trim was completely painted on the Sunset Avenue School by a contractor. The entire exterior of the High School and the trim at the Spring Street School was painted by C.E.T.A. workers. Much interior painting was also done by these men at the Rose L. MacDonald School. The roof overhang on two (2) sections of the High School was rebuilt. The stage area at Spring Street School was converted into work space, a teachers' room, and an office and testing area for the Reading Coordinator by our maintenance men.

This year we are budgeting for engineering plans to regrade and make useful Drury Field, a section of roof over the High School Kitchen, replacement of the three (3) heaters at Spring Street School, and the long awaited new Science Laboratory for the High School.

ENROLLMENTS—After a study of the births recorded in recent years and the slowing down of new home building in the Town it is apparent the total Grades Kindergarten through XII enrollment has peaked. We will probably have further small reductions from our current 1750 enrollment in the next several years. These are not yet of a size nor at a grade level to warrant a reduction in the number of teachers, classrooms, or buildings. It will also be necessary to continue to use the Sunset Avenue School during the next several years.

BUDGETS—The operating budget for 1977-1978 is up approximately 8.9%. A large portion of this increase is necessary for: the Special Education programs; the refurbishing of the High School Science area; new heaters in the Spring Street School; alterations required by law in the High School Kitchen, the rebuilding of a section of the original High School roof in the Kitchen and Band room area; increased costs of texts, materials, and supplies; higher charges for utilities; and salary increases.

Copies of *School Bells* showing the budgets for the current year, as well as the projected one for 1977-1978, will be available in the Town Report, at the School Budget Hearing, the Annual Town Meeting, the several schools, and the Town Hall.

In conclusion, I take this opportunity to thank my fellow Townspeople for their continued support of public education, the School Committee for its time, interest, and encouragement, the many fine staff members, and especially, the students who make it all worthwhile.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald A. Fisher
Superintendent of Schools

Principal, Junior-Senior High School

I hereby submit the annual report of the West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School. The following report is a compilation of the philosophy, accomplishments, needs, concerns and aspirations of department chairpersons and other professional staff members. In some instances I have made adjustments, deletions or additions to the original individual reports. One theme common to all reports is the desire to provide for the needs and interests of the student body. The concerns vary from those of budgetary limitations, to class size, to additional course offerings. Preliminary planning by department chairpersons and administrative personnel has been started in anticipation of our self evaluation in 1978 and our evaluation by an accrediting team in 1979.

This past year, the vast majority of the student body has made a serious effort to meet their obligations and responsibilities as they relate to academic preparation and citizenship. They are to be complimented for their fine effort which has added a new dimension to the spirit of our school.

With a record number of students, nearly four hundred (400), electing science courses in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) for the 1976-1977 school year, the Science Department is anxiously awaiting a much needed renovation for the science wing at the High School. Not only do plans call for improving the existing building, but also, for providing additional storage facilities.

These improvements should not only strengthen our present program offerings, but also help us to meet the needs of more students. We will then be able to offer more lab-oriented courses, and implement an independent study program.

The Business Department was able to change from manual typing instruction to all electric typing. Students now entering the typing program will have the benefits of all electric typing and will be realistically preparing themselves for personal and business careers.

The first annual business careers seminar was held in February on two (2) consecutive days. On the first day, past graduates explained the programs offered at their respective colleges and answered questions pertaining to costs, travel, and programs. On the second day, former graduates explained their respective jobs and similarly, answered questions on their job satisfaction, benefits and preparation. Approximately twenty (20) former graduates participated on both days and seventy-five (75) juniors and seniors.

The Co-op Business Education Program provided on-the-job training for seventeen (17) students. Six (6) have gone on to school, four (4) have remained as full-time employees at their co-op position, three (3) have gained employment related to their school and job experience and the status of four (4) is unknown.

The English Department staff has been reduced by one (1) member this year. Mrs. Helen Millet retired after ten (10) successful years as Department Chairperson. She was replaced by Mrs. Patricia Murphy. Many innovative programs, such as the Phase Elective Program for Grades eleven (11) and twelve (12), were implemented during Mrs. Millet's term and are being continued by Mrs. Murphy. In addition, the staff is now concentrating on methods of measuring performance in the basic skills areas and on interdisciplinary cooperation in library and research skills. The need for instruction in reading skills for grades nine (9) through twelve (12) is a priority issue, and a proposed plan of

reading instruction is being analyzed for possible adoption. There is a great need for Audio-Visual equipment in order to reinforce instruction in all English classes; in fact, the video-tape recorder is a necessity if we are to continue to up date the Speech and Drama courses. Strong consideration should be given to a more extensive field trip program to provide the most comprehensive learning situations possible for the students.

Mr. Gerald Allman joined the Mathematics Department this year. He comes with a wealth of experience both in secondary schools and colleges. He assumed the advisorship of the West Bridgewater High School Mathematics Team. Through his effort our team now competes in two (2) leagues; The Greater Boston Mathematics League and The Southeastern Massachusetts Mathematics League. We are proud of the performance of our students as they compete with students of area schools.

Enrollment in the middle grouping of our college mathematics classes is too high in some instances. The students have varying degrees of aptitude in mathematics and need individual help. The length of our class period does not warrant individualized help to twenty-six (26) or twenty-seven (27) students. College mathematics involves the understanding of rigorous concepts. When classes have students of varying abilities grouped together the class size should be lower in order to maintain the standards set forth by the colleges in which our students enroll.

We feel our program for the terminal student is most adequate. However, students are required to take only one (1) year of mathematics to receive a diploma. At high school age students lack the wisdom needed to foresee the necessity of mathematics in life after graduation. We feel a policy should be established requiring the terminal students to take advantage of our program.

It is interesting to note in the survey of our graduates that they discover *after* graduation a situation which makes them wish they had taken more mathematics courses while students. One student suggested all seniors be required to enroll in our Consumer Mathematics.

The Social Studies Department is continuing to expand its offerings as allowed by budgetary limitations within the context of the current curriculum. Mini-units on the Presidential Election, Asia, Law, U. S. Constitution, and Current Events are being offered and updated. The new Sociology course has been well received by the students and it is hoped that it will be expanded. The restrictions imposed upon education field trips are proving to be a very negative factor and this situation should be alleviated as soon as possible.

Basically, the philosophy of the Social Studies faculty is to impress upon our students the important inter-relationship between the social studies, the sciences, and the humanities. We believe that the common factor among the many academic disciplines found under the broad term social studies is the study of human beings, individually or in groups, at one period in time or over a long period of time. The challenge of America's third century lies in adapting our study of the basic fields in order to meet the needs of our students and their future world.

The High School Library has catalogued 1,123 books and added seven (7) cassette tapes to its permanent collection. Many popular paperbacks were acquired and eighty-six (86) periodicals renewed. New book shelves were installed. The new edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica was purchased for our reference section. Circulation and use of

materials; this is a gratifying situation.

The Public Library has remained an excellent source of additional materials for our students and its staff has often provided kind assistance to both our students and faculty.

The Library facilities and its resources will continue to improve as it receives the necessary cooperation and support of the administration, School Committee, and community.

The aims of the 1976 Athletic and Intramural Programs at West Bridgewater High School, working in conjunction with the academic phase of school life, is the development of specific values, attitudes, skills, and the fostering of a competitive spirit which will help to make the students worthwhile citizens in their adult life.

During 1976, we had two hundred, thirty-nine (239) students involved with our winter program. The spring found one hundred, thirty-three (133) students participating. The fall of 1976 had one hundred, forty-five (145) in the Sports Program. The total number of students involved in Athletics and Intramurals was five hundred, seventeen (517).

In August of this year, Dr. Arthur Carriere, physician for all Athletic Physicals at the High School, began with all students who planned to participate in a fall sport. These include football, freshman football, field hockey, cross country and cheerleading.

As has been the procedure in other years, pre-physicals, which consist of height, weight and blood pressure, are done by the school nurse previous to the doctor's examination.

Dr. Carriere also checks on any injuries which might have occurred during any sports event when he comes to do the physicals. Other physicals are scheduled for winter sports and spring sports with the same procedure followed. A total of one hundred, ninety-four (194) students had physicals for fall and winter sports, with an anticipation of another fifty (50) to sixty (60) students to be examined for spring sports.

At the opening of the school year, every member of the faculty receives a Confidential Report regarding all students who have physical problems, such as Epilepsy, Diabetes, and special seating due to problems with vision or hearing. This report is updated throughout the year.

Vision and hearing screening is done on all students each year. If a student fails one or both of these, a notice is sent home to the parents. Unfortunately, parent follow-up on these is very poor.

Every year the tenth grade is given a Diphtheria Tetanus Booster as recommended by the State Department of Public Health with 100% participation of those students needing this.

Mantoux tests for Tuberculosis are given to all school personnel. All personnel are required by law to be tested every three (3) years.

Health counseling continues daily by the school nurse either by request of the student or another referral. The school nurse must administer all medications to students requiring the same. The school nurse serves on the Core Evaluation Team, sitting in on conferences and making home visits. She is also advisor for the Future Nurses' Club.

The Student Council is striving to develop students who will serve as leaders in the school today and become productive and responsible citizens in the community tomorrow. As part of this training three (3) members of the Student Council attended a workshop on Martha's Vineyard this year and plans are being made to have several members represent the Council at the Annual Statewide Convention later on this year.

The Student Council office, staffed by Council members, continues to disperse information on a variety of topics to the student body. The entire Student Council, in general, and the Council officers, in particular, work very closely with the members of the Student Advisory Council on matters which concern the entire student body.

In its efforts to assist the classroom teacher and others, the Audio-Visual Department has sought to purchase economical, reliable and standardized equipment which it can maintain and repair in its own shop. With such a preventive maintenance and repair program, the life cycle of audio-visual equipment can be prolonged and the purchase of replacement equipment may be cut to a minimum. The purchase of government surplus equipment has also helped fulfill this aim.

Realizing the increasing use of the gym and cafeteria for school and public functions, the Audio-Visual Department through the purchase of government surplus equipment has installed an adequate and permanent public address system in both these areas. As in the past, the Audio-Visual Department seeks to expand its scope in serving the school and community.

The West Bridgewater High School Band has enjoyed a number of activities this year with some new performances added on the agenda. The fall semester saw the Marching Band perform in all six (6) home football games, as well as attend two (2) away games to perform in half-time shows there for the first time. The West Bridgewater Marching Unit which also includes a twenty-four (24) member Majorette Squad and fifteen (15) member Drill Team had a membership of eighty (80) members this year. This same Unit has also performed for the West Bridgewater Bicentennial Dedication at the Howard School as well as the Annual Tri-town Veteran's Day Parade in East Bridgewater. The Band is now preparing for their concert season with a new group added this year for the first time. This group is an eighteen (18) member Jazz Ensemble which has been started as an extra-curricular activity and has been doing very well. This group affords some of the musicians a chance to play in a more contemporary vein.

It is with sincere appreciation that the High School student body and personnel thanks Mr. Fisher and his staff for the help and encouragement offered during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Erick Benson, *Principal*
West Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School

Guidance Department

In the words of the Seal of the Massachusetts School Counselors Association, counseling is "the art of increasing the students' capacity for self-direction". This is the philosophy which is carried out to the fullest possible extent in the guidance services of the West Bridgewater Public Schools, covering grades seven (7) through twelve (12).

This is carried out through educational, vocational, and personal counseling in order to assist each student to make intelligent choices concerning individual present and future goals.

Assistance through counseling is given in the selection of the best type of school program to meet individual student needs as well as in the choice of an appropriate occupational or career goal with the kind and length of training necessary to prepare for job entry in the chosen field. Each student also receives personal counseling to ensure the best possible adjustment at all levels of school life.

New materials added this year to our guidance resources are contributing importantly to the expansion of the Career Guidance Program and are being used continually by students, counselors and teachers. An interest inventory was given to the entire ninth grade early in the fall, and the results are being used with the student in individual counseling sessions to help in the definition of occupational goals and the exploration of training possibilities to prepare for them.

Other specific methods used by the counselors in the Career Guidance Program have included group techniques dealing with values and attitudes at the younger levels, career presentations by the counselor in the classroom setting, as well as involvement with the teachers in vocational units. Arrangements have been made for speakers on different career possibilities, meetings with representatives from many varied types of schools and colleges as well as career day planned for the students to learn of the many different opportunities available through the military services. In a project sponsored jointly by the National Honor Society and the Guidance Department, former graduates now attending college were invited to take part in a panel discussion for the benefit of juniors and seniors.

Follow-up studies of the graduates of the classes of 1970 and 1975 were conducted. The results have afforded significantly valuable information for curriculum development and very positive comments on the quality of the education received in the West Bridgewater Public Schools.

The guidance office has been open in the evening from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. on the first Monday of each month. This is a voluntary service offered to members of the community to make it possible for them to seek assistance and information concerning training and education opportunities, as well as any other needs for which consultation with a counselor might be helpful.

A priority need for the department is the assignment of a counselor to the Howard School on a full-time basis. At the present time, only half the students in the Howard School unit, namely the seventh grade, have guidance services available to them—and these only on a part-time basis. This is because the responsibilities of the Howard School counselor include the guidance of grades eight (8) and nine (9), located in the High School building; this limits the share of time to the short daily period of 12:45-2:10 P.M. Another urgent need is to continue the expansion of guidance materials for student use in the guidance library, as well as to support the many activities of the department.

The Class of 1976 chose a wide variety of educational and vocational pursuits upon graduation. Fifty-three percent (53%) of the class have gone on to further education, while thirty-eight percent (38%) entered immediate employment. Following is the placement report of the 1976 graduates.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth P. Vandemoer
Director of Guidance

GUIDANCE REPORT ON PLACEMENT FOR 1976

Total Continuing Education

1971 - 67%
 1972 - 54%
 1973 - 52%
 1974 - 51%
 1975 - 58%
 1976 - 53% (4 yr. - 37%) (2 yr. - 16%)

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| | Boys | Girls | Total | Percent of Class |
|---------------------------------|------|-------|-------|------------------|
| Four Year Private Colleges | 13 | 8 | 21 | 15.6 |
| Four Year Public Colleges | 14 | 14 | 28 | 20.7 |
| Two Year Private Colleges | 3 | 7 | 10 | 7.4 |
| Two Year Public Colleges | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3.0 |
| Vocational Training | 2 | 6 | 8 | 5.9 |
| Military | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2.2 |
| Work | 30 | 22 | 52 | 38.5 |
| Marriage | 0 | 1 | 1 | .7 |
| Undecided | 5 | 2 | 7 | 5.2 |
| Foreign Students returning Home | 1 | 0 | 1 | .7 |

Nurses Training*

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|------------|---|---|---|
| A.S., R.N. | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| B.S., R.N. | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| L.P.N. | 0 | 2 | 2 |

*Included in two (2) and four (4) year colleges and vocational training.

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|--------|----|----|-----|--------|
| TOTALS | 62 | 73 | 135 | 100.00 |
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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO BE ATTENDED BY MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1976

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Anna Maria College | Northeastern University |
| Boston College | Pfeiffer College |
| Boston Conservatory | Quincy Junior College |
| Bridgewater State College | Quinsigamond Community College |
| Bristol Community College | Rhode Island Trades Shops School |
| Cape Cod Community College | Salem State College |
| College of the Holy Cross | Southeastern Massachusetts Univ. |
| Cornell University | Southeastern Regional Technical Institute |
| Curry College | Stonehill College |
| Eastern Nazarene College | Syracuse University |
| Framingham State College | Thomas College |
| Harvard University | United States Naval Academy at Annapolis |
| Lyndon State College | University of Massachusetts, Amherst |
| Massachusetts College of Pharmacy | University of New Hampshire |
| Massachusetts Maritime Academy | University of Southern California |
| Massasoit Community College | University of Vermont |
| Mount St. Mary College | Vesper George School of Art |
| Newbury Junior College | Wentworth Institute of Technology |
| Nichols College | Westfield State College |
| North Adams State College | Wheelock College |

Principal, Howard School

It is with pleasure that I submit the third annual report of the Howard School Principal. As you will find in this report, the year 1976 was a year which witnessed a number of changes, innovations and new approaches to the educational pattern for our sixth and seventh graders. The report which follows is a collection of the observations and ideas of myself, the department chairpersons and the other support personnel who aid greatly in the implementation of our program.

I would first like to commend the staff of the Howard School. Working together as an integrated and unified instructional and support team, they have done much to attain and maintain a high academic and behavioral level of expectation from the student body. Together this staff has melded individual philosophies into a common goal—that of making the students' transition from elementary to secondary education as smooth and meaningful a process as can be provided. I commend each and every one of these staff members—I am proud of their accomplishments.

Within the academic and program areas, the following are high-lighted:

SOCIAL SCIENCES

The sixth and seventh grade Social Studies Program is continuing its effort to improve basic skills and to develop positive attitudes toward learning and a values system.

Citizenship in a democratic society must involve confronting the basic issues and determining what action is to be taken. The cultures of many societies are studied in the sixth grade in order to reinforce in the minds of young students the fact that peoples the world over have the same basic needs and wants regardless of geography. At the seventh grade level more student involvement and input are required in their determining the necessity of every society to provide basic human dignity for all its citizens. Emphasis is placed upon living in contemporary America and the textbooks and supplemental materials are keyed to helping the students study and understand the past and future development of the United States.

LANGUAGE ARTS

During the 1976-1977 school year, the Language Arts teachers in Grades 6 and 7 have revised the Curriculum Guides according to performance levels within those grades, with emphasis on grammar, usage, and mechanics. Scope and Sequence Charts in these areas have been devised to provide for a smooth transition from elementary to junior high requirements. The coordination between Reading and Language Arts has been strengthened through the timeless efforts of the dedicated teachers at the Howard School who have served in the double capacity of developing and revising curriculum in both areas.

SCIENCE

It is encouraging to know that the Howard School has the facilities and trained personnel to develop and present meaningful programs in Science. At present, optimum use is being made of our greenhouse, darkroom and lab facilities.

At the 6th and 7th grade levels scientific concepts are presented and developed so as to aid in the functional understanding of principles, yet while maintaining a high degree of student interest. We are providing an opportunity for growth in the use of the elements of the scientific method, and in the development of basic instrumental skills.

MATHEMATICS

The Mathematics Department has continued the revision of the basic mathematics curriculum in grades six (6) and seven (7). New priorities have been placed upon all concepts and a scope and sequence design is being molded.

Much emphasis has been placed upon allowing students to work at a pace which results in feelings of success and accomplishment through individual teaching techniques.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The Physical Education Department at the Howard School runs many activities beyond the Physical Education classes. These activities are the Gymnastics Club, the Recreation Club and the Intra-mural Program.

The Gymnastics Club meets three (3) days a week during activity period. There are currently over sixty (60) students in the Club. They will be putting on a Gymnastics Program in March of 1977.

The Recreation Club meets twice a week during activity period and the students are given the chance to participate in recreation activities such as Soccer and Volleyball.

The Intra-mural Program is having a fine year with one hundred (100) students participating throughout the year. In the fall, Soccer and Football were offered, and the winter program will offer Floor Hockey and Basketball. In the spring the activities will be Volleyball and Softball. The Intra-mural Program is run Tuesday through Friday after school.

GUIDANCE SERVICES

Guidance services at the Howard School are provided in grade seven (7). One (1) counselor carries out these services on a part-time basis from 12:45 to 2:10 P.M. each day; this period of time is necessarily short because the same counselor also has the responsibility of guiding all students in grades eight (8) and nine (9) located in the High School Building.

In this period time, the guidance services provided include educational, vocational and personal counseling in order to assist the individual student to make intelligent choices pertaining to the future.

These choices have to do with short-range and long-term educational and vocational goals. Personal counseling is offered to each student on an individual basis to ensure the best possible adjustment at all levels of school life.

At the seventh grade level, specific emphasis is placed on career awareness. This begins with the development of concepts within the broad areas of interests, abilities and personality, and is followed by the introduction of occupational information within career interest areas. Much of this is accomplished through the employment of group guidance which is an effective technique in the introductory stages. It is necessary to follow through, however, with individual counseling sessions in order to personalize this information and make it truly effective for each student. The strict limitations of available time to do this at present are a great handicap to the effective implementation of the full guidance program.

There is ample justification for the need of a full-time counselor for the Howard School. The above-mentioned guidance services require far more time than is presently available. In addition, the other class located at the Howard School, grade six (6), has no

access at all to regular guidance and counseling services. There exists a strongly felt need for their expansion to include the sixth grade students by the provision of a full-time counselor to provide services throughout the school day to the entire self-contained Howard School unit.

This is a recommendation that holds top priority for the fulfillment of student needs at the sixth and seventh grade levels.

READING

Under the able direction of Mrs. Elaine Reiss, the Reading Coordinator, the Reading Program at the Howard School is being completely evaluated.

The corrective Reading Program, instituted in 1975, has been continued this year and its results have been gratifying.

The accelerated divisions in grade seven (7), previously without formal reading instruction, have been provided with one (1) period per week of developmental reading taught by the seventh grade Reading teachers.

In order to coordinate the Reading Program, the Reading Curriculum is presently being updated and revised to include a scope and sequence of specific reading skills for grades six (6) and seven (7) in a continuing manner from the previous grades. Materials in the form of new Basal Programs and supplementary readers are being used to implement these skills. In addition, a Library Science Program to reinforce reading study skills is currently in operation, along with a Corrective Reading Program for those students who need remedial reading.

LIBRARY

The Howard School Library has increased its collection this year with the addition of three hundred, sixty-one (361) hardback books, one hundred, ninety-eight (198) paperback books, nineteen (19) cassettes, six (6) records, six (6) filmstrips and thirty (30) periodicals. This includes materials for the student collection of books and the beginning of a professional collection for teachers. A concerted effort has been made to involve faculty and students in the selection process. Student assistants and parent volunteers continue to be of great assistance.

The Library Science Curriculum for grades six (6) and seven (7) at the Howard School is now in its second year. The course is offered once a week to all students. The curriculum is divided into three (3) units—basic library skills (use of the card catalog and Dewey Decimal System), use of reference books (encyclopedias, atlas, almanac, and many specialized reference tools, as well as the Periodic Guide to Literature), and audio-visual materials. In the last unit mentioned, grade six (6) students learn to operate audio-visual equipment (opaque projector, overhead projector, 16mm film projector, and filmstrip projector) and grade seven (7) students begin to learn to make software for these tools (slides, filmstrips). In addition to the course work each week, students are given an opportunity to browse and select books in the library.

HOME ECONOMICS/INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Both of these Programs meet twice each week for seventh grade students, with girls being provided with three quarters of Home Economics and one quarter of basic Industrial Arts, and boys receiving three quarters of Industrial Arts and one quarter of "Bachelor Survival".

The basic aim of each of these courses is to provide a solid base of knowledge of tools and techniques which can be built upon and refined in further instruction and practice.

TITLE I

This year marked the beginning of E.S.E.A. Title I services in the Hward School. This Program, one-hundred percent (100%) federally funded, provides twenty-five (25) hours per week of reading help to our sixth grade classes. A certified and well-qualified teacher works in this Program providing remedial and reinforcement services in a pattern which is closely correlated and well integrated into the regular sixth grade Reading Curriculum, and one which fully supports the instructional scheme of the regular Reading teacher.

In closing, I would like to comment that the sixth and seventh grade youngster as he proceeds into adolescence, is one who is experiencing the most intense and dynamic period of development—psychologically, emotionally, socially and physically—that he may ever encounter. It is a time when he requires both firmness in behavioral expectations and, at the same time, great understanding, compassion and direction from the adults in his world. The staff and curriculum design of the Howard School have attempted to be equal to the task.

My appreciation and gratitude go to the many people whose efforts are expended in matters pertaining to the Howard School. We are indeed fortunate to have anucleus of cooperative and dedicated people who direct their energies toward making the Public Schools in West Bridgewater Educational Institutions of which we can be justly proud.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Todd
Principal

Coordinator, Federal Projects

In the calendar year 1976, West Bridgewater Public Schools submitted seven (7) federal projects totaling \$88,497.19. Six (6) of these projects, in the amount of \$45,817.19, were approved in their entirety and implemented within our schools. One (1) project totaling \$42,860.00 has been submitted and is pending approval. Federal titles under which these projects were written included Public Law 89-10, Titles I and II, Public Law 874, Title I, Public Law 89-10 "Special Incentive Grant", Public Law 93-380 (E.S.E.A. IV-B), and Public Law 94-142 (formerly Part B, EHA). Funding of the projects shows 100% federal funding with no local contribution required.

Under the provisions of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, (E.S.E.A., Title II), the school libraries, both elementary and secondary, benefitted greatly this past year with some \$1,559.16 in federal funds, all of which were used to purchase print and non-print materials for student and teacher use in our libraries. In the next fiscal year, this title will be completely absorbed by the new Title IV-B Program. In the calendar year 1976 the schools received \$807.03 in start-up funds for Title IV-B. These funds, recommendations for the expenditure of which come for a Local Advisory Committee (consisting of Representatives from the School Staff, School Committee and parents of school children), were used in primary reading and intermediate career awareness..

The E.S.E.A. Title I Program "Tutorial Education Activities and Methodologies" (Project TEAM), which is aimed at providing tutorial services in Reading and Math-

matics to those youngsters in grades Kindergarten through sixth (6) who are most in need of such services, experienced a most successful year. In addition to the regular Title I Program, we received a “Special Incentive Grant” in 1976 which allowed us to introduce the “Pre-Reading Skills Program” at the Kindergarten level. This program, found to be very successful by our Curriculum Coordinator, provided for the enhancement of pre-reading skills through concentration on individual learning rates and styles of learning. Project TEAM, funded 100% by the federal government, now has six (6) certified teachers working under the direction of Mr. William Jones and has an active and smooth functioning Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) to provide community and parental input.

With the ever-changing picture of federal funding—including forward funding, variable appropriations, and consolidation of separate titles—the realm of federal aid to education is dynamic and challenging. While the availability of funds specifically for a town such as ours is generally decreased from previous years, the total funds received by West Bridgewater during the calendar years 1970-1976 now exceed \$463,846.00.

In the year 1977, it is our expressed desire to continue to investigate, make application, and receive all federal funds for which we are eligible. Effective utilization of such funds is one major avenue by which the Town of West Bridgewater can continue to improve its education facilities and service in order to provide education of the highest degree of quality for its students, on a cost-sharing basis with the Federal Government.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Todd,
Federal Project Coordinator

Elementary Curriculum Coordinator

The most encouraging news in this annual report is the enthusiasm and positive attitude that the members of the staff have demonstrated towards a more humanistic approach in their teaching. Demonstrating flexibility, the elementary teachers frequently participate actively in improving all areas of the curriculum.

The Reading Program has been given a top priority with the establishment of the position of a Reading Coordinator covering the levels of Kindergarten through Grade seven (7). The Superintendent and members of the School Committee should be commended for establishing this position and appointing Mrs. Elaine Reiss as the Reading Coordinator.

The major emphasis is to coordinate the Reading Program at levels Kindergarten through seven (7) into a developmental, orderly scope and sequence of reading skills using appropriate programs and materials, and to diagnose and correct reading difficulties early in the child’s educational program.

To implement this, several plans of action have been put into effect at the elementary level.

First, the present Reading Curriculum is being revised and updated to tie together the Reading Program from Kindergarten through grade seven (7). There have been meetings and workshops devoted to establishing a philosophy of Reading, a scope and sequence of Reading skills, and the creation of teaching materials to implement these skills.

Secondly, more opportunity for staff communication and development is taking place through grade level meetings, workshops, and exposure to new programs and materials to insure coordination from level to level.

Thirdly, closer ties between the Reading Program and the Language Arts and Library Programs are being established as a way to support, enhance, and enrich the Reading Program, and avoid its being taught in isolation.

In addition, communication between home and school is being established in order to make the community aware of the Reading Program. Booklets describing the Reading Program and offering suggestions for supporting the School Reading Program were sent home to all parents of first grade children at Spring Street School.

Early diagnosis and corrective programs are being emphasized through such measures as teacher observations, informal and formal testing procedures. Diagnostic Reading Tests will be administered to children having reading difficulties.

A constant assessment and evaluation of Reading Programs and materials occur in order to select the very best to meet the needs of our students.

We have added additional Basal Reader Programs such as the reading series from the Ginn Publishers and the Houghton-Mifflin Reading Program. We have added additional Phonics Programs, individualized Reading Programs, skill books, resource books for teachers of Reading, and supplementary readers for the application of reading skills and for enjoyment.

These are some of the major areas we have concentrated on this past year in an attempt to coordinate and improve the Reading Program. A good start has been made with much to be done in order that we may provide the best possible Reading Program for all our students.

In September, 1976, it was decided that four (4) Department Chairpersons; Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Murphy, Mr. Chapman and Mr. Caffrey would devote at least two (2) hours per week to the elementary grades in order to help all teachers improve the curriculum.

Curriculum Development has been the priority for the Language Arts area from Grades Kindergarten through seven (7) during the 1976-1977 school year. Curriculum workshops for Grades four (4) through seven (7) were instituted under the direction of Mrs. Patricia Murphy with emphasis on language and writing skills. Language Arts teachers from these grades met frequently after school hours to develop guidelines for all grade levels by means of scope and sequence charts.

The goals section of the Primary Language Arts Curriculum revision (Kindergarten to Grade three (3) was completed in the Spring. One (1) workshop was held for the development of activities and resources to implement these goals. At the end of the school year the Curriculum Committee of eight (8) teachers under the direction of Mrs. Helen Millet foresaw the need for additional workshops to complete these activities. Mrs. Millet returned in the Fall and continued to serve this system without compensation in order to complete these activities which will establish a guide to complete the continuum in Language Arts, Kindergarten through twelve (12).

Both of the above Committees have demonstrated professional knowledge and dedication in which we should take great pride.

Our Elementary Science Program in Grades Kindergarten through five (5) has been successfully built upon a sequential course of study whose approach is that of understanding through discovery. We believe that student interest in Science has increased, and that children are more aware than ever before of the environment around them.

We are very pleased with the results of the revision of the basic curriculum for Elementary Mathematics. The teachers are to be commended for giving their time after school hours to evaluate the revision. By the end of the current school year, we hope the final revision will be completed.

A very successful workshop in the Metric System was conducted last Spring through the joint efforts of Mrs. Kent and Mr. Chapman. During this workshop teachers had an opportunity to measure lines, areas, volumes, capacity, mass, and temperature in the Metric units. Since that time several measuring devices have been purchased and placed at each of the elementary schools. Pupils measure their height and weight using the Metric scales. Records of temperature readings in Celsius units are maintained. Students are given opportunities to cook using recipes in Metric units. By informal activities of this type we expect the pupils to have a useable knowledge of the Metric System by the time the United States completes the conversion to this System.

It is hoped that more workshops of this nature can be held in the future for better staff development. Our goals are to have a written curriculum which will include many activities in the Metric System for each grade level. This will take time and much effort by all the staff.

The basic skills of Reading and Writing are being reinforced throughout the Elementary Social Studies Program in order to prepare the students for their future involvement at increasing levels of sophistication.

The development of study skills consistent with age, ability, and maturity is the predominant factor in structuring the Program and setting the objectives of the curriculum at various grade levels. Home and school expand to the community, the region, the country, and the world as the student progresses through the grades and becomes, in being, a part of group study and decision making at the secondary level. Methods and materials are being constantly updated in keeping within budgetary limitations.

At Spring Street and Sunset Avenue Schools new additions to the Library collection have emphasized non-print materials relating to curriculum areas and books relating to Special Needs. Mrs. Frazier and Mrs. Reiss have worked closely, realizing the importance of a sound Library Program in the Reading Curriculum. In an effort to inform parents of the Reading Curriculum, Mrs. Frazier and Mrs. Reiss completed a brochure for first grade parents. Mrs. Frazier also completed a Summer Reading List for each grade level which is available at the West Bridgewater Public Library. Each class has one (1) Library period every other week which follows a structured Library Curriculum.

At the Language Arts and Library Workshops held this past year, teachers expressed desire for more "in depth" Library Science skills to include an expanded "How to Study" Program. More time is now being utilized in this area by the staff at Rose L. MacDonald School. The "How to Study" Program would cover the following topics:

1. How to achieve better grades without upgrading of homework assignments.

2. How to research and actually do a project.
3. How to take notes.
4. How to use all the tools available in the Library for all subject matter.

In Health Services we keep in mind that in addition to the intelligence quotient there is a health quotient which affects the ability to learn. A health profile is kept on each child (Kindergarten through five (5)) by the School Nurse, who then is in a position to be of greater assistance to all school personnel in planning for the optimum education possible for each child.

The Dental Health Program is carried on by the Dental Hygienist with the cooperation of the teachers. Students in Grades one (1) through five (5) are screened for tooth decay and any abnormal conditions which are then referred to their dentist for treatment. Every child is offered the opportunity to have his teeth cleaned and topical fluoride applied. The Dental Hygienist visits the classrooms to give instructions on proper dental care. It is gratifying to note the enthusiastic and continued support of the Dental Program by the West Bridgewater Lions Club and the people of West Bridgewater.

Once again my thanks and appreciation to all the Parent Volunteers who have devoted their time and energies in helping the teachers and children at the elementary schools. I have enjoyed the workshops conducted for the High School students, Kindergarten Parent Volunteers and the general Parent Volunteers and feel they profited from this experience.

I would like to thank the staff for their diligence and devotion and I look forward to working with Mr. Jones, Mr. Todd, Mr. Pugh, and all Department Chairpersons in evaluating and revising the Curriculum in all subject areas as it is needed. However, the real curriculum makers are the teachers and for their cooperation and the Superintendent's I am grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Peters
Elementary Curriculum Coordinator

Principal Rose L. MacDonald School and Sunset Avenue School

The staffs of the Rose L. MacDonald and Sunset Avenue Schools continually strive to provide Programs that are humane, challenging, and directed toward individual concerns. We know that learning is not a mechanical process, but a *human process*. That what a person believes about himself is crucial to his growth and development. We also know that a person learns this self-concept from the way he is treated by significant people in his life. The student takes his self-concept with him wherever he goes. Everything that happens to him has an effect on his self-concept. We, as educators, will continue to work with and for our young people.

Sixty-five (65) students comprising three (3) classes are at the Sunset Avenue School—a Grade two (2), a Grade three (3), and the Transitional Unit. The large room in the basement continues to be a combination Dining Room, Art Room, and Physical Education area. A small but well stocked Library has also been established.

The Rose L. MacDonald School has three hundred, seventy-eight (378) students—Grade three (3) (four (4) classes), Grade four (4) (five (5) classes), and Grade five (5) (five (5) classes). The student-teacher ratio at the elementary level, Grades three (3) to five (5), averages twenty-seven (27) to one (1), and increase over last year. Certainly we should be striving for a much better ratio—large classes can only hinder the learning process.

At both schools, specialists are available for those students needing extra help. Planning rooms, the stage area, and other available space continues to be used as small-group instructional areas by Title I personnel, Learning Disabilities Specialists, the Speech Therapist, the Elementary Adjustment Counselor, Volunteer Parent Aides, and other tutorial personnel.

In Grade two (2) and three (3) students within each self-contained classroom are grouped homogeneously for Reading and Arithmetic. A variety of instructional techniques and procedures are then used to provide for individual differences.

In Grades four (4) and five (5) students within each grade level have been grouped homogeneously for Reading and Arithmetic. Those children who have difficulty are grouped into smaller classes in order to provide for more individual help. Throughout the school year each child's program is periodically assessed to determine what changes, if any, should be made. Within the school year all Grade four (4) and five (5) students become involved in some form of individualized Reading wherein each child is reading complete books based on interest and level. The skills involved in the decoding process are taught through the Basal Reading System.

Phonics, Spelling, Handwriting, Language, Literature, Social Studies, and Science are all an important part of each child's daily curriculum.

Further explanation of the Elementary Curriculum can be found in the Elementary Curriculum Coordinator's report.

The Resource Center at the Rose L. MacDonald School is located in Room B-8. The Program attempts to unite teachers, specialists, and administrators as a solid working unit to serve the Special Needs of the children in Grades three (3), four (4), and five (5). It is a place where both teachers and children can seek advice, help, or consultation concerning a problem in school. It provides a change from the classroom pressures that many Special Needs children encounter in the mainstream. The Resource Center develops learning programs for individual students that emphasize his/her strengths. In this way a positive self-image is maintained.

Art, Music, and Physical Education are an important part of a child's overall development.

The Elementary Art Program provides weekly scheduled classes for each student and consultant services for classroom teachers. The main aims of the Program are to encourage the creative development of each child, to teach students the vocabulary and techniques of various Art media, and to integrate Art into the academic programs of the classroom. Students participate in a variety of Art experiences such as drawing, painting, sculpture, ceramics, weaving, printing, with each child's experience becoming more progressively involved and more detailed as he/she progresses through the grades.

The students participate in a wide range of Physical Education activities. The Program attempts to develop physical, psychological and social fitness in all students. Grade four (4) and five (5) students are encouraged to participate in our after school Intramural (one hundred (100) plus students) and Gymnastics (seventy (70) students) Programs.

In Vocal Music, students have weekly scheduled classes in Music notation, Music reading, vocal technique. In Grade four (4) and five (5) students are offered Instrumental Music lessons—being taught the basic technical and physical skills needed to play instruments of either the woodwind, brass or percussion families. A record number of beginners—fifty-seven (57)—have joined the Program. Advanced students form the nucleus of the Rose L. MacDonald School Intermediate Band which performs at the Christmas and Spring Concerts.

Parent volunteers are involved with students and teachers in a variety of ways at each elementary school.

The Parent-Teacher Organization continues to sponsor activities and programs providing each elementary school with money to buy much needed equipment.

Both of the above groups are to be commended for the great deal of time and effort being expended for the betterment of each child's educational program.

In closing I would like to thank all staff member—teachers, specialists, secretaries, custodians, and volunteer aides for their cooperation, diligence and effort on behalf of our children.

Respectfully submitted,

William M. Jones
Principal

Rose L. MacDonald School and
Sunset Avenue School

Director of Special Needs Services

I hereby submit my first annual report as Director of Special Needs Services. In September of 1976 we entered the third year of Special Education Services under Chapter No. 766 of the Acts of 1972. The fact that West Bridgewater provided Special Education Services before the enactment of Chapter No. 766 is evidenced by our depth and consistency of services now being offered by our school system. While attempting to meet the requirements of the Law, which are extensive, the parents, School Committee, teachers and administrators have never lost sight of the spirit of that Law, which is to provide quality education to all children of varying special needs and handicaps.

This past year has been spent in reorganizing Special Education Services in order to provide a consistent and individually developed educational program for all children with Special Educational Needs. It has been a year of adding depth and stability to those Programs. In the attempt to develop a concise and workable procedure, the needs of children has never lost top priority.

We have developed within our school system a consistent series of Programs grades Kindergarten—XII which insures that children, no matter what grade or school they might be in, have available to them a Program designed to meet their individual needs and handicaps. With this in mind I will at this time provide an overview of the Special Needs Programs in the West Bridgewater School System.

LEARNING DISABILITIES

Each of the five (5) schools within the school system has a Learning Disability Specialist primarily responsible for working with children who may be experiencing perceptual difficulties especially in the areas of auditory and visual abilities. These Programs are geared to help children whose problems range from minor ones to the more severe. The emphasis is mainly on the primary grades with the hope and expectation that many of these problems can be remediated before a child enters the higher grades. However, similar services are available at the Howard and High Schools for those students who still need them and can educationally benefit from them.

The services of the Learning Disability Programs include training within the classroom, as an integral part of the daily program, individual tutoring, and diagnostic and consultative services to classroom teachers. These varied approaches are provided according to the needs of each child.

RESOURCE CENTERS

This year we have Resource Services available at Spring Street, Rose L. MacDonald, Howard and High Schools. The emphasis continues to be the acquisition of practical skills, such as developing appropriate behavior in a variety of situations and gaining basic skills in academic areas. These Services are provided in an attempt to integrate students into the mainstream whenever appropriate. Resource Center staff members act as advocates for Special Needs students, observe them in the classroom and assist the mainstream teachers in their efforts to make the integration process successful.

The Resource Program at the High School has been expanded this year through the hard work and planning of our High School Special Needs personnel so that it now offers Math and English courses to those students found to need them. Many of the students within this Program have been unable to fit the traditional school roles and programs and would normally meet continued failure. It is the intent of this Program to alleviate some of their frustration and sense of failure, provide needed basic skills, and prepare them to become contributing and working members of the community.

TRANSITIONAL PROGRAM

The Transitional Program is presently in a state of change. A Subcommittee comprised of three (3) administrators, three (3) School Committee members, the Reading Coordinator, and teachers has been established to study the Program and make recommendations.

The basic premise of the Program is to enable those children not quite ready to be promoted to spend one (1) year with more individual help to develop those basic skill areas needed to work effectively at grade level. The children served through this Program are those who may be developmentally behind and who, with a little extra help in a smaller class situation, could progress enough to avoid retention.

SPEECH PROGRAM

Our clinical Speech Program provides Language, Speech and Hearing services to

youngsters in grades Kindergarten—XII. These services are provided by one (1) full-time and one (1) part-time clinician.

The Speech Clinicians work with a variety of problems in the areas of articulation, speech sound production, language semantics, grammar, syntax, stuttering, speech reading, auditory and language training.

This year a number of pre-school children are being served in the attempt to remediate these problems as early and quickly as possible.

THE CENTER FOR INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT

The Center for Individual Development is a Program for the multi handicapped located at the Spring Street School. It is a Collaborative Program serving the Towns of West Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Bridgewater, Middleboro, and Raynham. The services provided through the C.I.D. have been developed and expanded to provide more complete services to these children.

The staff of the Center for Individual Development has designed a Prescriptive Educational Program for each child which includes individualized instruction in basic cognitive skills in beginning reading and math skills. The children also receive extensive physical therapy, speech therapy and occupational therapy. This Program has been helped by grants from United Cerebral Palsy and the March of Dimes.

Aiding our staff members are parent and High School volunteers who have contributed enormously to the growth and development of these children.

The people of West Bridgewater have much to be proud of in this Program. It is innovative and is used by the Department of Education as a pilot program. It serves not only the needs of the children within the Program itself, but it enables our younger children to accept and help these handicapped students.

REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES, INC.

As one of the twenty-three (23) member Towns of R.E.A.D.S., and one of its founders, we have benefitted greatly from its services and expertise.

When a child's problem is severe or when our evaluation teams are unable to answer all the questions concerning a child's educational needs, we have available to us the diagnostic capabilities of the professional staff at R.E.A.D.S. At the elementary level an in-depth five (5) day evaluation is completed covering medical, neurological, psychological, and educational areas. At the secondary level this same evaluation is completed through a one (1) day evaluation. The final report given by the R.E.A.D.S. personnel to the parents and school personnel is extensive, in-depth, and educationally orientated.

However, R.E.A.D.S. offers much more. It provides unlimited audiological and opthamological services using some of the best and most modern equipment at no cost to the Towns.

R.E.A.D.S. also serves as a central agency for establishing collaborative programs such as the Pre-School Language and Pre-School Hearing Impaired Programs. For one (1) Town to provide such Comprehensive Programs would be enormously expensive due to the low incidence of such Special Needs. Through collaboration with the member Towns of R.E.A.D.S. this cost is minimized.

With the enactment of P.L. No. 94-142 by Congress and President Ford, \$8 billion has been allocated toward educating children with special needs. It is through collaborative with R.E.A.D.S. and its member Towns that small Towns like ours will have access to larger sums of monies.

Many areas in the State are only now beginning to establish Programs like R.E.A.D.S. The need is becoming ever greater for such Programs.

SUMMARY

The people of West Bridgewater through their School Committee have taken to heart the frustrations and needs of children with Special Needs. As a community we have developed a consistent and in-depth Program of Special Services to help the children of West Bridgewater develop educational abilities which will serve them and the community in years to come.

We have been able to fill in some of the gaps with the additions of an Elementary Adjustment Counselor and a part-time School Psychologist.

Through training workshops, Special Needs staff and the mainstream classroom teacher are becoming better prepared to help not only children with Special Needs but all children, since each child is special in his/her own way. Hopefully, in the future each teacher will become a Specialist, being better able to diagnose, prescribe and implement within the academic framework.

I would like to thank School Committee members, Administrators, Faculty members, and all caring people who are supporting Special Needs Services to the West Bridgewater Community. To see its value one only has to look into and through the eyes of these children.

Respectfully submitted,

William Pugh
Director of Special Needs Services

Director of Maintenance and Chief Custodian

This year we were again fortunate in having the help of men from C.E.T.A. (Comprehensive Employment and Training Act) and with their help were able to complete a number of projects at our schools. Two (2) of these projects were the painting of all outside metal and wood trim on the High School, and the painting of the outside of the Spring Street School. The outside painting of the Howard School was started. Rusted areas have been primed. The work will be completed this Spring.

Contractors completed the following work on the schools. The Sunset Avenue School had all wood trim painted, the front steps were rebuilt, and the south side had all windows replaced. The window replacement will cut down on the infiltration of cold air, making the rooms comfortable and help to conserve energy and fuel. The overhang on the High School has been rebuilt in two (2) areas; the boys' locker room and the area over the cafeteria, study hall and kitchen. The Spring Street School had the brick work pointed.

During the Summer Vacation period our Custodians completed their Summer cleaning chores doing a thorough job at all of the schools. This consisted of washing walls and furniture and stripping and waxing floors. The gym floors were cleaned and refinished.

On December 9, 1976, I travelled to Fall River to attend a seminar on Energy Management in Municipal Buildings. A panel of experts on energy conservation discussed measures that could be implemented to conserve energy. Rising energy prices will be a part of life for the foreseeable future. Energy is a significant cost in our budget. The effects of price increases can be countered by saving energy in buildings. A substantial portion of our energy costs are "controllable". If the departmental building cost in a given locality were classified between general purpose government and the school system, on the average the school portion of building energy cost would represent seventy percent (70%) of the total. This emphasizes the importance of school system involvement in a municipality's energy saving program.

The School Department since 1974 has been implementing programs to conserve energy. Steam traps have been replaced and rebuilt. Thermostats have been calibrated and controls replaced. We are adding chemicals to our boilers to keep the steam traps working properly. There are measures which have been initiated by building operating personnel but which require the cooperation of all users of the building for effectiveness. These include reducing indoor temperatures to sixty-eight degrees (68°) or lower, turning off unused lights and using natural lighting whenever possible. Measures which involve minor changes in the operation and maintenance of the buildings are: setting back thermostats during evening and weekends to sixty degrees (60°) and changing from day heat to night heat when students leave the buildings, and reducing ventilation rates, to the State minimums, during occupied periods.

The above measures are some of the ways we can conserve energy. As the year continues I will offer suggestions by means of the school bulletins to conserve energy. Energy conservation is the responsibility of everyone; Superintendent, Principals, teachers, custodians, and pupils, if we are to save energy and money.

In future budgets I will suggest improvements in our buildings to save energy (capital investment measures). These will cost money, but in the long run will save.

In closing I would like to express my appreciation to all personnel for the cooperation and assistance received during the past year.

Respectfully submitted

Leo E. Moror
Director of Maintenance and Chief Custodian

Director of Food Services

This is my fourth annual report for the Food Services Program.

The students in West Bridgewater Schools are served nutritious, well-balanced lunches daily. Each menu is planned to meet the specifications required by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Bureau of Nutrition.

This year we have tried to introduce to the students a variety of foods. After much observation, we found that the majority of the students do not want, or will not try these meals. They will only purchase the simple basic foods such as hot dogs, pizza, hamburgers, sandwiches, etc.

Throughout the year the Food Services Program is visited by the State Bureau of Nutrition, the local Board of Health and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. These Departments view each facility, working conditions, and the quality of food served. All reports have been excellent. Food purchased by this Department is of the highest quality. Most foods served are prepared from the original basic ingredients by our personnel and at no time are additives or food stretchers used.

Each school has a very high percentage of the students participating in the Program.

Again I would like to stress that parents are welcome at all times to view the operation of the School Lunch Program and to have lunch at any of our schools. If at any time parents have any questions pertaining to the Program, please feel free to call me at the School Lunch Office. The telephone number is 587-2324.

Respectfully submitted,

Beverly A. Reynolds
Director of Food Services

Treasurer's Report

It is with sorrow I report that, for the first time in three years, we have had to borrow. The amount borrowed was \$250,000.00 at a cost of \$697.08.

However, while we had money to invest, we earned \$13,282.20, for a gain of \$12,585.12 over the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph F. McCann
Treasurer

TO BE APPROPRIATED FOR JULY 1, 1977 – JUNE 30, 1978

REPAYMENT OF BONDS

| DEPARTMENT | BOND PRINCIPAL | BOND INTEREST | TOTAL |
|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| School Bonds | \$135,000.00 | \$ 54,942.50 | \$189,942.50 |
| Water Bonds | 120,820.00 | 17,657.25 | 138,477.25 |
| Other | <hr/> | <hr/> 15,000.25 | <hr/> 15,000.25 |
| TOTALS | <hr/> \$255,820.00 | <hr/> \$ 87,600.00 | <hr/> \$343,420.00 |

WATER BONDS

| Date of Payment | 3.30% Bonds Iss. 11/15/63 | | 3.20% Bonds Iss. 8/1/64 | | 3.20% Bonds Iss. 9/15/65 | | 4.00% Bonds Iss. 9/15/67 | |
|--------------------|------------------------------|--------|----------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| | Prin. | Int. | Prin. | Int. | Prin. | Int. | Prin. | Int. |
| 1977-78 | 2,000.00 | 99.00 | 5,000.00 | 400.00 | 10,000.00 | 640.00 | 20,000.00 | 3,800.00 |
| 1978-79 | 2,000.00 | 33.00 | 5,000.00 | 240.00 | 5,000.00 | 400.00 | 20,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 1979-80 | | | 5,000.00 | 80.00 | 5,000.00 | 240.00 | 20,000.00 | 2,200.00 |
| 1980-81 | | | | | 5,000.00 | 80.00 | 15,000.00 | 1,500.00 |
| 1981-82 | | | | | | | 15,000.00 | 900.00 |
| 1982-92 | | | | | | | 15,000.00 | 300.00 |
| TOTALS | 4,000.00 | 132.00 | 15,000.00 | 720.00 | 25,000.00 | 1,360.00 | 105,000.00 | 11,700.00 |

| Date of Payment | 5.40% Bonds Iss. 9/15/71 | | 3.45% Bonds Iss. 10/12/76 | | Principal Payment For Year | Interest Payment For Year |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------|------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | Prin. | Int. | Prin. | Int. | | |
| 1977-78 | 35,000.00 | 24,705.00 | 35,000.00 | 1,811.25 | 107,000.00 | 31,455.25 |
| 1978-79 | 35,000.00 | 22,815.00 | 35,000.00 | 603.75 | 102,000.00 | 27,091.75 |
| 1979-80 | 35,000.00 | 20,925.00 | | | 65,000.00 | 23,445.00 |
| 1980-81 | 35,000.00 | 19,035.00 | | | 55,000.00 | 20,615.00 |
| 1981-82 | 35,000.00 | 17,145.00 | | | 50,000.00 | 18,045.00 |
| 1982-92 | 300,000.00 | 81,000.00 | | | 315,000.00 | 81,300.00 |
| | 475,000.00 | 185,625.00 | 70,000.00 | 2,415.00 | 694,000.00 | 201,952.00 |

SCHOOL BONDS

| Date of Payment | 3.25% Bonds Iss. 6/1/61 | | 3.25% Bonds Iss. 6/1/61 | | 4.00% Bonds Iss. 12/1/66 | | 5.40% Bonds Iss. 9/15/71 | |
|--------------------|----------------------------|----------|----------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| | Princ. | Int. | Princ. | Int. | Princ. | Int. | Princ. | Int. |
| 1977-1978 | 10,000.00 | 1,300.00 | 10,000.00 | 812.50 | 55,000.00 | 19,900.00 | 15,000.00 | 7,695.00 |
| 1978-1979 | 10,000.00 | 975.00 | 5,000.00 | 487.50 | 55,000.00 | 17,700.00 | 15,000.00 | 6,885.00 |
| 1979-1980 | 10,000.00 | 650.00 | 5,000.00 | 325.00 | 55,000.00 | 15,500.00 | 15,000.00 | 6,075.00 |
| 1980-1981 | 10,000.00 | 325.00 | 5,000.00 | 162.50 | 55,000.00 | 13,300.00 | 15,000.00 | 5,265.00 |
| 1981-1982 | | | | | 55,000.00 | 11,100.00 | 15,000.00 | 4,445.00 |
| 1982-1987 | | | | | 250,000.00 | 25,000.00 | 75,000.00 | 10,125.00 |
| TOTALS | 40,000.00 | 3,250.00 | 25,000.00 | 1,787.50 | 525,000.00 | 102,500.00 | 150,000.00 | 40,490.00 |

| Date of Payment | 4.90% Bonds Iss. 1/1/74 | | Principal Payment For Year | Interest Payment For Year |
|--------------------|----------------------------|------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | Princ. | Int. | | |
| 1977-1978 | 45,000.00 | 25,235.00 | 135,000.00 | 54,942.50 |
| 1978-1979 | 45,000.00 | 23,030.00 | 130,000.00 | 49,077.50 |
| 1979-1980 | 45,000.00 | 20,825.00 | 130,000.00 | 43,375.00 |
| 1980-1981 | 45,000.00 | 18,620.00 | 130,000.00 | 37,672.50 |
| 1981-1982 | 45,000.00 | 16,415.00 | 115,000.00 | 31,960.00 |
| 1982-1987 | 290,000.00 | 55,775.00 | 615,000.00 | 90,900.00 |
| TOTALS | 515,000.00 | 159,900.00 | 1,255,000.00 | 307,927.50 |

Annual Report
of the
Town Accountant
of
West Bridgewater
Massachusetts

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1976

To the Board of Selectmen:

I submit herewith my Annual Report in accordance with Section 61, Chapter 41, General Laws, for the year ending June 30, 1976.

Arthur E. Chaves

Town Accountant

**TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER
BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1976**

| GENERAL FUND | | LIABILITIES and RESERVES | |
|--------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| ASSETS | Cash-General Fund | Unexpended Appropriations | |
| | Federal Revenue Sharing | General | 452,775.01 |
| | Investments-General | Water | 70,805.79 |
| | Federal Revenue Sharing | Revenue Sharing | <u>54,484.37</u> |
| | Taxes Receivable: | Reserve For Abatements: | 578,065.17 |
| | Real Estate-1976 | 1975 | 12,752.93 |
| | Real Estate-1975 | 1974 | <u>276.45</u> |
| | Personal Property-1976 | Reserve Fund-Overlay Surplus | 13,029.38 |
| | Personal Property-1975 | Special Tax Revenue-Litigation | 169.75 |
| | Personal Property-1974 | Federal Revenue Sharing Funds | 3,339.56 |
| | Taxes in Litigation | Revenue Reserved until Collected | 75,043.10 |
| | Tax Titles | Tax Title & Redemption | |
| | Tax Possessions | Motor Vehicle Excise | 69,672.64 |
| | Motor Vehicle Excise-1976 | Departmental Receivables | 131,840.82 |
| | Motor Vehicle Excise-1975 | Highway-State Aided Const. | 15,896.69 |
| | Motor Vehicle Excise-1974 | Water Receivable | 4,298.52 |
| | Motor Vehicle Excise-1973 | Overestimates: | 22,612.59 |
| | Motor Vehicle Excise-1972 | Air Pollution | |
| | Departmental Receivables: | County Hospital | 141.72 |
| | Veterans Services | County Tax | 2,879.19 |
| | Farm Animal Excise | Special Education-766 | 35,961.31 |
| | Highway-State Aided Const. | Mosquito Control | 6,172.00 |
| | State | Employee Taxes Withheld | <u>129.56</u> |
| | County | Appropriations Control-1977 | 45,283.78 |
| | Water Receivables: | Loans Authorized and Unissued | 97,050.57 |
| | Rates | Surplus Revenue-Exhibit B | 4,536,188.00 |
| | Liens | | 70,000.00 |
| | Legal Overdraft-Fire | | 419,321.28 |
| | Court Settlement | | |

TOWN OF WEST BRIDGEWATER
Unexpended Appropriations - June 30, 1976

Schedule A

General:

| | |
|--|------------|
| Ceta Operations | 9,886.96 |
| Police Mobile Radio | 1,504.55 |
| Planning Board - Legal | 3,000.00 |
| Fire - Ambulance | 33,236.53 |
| Highway - Drainage | 19,361.10 |
| Highway - Sidewalk | 6,422.07 |
| Highway - State Aided Construction | 66,255.98 |
| Highway - South Street Bridge | 3,500.00 |
| Sewerage - Master Plan | 100,000.00 |
| Schools | 168,811.89 |
| School - Hot Lunch | 17,000.21 |
| School - Athletics-Revolving | 300.69 |
| School - Title I | 282.10 |
| School - Title II | 1,624.62 |
| School - Title 874 | 813.00 |
| School - Evening Vocational | 736.00 |
| School - Special Education, Deaf & Blind | 2,265.00 |
| School - March of Dimes | 99.75 |
| School - W.J. & A.C. Howard Scholarship | 290.26 |
| School - United Cerebral Palsy | 500.00 |
| Library Trust Fund - No. 1 | 1,409.84 |
| Library Trust Fund - No. 21 | 608.01 |
| Library Trust Fund - No. 3 | 1,591.43 |
| Library State Aide | 2,682.00 |
| Bi-Centennial Commission - State | 3,500.00 |
| Bi-Centennial Commission - Donations | 4.00 |
| Bi-Centennial Commission - Revolving | 4,323.73 |
| Bi-Centennial Commission | 2,765.29 |

TOTAL GENERAL

\$452,775.01

Water:

| | |
|------------|-----------|
| Well Field | 21,971.25 |
| Mains | 48,834.54 |

TOTAL WATER

\$ 70,805.79

Federal Revenue Sharing:

| | |
|----------|-----------|
| Drainage | 54,484.37 |
|----------|-----------|

TOTALS

\$578,065.17

Excess and Deficiency - June 30, 1976

Exhibit B

| | | |
|--|------------|--------------------------|
| July 1, 1975 Balance | | 498,803.54 |
| Add - Tax Title redemptions | 17,829.45 | |
| State and County aid to Highways | 1,962.06 | |
| Sale of Truck | 207.00 | |
| Sale of Tractor | 528.85 | |
| Sale of Land | 1.00 | |
| Unexpended Appropriations | 190,120.17 | |
| Estimated Receipts - Excess of Actual over estimated | 3,359.53 | 214,008.06 |
| TOTAL | | <u><u>712,811.60</u></u> |

| | | | |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| Deduct - Tax Title Takings | | 26,112.30 | |
| Taxes in Litigation | | 663.52 | |
| Water operating deficit | | 2,026.53 | |
| Special Education - 1975 | | 1,657.00 | |
| Appropriations: | | | |
| Multi - Health Center | 4,480.00 | | |
| Unpaid Bills - 6/30/75 | 5,237.21 | | |
| Bi-Centennial Commission | 5,000.00 | | |
| Highway - Bonnie Drive | 2,399.00 | | |
| Highway - Elm Square | 394.48 | | |
| Police | 5,493.73 | | |
| School | 137,026.55 | | |
| Planning Board - Legal | 3,000.00 | | |
| Sewer - Master Plan | 100,000.00 | 263,030.97 | 293,490.32 |
| June 30, 1976 Balance | | | \$ 419,321.28 |

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

| | |
|---|----------------------|
| Received from U.S. Government | 206,462.00 |
| Interest earned | 8,964.23 |
| Unexpended appropriations restored to account | 10,172.00 |
| TOTAL: | \$ 225,598.23 |
| Deduct - Appropriations, year ended 6/30/77 | 173,000.00 |
| | 52,598.23 |
| July 1, 1975 Balance | 22,444.87 |
| June 30, 1976 Balance | <u>\$ 75,043.10</u> |

SCHEDULE OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS - JUNE 30, 1976

| SOURCE | Estimated | Actual | Excess of (Deficiency) |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Local Aide Agency Funds | 963,067.97 | 1,031,122.33 | 68,054.36 |
| Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise | 263,427.58 | 261,581.12 | (1,846.46) |
| Licenses | 19,413.27 | 22,603.93 | 3,190.66 |
| Fines | 6,644.00 | 6,065.47 | (578.53) |
| General Government | 24,086.12 | 18,013.04 | (6,073.08) |
| Veterans Benefits | 24,105.77 | 18,198.74 | (5,907.03) |
| School | 5,175.76 | 3,441.72 | (1,734.04) |
| Farm Animal Excise | 1,308.89 | 1,127.38 | (181.51) |
| Interest | 78,953.19 | 27,118.35 | (51,834.84) |
| Trailer Park Fees | <u>5,580.00</u> | <u>5,850.00</u> | <u>270.00</u> |
| TOTALS: | \$1,391,762.55 | \$1,395,122.08 | \$ 3,359.53 |
| WATER: | \$ 104,750.00 | \$ 96,961.99 | \$ 7,788.01 |

RESERVE FUND

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Selectmen | 912.00 |
| Police Crusier | 2,300.00 |
| Town Reports | 619.20 |
| Highway - Wendell Avenue | 148.09 |
| Highway - Bonnie Avenue | 75.99 |
| Group Insurance | 13,639.24 |
| Fire | 3,785.57 |
| Tree Warden | 644.60 |
| Inspector of Buildings | 16.84 |
| Recreation Commission | 140.04 |
| Town Council | <u>2,718.43</u> |
| TOTAL | <u><u>25,000.00</u></u> |

Free Cash--June 30, 1976

\$ 253,951.21

SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS - 1975/76

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE:

Taxes:

| | |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Property | \$2,664,603.77 |
| Tax Title Redemptions | 17,898.09 |
| Farm Animal Excise | 1,127.38 |

From the State Government:

| | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Loss of taxes | \$ 12,331.36 | |
| Real estate tax abatements | 3,850.00 | |
| Tuition and transportation of children | 1,901.38 | |
| Vocational education | 47,672.25 | |
| Transportation of pupils | 61,673.94 | |
| Construction of school projects | 162,480.77 | |
| Regional school district | 38,855.63 | |
| Special education | 104,286.70 | |
| School aid - Chapter 70 | 485,854.50 | |
| Highway aid | 111,420.80 | |
| Police incentive pay | 795.00 | |
| Total Local Aid Funds | 1,031,122.33 | |
| Veterans services | 18,198.74 | |
| Highway aid - Chapter 90 | 1,962.06 | |
| Highway aid - Chapter 825-1 | 20,999.00 | |
| School hot lunch | 54,601.68 | |
| School Title I | 15,042.00 | |
| Title II | 1,559.16 | |
| Title VI | 7,116.00 | |
| Title 874 | 813.00 | |
| Special Education - Deaf & Blind | 2,265.00 | |
| United Cerebral Palsy | 1,010.00 | |
| Evening Vocational | 736.00 | |
| Library State Aid | 2,682.00 | |
| County Dog Fund | 3,165.08 | |
| Historical Commission | 3,500.00 | 1,164,772.05 |

From the Federal Government:

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| Revenue Sharing - Principal | 206,462.00 | |
| Interest earned | 8,964.23 | 215,426.23 |

Privileges:

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|----------------------|------------|------------|
| Motor vehicle excise | 264,984.63 | |
| Trailer excise | 5,850.00 | 270,834.63 |

Other:

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|--|-----------|--|
| Licenses-Selectmen, clerk, et al | 22,603.93 | |
| Fines: | | |
| Police | 5,107.91 | |
| Library | 957.56 | |
| General Government: | | |
| Rent of facilities | 399.00 | |
| Tax title interest, fees and recording | 3,874.55 | |
| Sealer of weights and measures | 295.40 | |
| Elderly lunches | 843.25 | |

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| Charges and fees | 1,477.03 | |
| School athletics | 1,661.50 | |
| School hot lunch | 77,204.65 | |
| Insurance proceeds | 2,195.50 | |
| Bi-Centennial Commission - Revolving | <u>4,526.39</u> | 121,146.67 |
| Interest: | | |
| Investments | 19,208.53 | |
| Taxes and excise | <u>7,909.82</u> | 27,118.35 |
| Investments | | 1,970,000.00 |
| Public Service: | | |
| Water sales and service | | 97,119.39 |
| Agency: | | |
| Payroll deductions | 737,655.98 | |
| Dog licenses | 2,062.00 | |
| Meals tax | 276.72 | |
| Sales tax | 178.74 | |
| Payroll revolving | 1,938,707.95 | |
| Police Payroll revolving | <u>22,638.43</u> | 2,701,519.82 |
| Library Trust Funds | | 1,979.08 |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | | 1,097.35 |
| W.J. & A.C. Howard Scholarship Fund | | 288.99 |
| Insurance proceeds - Police | | 5,636.50 |
| Refunds and Miscellaneous | | <u>12,000.76</u> |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS | | <u>\$9,272,569.06</u> |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS - 1975/76

| Account | Unexpended Balance 7/1/75 | Appropriation | Transfer from Reserve | Receipts | Expended | Reverting to Revenue | Unexpended Balance 6/30/76 |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Selectmen | - | 12,395.00 | 912.00 | - | 13,051.01 | 255.99 | - |
| Accountant | - | 6,020.00 | - | - | 5,979.97 | 40.03 | - |
| Treasurer-Collector | - | 38,632.00 | - | - | 37,494.65 | 1,137.35 | - |
| Assessors | - | 13,445.00 | - | - | 13,275.28 | 169.72 | - |
| Town Clerk | - | 12,555.00 | - | - | 12,539.74 | 15.26 | - |
| Election & Registration | - | 6,365.00 | - | - | 6,194.40 | 170.60 | - |
| Town Hall & Offices | - | 16,050.00 | - | - | 16,045.14 | 4.86 | - |
| Moderator | - | 100.00 | - | - | 100.00 | - | - |
| Finance Committee | - | 500.00 | - | - | 86.50 | 413.50 | - |
| Exchange | - | - | - | 54.50 | 54.50 | - | - |
| CETA Operations | 8,664.30 | 5,145.00 | - | - | 3,922.34 | - | 9,886.96 |
| Town Hall Sprinkler | - | 2,300.00 | - | - | 2,065.82 | 234.18 | - |
| Law | - | 8,000.00 | 2,718.43 | - | 10,718.43 | - | - |
| Federal Funds Administrator | 3,500.00 | - | - | - | - | 3,500.00 | - |
| Court Case-Legal | (2,075.85) | 2,075.85 | - | - | - | - | (14,399.98) |
| Fire-Overdraft-1975 | (14,399.98) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Police | - | 365,463.73 | - | - | 365,396.41 | 67.32 | - |
| Police Revolving | - | - | - | 22,638.43 | 22,638.43 | - | - |
| Police Mobile Radio | - | 2,500.00 | - | - | 995.45 | - | 1,504.55 |
| Police Cruiser | - | 11,400.00 | - | - | 11,400.00 | - | - |
| Police Cruiser-Accident | - | - | 2,300.00 | 4,175.00 | 6,463.76 | 11.24 | - |
| Police-Car | - | 4,300.00 | - | - | 4,300.00 | - | - |
| Police-Insurance Reimbursement | - | - | - | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 | - | - |
| Police Station-Plans | - | 1,500.00 | - | - | 1,500.00 | - | - |
| Fire | - | 125,385.00 | 3,785.57 | - | 130,261.61 | - | (1,091.04) |
| Tree Warden | - | 50,960.00 | 644.60 | - | 51,604.60 | - | - |
| Appeals Board | - | 950.00 | - | - | 590.27 | 359.73 | - |
| Civil Defense | - | 880.00 | - | - | 748.30 | 131.70 | - |
| Dog Officer | - | 7,260.00 | - | - | 7,100.75 | 159.25 | - |
| IDC | - | 350.00 | - | - | 15.45 | 334.55 | - |

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| Hydrants | — | 11,186.00 | — | — | 11,186.00 | — |
| Gas Inspector | — | 1,400.00 | — | — | 1,283.00 | 117.00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | — | 490.00 | — | — | 485.85 | 4.15 |
| Wire Inspector | — | 950.00 | — | — | 701.00 | 249.00 |
| Building Inspector | — | 10,625.00 | 16.84 | — | 10,641.84 | — |
| Planning Board | — | 1,175.00 | — | — | 1,027.62 | 147.38 |
| By-Law Study Committee | — | 200.00 | — | — | 15.00 | 185.00 |
| Planning Board—Legal | — | 3,000.00 | — | — | — | 3,000.00 |
| Health | — | 57,400.00 | — | — | 40,623.67 | 16,776.33 |
| Fire—Ambulance | — | 40,000.00 | — | — | 6,763.47 | 33,236.53 |
| Highway | — | 189,612.00 | — | — | 186,214.53 | 3,397.47 |
| Highway — | 21,326.10 | — | — | — | — | — |
| Drainage | 9,315.13 | 51,000.00 | — | — | 5,776.34 | 673.17 |
| Drainage Revenue Sh. | 6,422.07 | — | — | — | 42,212.25 | — |
| Sidewalk | 6,449.51 | — | — | — | 4,472.69 | — |
| Sidewalk—Crescent St. | 21,215.23 | 87,253.00 | — | — | 10,765.00 | 560.00 |
| St. Aided Const. | 897.70 | 3,499.00 | 75.99 | — | 4,500.00 | — |
| Bonnie Drive | — | 11,325.00 | — | — | 394.48 | — |
| Truck—Plow | — | 4,500.00 | — | — | 29,411.77 | — |
| Tractor | — | 394.48 | — | — | 3,391.50 | 108.50 |
| Elm Square Lights | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Court Settlement | — | — | — | — | 1,187.76 | 392.24 |
| Forest Street | — | 3,500.00 | — | — | 32,000.00 | — |
| Chapter 825—Sec. I | (20,999.00) | 20,999.00 | — | — | — | — |
| Street Lights | — | 1,580.00 | — | — | — | — |
| St. Lights Rev. Sh. | — | 32,000.00 | — | — | — | — |
| South St. Bridge | — | 3,500.00 | — | — | — | 3,500.00 |
| Wendell Ave. | — | 5,000.00 | 148.09 | — | 5,148.09 | — |
| Sewer—Master Plan | — | 100,000.00 | — | — | — | 100,000.00 |
| Veterans Service | — | 93,400.00 | — | (17,232.31) | 27,124.53 | 49,043.16 |
| Schools | — | 2,546,224.00 | — | — | 2,281,844.60 | 95,567.51 |
| School — | 15.28 | — | — | 131,806.33 | 114,821.40 | 17,000.21 |
| Hot Lunch | — | 22,770.00 | — | — | 22,770.00 | — |
| Athletics | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Athletics Revolving | 883.94 | — | — | 1,661.50 | 2,244.75 | 300.69 |
| Title I | 1,285.86 | — | — | 15,042.00 | 16,045.76 | 282.10 |

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS (contd.)

| <u>Account</u> | <u>Unexpended Balance 7/1/75</u> | <u>Appropriation</u> | <u>Transfer from Reserve</u> | <u>Receipts</u> | <u>Expended</u> | <u>Reverting to Revenue</u> | <u>Unexpended Balance 6/30/76</u> |
|------------------------------|--|----------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| School - Title II | 2,284.33 | - | - | 1,559.16 | 2,218.87 | - | 1,624.62 |
| Title VI | 1,774.85 | - | - | 7,116.00 | 8,890.85 | - | - |
| Regional | - | 80,244.00 | - | (14,629.66) | 59,696.00 | 5,918.34 | - |
| Vocational Education | - | 3,525.00 | - | - | 2,873.55 | 651.45 | - |
| Vocational Ed. Rev. | - | - | - | 736.00 | - | - | 736.00 |
| Sp. Ed. Deaf & Blind | - | - | - | 2,265.00 | - | - | 2,265.00 |
| Title III | 1,883.45 | - | - | - | 1,883.45 | - | - |
| Title 874 | 7,314.00 | - | - | 813.00 | 7,314.00 | - | 813.00 |
| March of Dimes | 428.75 | - | - | - | 329.00 | - | 99.75 |
| Construction | 803.20 | - | - | - | 803.20 | - | - |
| W.J. & A.C. Howard Sch. | 501.27 | - | - | 288.99 | 500.00 | - | 290.26 |
| United Cerebral Palsy | - | - | - | 1,010.00 | 510.00 | - | 500.00 |
| Libraries | - | 47,615.00 | - | - | 46,393.10 | 1,221.90 | - |
| Library Trust Fund No. 1 | 780.80 | - | - | 792.24 | 163.20 | - | 1,409.84 |
| Trust Fund No. 2 | 288.23 | - | - | 319.78 | - | - | 608.01 |
| Trust Fund No. 3 | 794.32 | - | - | 797.11 | - | - | 1,591.43 |
| Trust Fund Curtis | - | - | - | 69.95 | 69.95 | - | - |
| Library-State Aid | 2,682.00 | - | - | 2,682.00 | 2,682.00 | - | 2,682.00 |
| County Dog Fund | 3,915.12 | - | - | 3,165.08 | 7,080.20 | - | - |
| Bonds & Interest | - | 362,605.25 | - | - | 362,605.25 | - | - |
| Christmas Decorations | - | 350.00 | - | - | 310.54 | 39.46 | - |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | - | - | - | 1,097.35 | 1,097.35 | - | - |
| County Aid to Agriculture | - | 100.00 | - | - | 100.00 | - | - |
| Bicentennial Commission | 3,500.00 | 5,000.00 | - | - | 5,734.71 | - | - |
| Bicentennial Comm. State | - | - | - | 3,500.00 | - | - | 2,765.29 |
| Bicentennial Comm. Revolving | - | - | - | 4,323.73 | - | - | 3,500.00 |
| Bicentennial Comm. Donations | - | - | - | 4.00 | - | - | 4,323.73 |
| Conservation Commission | - | 5,700.00 | - | - | - | - | 4.00 |
| Council on Aging | - | 8,920.00 | - | - | 5,676.82 | 23.18 | - |
| | | | | | 5,161.45 | 3,758.55 | - |

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| Contributory Retirement | — | 63,383.00 | — | — | — |
| Engineering Services | — | 1,500.00 | — | 69.00 | 1,431.00 |
| Insurance Casualty | — | 2,300.00 | — | 28.00 | 2,272.00 |
| Ins. Casualty Rev. Sharing | — | 42,000.00 | — | 31,828.00 | 10,172.00 |
| Insurance Group | — | 50,000.00 | 13,639.24 | 63,639.24 | — |
| Memorial Field | — | 300.00 | — | 296.90 | 3.10 |
| Memorial & Veterans Days | — | 575.00 | — | 575.00 | — |
| Old Colony Water Pollution | — | 17,232.31 | — | 17,232.31 | — |
| Tennis Courts | — | 300.00 | — | 300.00 | — |
| Town Reports | — | 5,100.00 | 619.20 | 5,719.20 | — |
| Unpaid Bills | — | 5,237.21 | — | 5,237.21 | — |
| Recreation Commission | — | 4,185.00 | 140.04 | 4,325.04 | — |
| Stabilization Fund | — | 10,000.00 | — | 10,000.00 | — |
| Water Expenses | — | 104,750.00 | — | 98,988.52 | 5,761.48 |
| Water Truck | — | 5,000.00 | — | 5,000.00 | — |
| Water Standpipe | 5,370.34 | — | — | 5,370.34 | — |
| Water Well Field | — | 40,000.00 | — | 18,028.75 | 21,971.25 |
| Water Test Wells | 456.89 | — | — | 456.89 | — |
| Water Mains | 3,433.35 | 110,000.00 | — | 64,598.81 | 48,834.54 |
| TOTALS | 78,711.19 | 4,973,435.83 | 25,000.00 | 4,513,986.17 | 206,053.65 |
| | | | 176,055.18 | | 533,162.38 |

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Office Hours for Town Offices

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|------------------------------|---|
| Assessors | Daily 8:30 – 12:00, 1:00 – 4:30 Wednesday Evening, 7:00 – 9:00 |
| Board of Health | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Planning Board | 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Selectmen | Daily 8:30 – 2:00 P.M. Meeting – Monday Eve. 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Tax Collector & Treasurer | Daily 9:00 – 4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00 – 9:00 P.M. |
| Town Clerk | Daily 9 – 12, 1 – 4:30 P.M. Wednesday Eve. 7:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. |
| Veterans' Services | Daily 9:00 – 12:00 A.M. |
| Water Department | 1st & 3rd Wednesday Eve. 7:30 – 9:00 P.M. |

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
West Bridgewater, Massachusetts 02379
Telephone 617-588-4820

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If you wish to participate, please complete this form, indicate your areas of interest and return to:

Selectmen's Office
Town Hall
West Bridgewater, MA 02379

NAME _____ TEL. NO. _____

ADDRESS _____ OCCUPATION _____

BACKGROUND _____

LIST ORDER OF PREFERENCE:

PLANNING & PRESERVATION

Conservation Commission
Industrial Development Commission
Planning Board
Appeals Board

OTHER

Housing Authority
Council on Aging
Bicentennial Commission
Construction Committee

EDUCATION

School Committee Activities
Resource person for schools
Other

GOVERNMENT

Committee Studying Changes
Finance Committee

RECREATION

Youth Work
Other

HEALTH

Social Services
Ambulance Committee



